Yahoo Group Archive: DVAPDongle

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2. Welcome to the DV Access Point Dongle group

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 21:57:25 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2 Message: 2

Thank you for joining the DV Access Point Dongle group. Here you will find notices of new software updates, usage tips and techniques, discussions of issues found by users, and requests for new functionality in the DVAPTool software.

Here is a quick start guide that can also be found at http://dvapdongle.com :

Getting started with the DV Access Point Dongle:

0) GET REGISTERED! If you are not already registered on the D-STAR network, you need to get registered. It is very important that you register with ONE gateway only. Once you are registered on one gateway, you are registered on them all. Follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for registration. Until you are registered, you will only be able to listen to connected systems. No transmission is allowed for unregistered callsigns.

1) Make sure you are connected to the internet.

2) Plug in the DVAP to an available USB port on the PC/Mac. On Windows, wait for FTDI drivers to automatically load. On Mac, go to http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm and download and install the driver for Mac OS X. On Linux, the driver is built into the kernel so no installation is required.

3) Download DVAPTool from http://www.opendstar.org/tools. Use:
DVAPTool.exe for Windows
DVAPTool-linux for Linux
DVAPTool-mac.tgz for Mac (double-click on the downloaded file and double-click on the included package installer)
NOTE: the name of the file may include the version of the software (e.g. DVAPTool-1.01.exe or DVAPTool-1.01-mac.tgz)

4) Run the DVAPTool version that was downloaded, usually by just double-clicking on the application.

5) Enter your callsign in the callsign box. It is recommended that you go to the gateway where you registered and add a terminal entry with an "A" in the initial field. Then enter your callsign with the "A" in the eighth character in DVAPTool. The "lock callsign" checkbox is used to prevent others from transmitting using your DVAP. If you want to allow other licensed amateur operators to use your DVAP, simply uncheck the box.

6) Enter a simplex frequency for operation. Consult the frequency bandplan for your country/area for appropriate frequencies. Enter the entire frequency in Hz (e.g. 146550000 for 146.550 MHz).

7) Click "Open". You can walk away from the PC/Mac now since all control commands are issued from your D-STAR radio.

Radio reference:

Enter your callsign into the MYCALL field of your radio. Select DV mode and configure simplex operation, usually by holding down the "DUP" key until there is no "dup+" or "dup-" on the radio display. You do not need to enter RPT1 nor RPT2 since the radio will place "DIRECT" in both when in simplex mode. All commands are entered into the URCALL field as detailed below.

Command reference:

URCALL:
"DVAP I" (request voice ID from the DVAP)
"DVAP E" (key down and speak for echo test)
"CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system)
"xxxxxxmL" (to link, replace XXXXXX with the gateway or reflector callsign making sure to use 6 characters filling the end with spaces as needed. Replace the "m" in the 7th character with the module to which you wish to link. Use "L" in the 8th character to indicate the Link command. For example, to link to Reflector 001 module C, use "REF001CL" in URCALL. To link to gateway W4DOC module A, use "W4DOC AL" in URCALL.
" U" (unlink from a linked gateway/reflector)
Note that, other than "CQCQCQ ", the commands above are processed locally and not transmitted to a connected system.

You may record and playback conversations by clicking the "Record" and "Playback" buttons. While playing back, you can click the "Skip to next keyup" to skip to the next person talking. Note that playback is done only to your radio, not to a connected gateway or reflector.

Customizing voice playback:

You can replace the included files that are played to indicate command actions. The files are:

alreadylinked.dvrec (played when you try to link when linked)
alreadyunlinked.dvrec (played when you try to unlink when unlinked)
dvap-id.dvrec (played when "DVAP I" is issued)
gatewayunknown.dvrec (played when the requested gateway is unknown)
remotesystemliked.dvrec (played when the requested system is linked)
remotesystemlinkedro.dvrec (played when the requested system is linked receive only)
remotesystemunlinked.dvrec (played when the linked system is unlinked)

To record a file, make sure the DVAP is open and not connected to a remote system. Click the "Record" button. Key down and speak your announcement. Click "Stop recording". Listed to your recording by

clicking on "Playback". You may record the announcement as many times as you like until you are happy with it. DVAPTool places the recording in the file dvaptool.dvrec in the folder from which it was started. Simply rename "dvaptool.dvrec" to one of the above file names to have DVAPTool use it instead of the default.

Please make sure you join the DVAPDongle yahoo group for program update announcements. Go to http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle to join.

Send support questions/issues to support@...

3. Other DVAP users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 01:07:35 UTC
From: k4wam
Topic: 3 Message: 3

Can I connect directly with other DVAP users? Will DVAP user show up on the DPlus monitor web pages?

thanks
k4wam

4. Activated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 02:17:18 UTC
From: ike.band
Topic: 4 Message: 4

Got my ADVP Friday from Mark HRO Orlando Hamfest. Activated the unit Sunday without a hitch. This has made D-STAR more valuable and an everyday ham activity that I can experience. Thanks Robin!

de IKE N3FDU

5. Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 11:09:19 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 5 Message: 5

How many people bought DVAP at the Orlando Hamcation? I just ordered mine this weekend at HRO when I found out orders were being taken.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

6. DVAP won't connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 21:00:19 UTC
From: mrgadgetfl
Topic: 6 Message: 6

I received my DVAP today. It connects to REF002 fine, but will not connect to either port of my local DSTAR repeater, KI4WZA.

It starts with "state change 4 Authenticating...", then "login failed", then "state change 7 Disconnecting...", "gateway response timeout 7", "state change 1 Disconnect timeout."

My old DVDongle works fine with this repeater.

Also, the email address shown in the instructions shipped with the dongle, support@dvapdongle.com, is invalid.

Please advise.

Wayne, K4GQS

7. Re: Other DVAP users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 22:14:15 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 3 Message: 7

Hi k4wam.

DVAPTool works using the same protocols as DVTool for the DV Dongle. As a result, there is no "callsign routing" feature so direct connection between DVAP's is not currently supported. Of course, if there is sufficient demand, it can be added.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k4wam" <k4wam@...> wrote:
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> Can I connect directly with other DVAP users? Will DVAP user show up on the DPlus monitor web pages?
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> thanks
> k4wam
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8. Re: DVAP won't connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 22:17:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 6 Message: 8

Hi Wayne. The DVAP requires a server software upgrade to connect. All of the reflectors have been updated and so have many of the gateways. The gateway admins have been informed of the availability of the upgrade so, hopefully, you will be able to connect soon. You might contact your local gateway admin to "nudge" him.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mrgadgetfl" <wayne@...> wrote:
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> connect to either port of my local DSTAR repeater, KI4WZA.
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is invalid.
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> Please advise.
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> Wayne, K4GQS
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9. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Other DVAP users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-15 22:31:02 UTC
From: Don Melcher
Topic: 3 Message: 9

I would like to see the ability to call a specific station - that station being a dongle or otherwise. That to me is one of the many advantages and the main purpose for my interest in DSTAR. My wife and I are often in places with limited at best cell phone coverage but good DSTAR coverage.

--- On Mon, 2/15/10, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> From: aa4rc <aa4rc@interlabs.com>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Other DVAP users
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Monday, February 15, 2010, 2:14 PM
> Hi k4wam.
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> DVAPTool works using the same protocols as DVTool for the
> DV Dongle. As a result, there is no "callsign routing"
> feature so direct connection between DVAP's is not currently
> supported. Of course, if there is sufficient demand,
> it can be added.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com,
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> DVAP user show up on the DPlus monitor web pages?
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> DVAPDongle-fullfeatured@yahoogroups.com
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10. New feature requests (already!!)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-16 02:12:52 UTC
From: mrgadgetfl
Topic: 10 Message: 10

Robin,

I'd like to see the new DVAP software with the same tabs as were available with the old Dongle software, i.e., Info, History, Data. The biggest negative I've heard is the lack of that information with the DVAP. (I currently have both, along with mobile and HT rigs).

Wayne, K4GQS

11. Re: [DVAPDongle] New feature requests (already!!)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-16 03:02:24 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 10 Message: 11

If the purpose of the DVAP is to allow a radio users, that can not get directly into a D-Star Gateway, to gain access, why would these tabs be needed?

Presumably, I would be on my radio (hand-held).

Tim

On Feb 15, 2010, at 6:12 PM, mrgadgetfl wrote:

> Robin,
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> Wayne, K4GQS
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13. Re: [DVAPDongle] Welcome to the DV Access Point Dongle group

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-16 13:47:10 UTC
From: jcherepy@mindspring.com
Topic: 2 Message: 13

Would someone please explain the terminal entry in the Gateway? I registered over a year ago and I didn't understand then what I was doing. Why do I need more than one entry?

Thanks,
Bill WB4WTN

5) Enter your callsign in the callsign box. It is recommended that you go to the gateway where you registered and add a terminal entry with an "A" in the initial field. Then enter your callsign with the "A" in the eighth character in DVAPTool. The "lock callsign" checkbox is used to prevent others from transmitting using your DVAP. If you want to allow other licensed amateur operators to use your DVAP, simply uncheck the box.

15. Re: [DVAPDongle] New feature requests (already!!)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-16 16:24:06 UTC
From: Ferrell Brown
Topic: 10 Message: 15

This DVAP is a different animal from the orginal Dongle. It is really a small repeater to allow users to use a radio over a short distance to access the gateway. Once it is connected you have no need to look at it anymore since the radio is used to control everything just like you would going through any other repeater.

KE4QDC
Ferrell

--- On Mon, 2/15/10, mrgadgetfl <wayne@...> wrote:

> From: mrgadgetfl <wayne@...>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] New feature requests (already!!)
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Monday, February 15, 2010, 9:12 PM
> Robin,
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> I'd like to see the new DVAP software with the same tabs as
> were available with the old Dongle software, i.e., Info,
> History, Data. The biggest negative I've heard is the lack
> of that information with the DVAP. (I currently have both,
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17. RE: [DVAPDongle] Welcome to the DV Access Point Dongle group

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-16 20:28:45 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2 Message: 17
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Bill,

You don’t NEED more than one entry. Only one will work.

Robin recommends adding another one to your call sign so that if someone tries to call sign route back to you, they will route to the real repeater that your radio was connected to. I’m only using one and I don’t think that I’ll worry about setting it up as Robin has suggested, at least I haven’t found a compelling reason yet.

On the other hand, I do have 2 terminals registered because I’ve got 2 ID-1s and when in data mode, they each need their own IP address which is associated with a terminal. Aside from that, there really is little reason to have more than 1 terminal associated with your account.

Some people try to treat it like a packet SSID and have one for every radio, but that’s not really a correct use.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of jcherepy@mindspring.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 16, 2010 8:47 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Welcome to the DV Access Point Dongle group

Would someone please explain the terminal entry in the Gateway? I registered over a year ago and I didn't understand then what I was doing. Why do I need more than one entry?

Thanks,
Bill WB4WTN

5) Enter your callsign in the callsign box. It is recommended that you go to the gateway where you registered and add a terminal entry with an "A" in the initial field. Then enter your callsign with the "A" in the eighth character in DVAPTool. The "lock callsign" checkbox is used to prevent others from transmitting using your DVAP. If you want to allow other licensed amateur operators to use your DVAP, simply uncheck the box.

19. Re: New feature requests (already!!)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 00:17:11 UTC
From: mrgadgetfl
Topic: 10 Message: 19

As I said, I have both Dongles and am very familiar with both. If you don't need the features, fine. I would like to be able to use the DVAP to also perform the functions of the original DVDongle (for nets, etc.), if feasible.

Wayne, K4GQS

20. location of DVRec File?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 03:33:49 UTC
From: Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Topic: 20 Message: 20

Hi.

Just recorded an audio cut. dvaptool.dvrec file was not in my DVTools folder but in my fonts folder!

How do I make sure these files are in my DVTools folder?

73, Tom n4zpt

21. RE: [DVAPDongle] location of DVRec File?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 16:25:05 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 20 Message: 21
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

What OS are you running on?
How did you start the application?
If you use a shortcut, what does the startup directory say?

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Sent: Tuesday, February 16, 2010 10:34 PM
To: DVAPDongle Reflector
Subject: [DVAPDongle] location of DVRec File?

Hi.

Just recorded an audio cut. dvaptool.dvrec file was not in my DVTools folder but in my fonts folder!

How do I make sure these files are in my DVTools folder?

73, Tom n4zpt

22. DPRS Interface

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 20:32:36 UTC
From: n1otw
Topic: 22 Message: 22

Robin,

Great tool / toy!!
Does the DVAP, or will the DVAP talk to DPRS interface?
Just looking for more bang for the buck. :O)

Patrick Tangney N1OTW
Rocky Hill, CT

23. Re: DVAPTool on fedora 12

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 18:28:49 UTC
From: kc4yoz
Topic: 2 Message: 23

Adrian;

Does it REALLY NEED to run under X post-configuration? Can one just start it (out of rc.local perhaps) when the system comes up and be done with it?

73;
Ken
KC4YOZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> ....
> original kde command I tried to use eliminating the need
> for a shellscript.
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> 73
>
> vk4tux
>

24. Re: DPRS Interface

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 21:51:59 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 22 Message: 24

Thanks Patrick. I hope to add DPRS functionality sometime soon.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n1otw" <n1otw@...> wrote:
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> Robin,
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> Great tool / toy!!
> Does the DVAP, or will the DVAP talk to DPRS interface?
> Just looking for more bang for the buck. :O)
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> Patrick Tangney N1OTW
> Rocky Hill, CT
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25. Re: [DVAPDongle] location of DVRec File?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-17 23:07:24 UTC
From: Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Topic: 20 Message: 25

Hi Ed,

I'm sorry for the lack of info. Windows XP service pack 2 on a Lenovo T61. I moved the executable to my DVTools directory in the programs directory and double clicked on the application directly.

Will try again later this evening perhaps after rebooting the computer. I had added a couple fonts a couple days ago. Had to use the search function to find the audio file.

73, Tom

On 2/17/2010 11:25 AM, Woodrick, Ed wrote:
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> Ed WA4YIH
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> DVTools folder but in my fonts folder!
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> How do I make sure these files are in my DVTools folder?
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> 73, Tom n4zpt

27. DVAPTool 1.01 Shows "Transmitting..." when not transmitting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 00:59:20 UTC
From: mrgadgetfl
Topic: 27 Message: 27

Frequently the DVAPTool 1.01 PC screen starts showing "Transmitting..." and the timer starts running, while connected to a Reflector, when the DVAP has not been keyed by an HT and the DVAP is not, in fact, transmitting (as verified by observing the Reflector with an original DVDongle. Nothing is displayed for My:, UR:, R1:, or R2: while this is occurring. DOS-like PC window shows "Transmit State <OFF>".

Running Windows 7 Home Premium 64-bit.

Wayne, K4GQS

28. FM Amplifier?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 03:39:33 UTC
From: va7bc
Topic: 28 Message: 28

Is it feasible to attach an FM amplifier to the DVAP then connect it to an external antenna? If so, I've been unable to find a 10mW input amplifier for 144 MHz. Any comments? Suggestions on an amp?
73
Greg
Vancouver - Home of the 2010 Olympics!

29. Needed Ports??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 16:38:18 UTC
From: Tim
Topic: 29 Message: 29

Hello All:

What specific ports (tcp/udp) need to be forwarded for the DV-AP?

At the Gateway side?

At the Local side?

Thanks,

Tim

30. Re: FM Amplifier?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 14:21:03 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 28 Message: 30

While very tempting, we all need to be very careful with accessories such as amplifiers on the DVAP. From an RF perspective, adding an amplifier only boosts one side of the RF path (from the DVAP to the radio). If you don't increase the received signal coming back, you will have garbled or one-way transmissions.

We also need to keep in mind that the DVAP is not a substitute for a full repeater and we should not try to make it one. Yes, repeaters are expensive and the DVAP is a much more economical way to create a "D-STAR coverage zone", but higher power radios have more extensive filtering and shielding built in to prevent spurious emissions in and out of band. We could end up causing interference.

Also, the RF section of the DVAP has virtually no AGC on the receiver. You may have noticed that the DVAP may not see your transmission if keyed very close to it. That's because you're overloading the receiver side and it's presenting garbage as decoded data. You should also operate your radio in low power mode. The DVAP is only transmitting 10mw. Running your radio at higher power settings doesn't give more range if the DVAP is limited to very low power.

The DVAP is a wonderful device to create a small coverage area. Thanks, Robin and Moe.

John
WB4QDX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "va7bc" <greg.franklin@...> wrote:
>
> Is it feasible to attach an FM amplifier to the DVAP then connect it to an external antenna? If so, I've been unable to find a 10mW input amplifier for 144 MHz. Any comments? Suggestions on an amp?
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> Greg
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31. Re: Needed Ports??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 18:55:56 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 29 Message: 31

Hi Tim. The DV Access Point Dongle uses the same infrastructure as the DV Dongle. Gateways should already have the ports they need forwarded and there is no requirement for port forwarding local to the DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tim" <k6biv@...> wrote:
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> Hello All:
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> What specific ports (tcp/udp) need to be forwarded for the DV-AP?
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> At the Gateway side?
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> At the Local side?
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> Thanks,
>
> Tim
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32. RE: [DVAPDongle] Needed Ports??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 19:14:59 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 29 Message: 32

For a DVAP user, no specific ports need to be forwarded.
For the Gateway, you should configure for standard DVDongle access.

In other words, no specific settings need to be made for the DVAP to work. I've already used it on cellular cards, home Internet, and Hotel Internet. It won't work on my corporate network because they have all outgoing traffic blocked (except for that which goes through the proxy)

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tim
Sent: Thursday, February 18, 2010 11:38 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Needed Ports??

Hello All:

What specific ports (tcp/udp) need to be forwarded for the DV-AP?

At the Gateway side?

At the Local side?

Thanks,

Tim

33. Command reference: URCALL:

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 20:21:09 UTC
From: k8srb
Topic: 33 Message: 33

Got my new DVAP and being new to D-Star, need clearafication on the URCALL. After linking to the gateway/reflector, do I need to change anything? By the way, the RF portion sure works great! Thanks, Stan, K8SRB

34. RE: [DVAPDongle] Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 18:58:42 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 5 Message: 34

Duffy,

I'm not sure how many orders were taken at Orlando. All of the initial batch was pre-ordered, so no one came up and bought one and received it at the hamfest. Anyone who bought one at the hamfest is now on the waiting list for the next batch. Rumor has it that the second batch is about 2 months away. The majority were shipped from HRO Atlanta last Friday.

Most of the folks on the initial list had been waiting for a number of months. I ordered mine the first week of November and waited 3 months

Until then, you'll just have to wait with eager anticipation. But it's worth the wait! For your position on the waiting list, you'll have to check with HRO.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Beischel
Sent: Monday, February 15, 2010 6:09 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Orlando Hamcation

How many people bought DVAP at the Orlando Hamcation? I just ordered mine this weekend at HRO when I found out orders were being taken.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com<http://www.wb8nut.com>

35. Re: Command reference: URCALL:

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-18 22:29:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 33 Message: 35

Hi Stan. Just put "CQCQCQ " in URCALL to talk once you are linked.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k8srb" <sgrigali@...> wrote:
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> Got my new DVAP and being new to D-Star, need clearafication on the URCALL. After linking to the gateway/reflector, do I need to change anything? By the way, the RF portion sure works great! Thanks, Stan, K8SRB
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37. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 14:45:01 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 5 Message: 37

OK, I'm REAL interested in the Idea, But can we get them form Somewhere OTHER than HRO?..
And in the posts I'd read no $$$?..
My DV-Dongle has been on the back burner here for a While, as Detroit
has NO Repeaters and only a Few Simplex users for the reason, But this could boost the
Detroit/Windsor Area...

Jeff-N8NOE

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@...> wrote:
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> Duffy,
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> Sent: Monday, February 15, 2010 6:09 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Orlando Hamcation
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39. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 20:54:03 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 5 Message: 39

Jeff:
If your DV Dongle has been on the back burner for a while, what are you looking to do with the DVAP? It's unfortunate that there are no repeaters in Detroit (yet), but you can still be active on D-STAR with the Dongle to other cities. By your interest in the DVAP, I'm assuming you already have a D-STAR radio, preferably an HT. With no local repeaters, you will still talk to the same places on either. The DVAP will give you some limited mobility (around the house) with a radio.

One other benefit of the DVAP is creating a mobile "D-STAR coverage zone". I operated my DVAP in the car connected to a laptop with the cellular aircard to provide Internet connectivity. With my HT in the vehicle, I had mobile D-STAR coverage where there were no repeaters.

You are probaly right that if you show off D-STAR with a DVAP, you may generate more interest in D-STAR that hopefully gets a repeater in your area. Good luck and hope to hear you on D-STAR.

John
WB4QDX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "** N8NOE **" <N8NOE@...> wrote:
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40. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 19:06:48 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 5 Message: 40

OK, Order Placed via HRO..
Now I need to do some Reading and Hope there is a OSX version of DVTOOLS for it by the time it comes in..
Jeff-N8NOE

(About 40 Miles N.W. of Detroit, if your in need of a Hotspot when this comes in))

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> Jeff-N8NOE
>
>

41. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 20:42:03 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 5 Message: 41

Jeff,

The price is $249.00. You'll have to check to see if other dealers will carry them. However, I would call Mark at HRO in Atlanta if you are interested.

Also, have you contacted any of the repeater groups in the Detroit area to see if they have any interest in building a D-Star system?

BTW, lived in St. Clair Shores when I was a lot younger.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

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42. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 22:01:10 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 5 Message: 42

Order Placed, and Software Got..
Thought this worked lie the Dongle with Added RF?.. Or is this just the RF Software?..
Jeff-N8NOE

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> Jeff-N8NOE
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43. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 21:30:33 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 5 Message: 43

HRO bought all of the first shipment. I'm not sure what other vendors will have access to the next shipment, but I'm sure HRO will get a good portion of it. You can order it online from HRO for $249.95 USD.

Don't look for the DVAP to cover the Detroit/Windsor area, it's only 10mW.

While it doesn't look like there are any repeaters new downtown Detroit, there does seem to be a few west of town.
K8LCD 46 mi
W8LIV 50 mi
W8SHI 72 mi
K8ETN 93 mi
WB8THD 96 mi

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ** N8NOE **
Sent: Friday, February 19, 2010 9:45 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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44. DVAP Operation Suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 22:36:16 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 44 Message: 44

Hi to all new DVAP users,
Just some thoughts on setting up and using the DVAP device.

Choosing a frequency to operate on should be carefully considered before using the DVAP. The first thing to consider is to follow the band plan for your particular region. The ARRL publishes a band plan document for the US that can be used to narrow your choices.
http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/regulations/bandplan.html

Frequencies to avoid are those in the weak signal and satellite sections of the band and of course all the local repeater input and output frequencies. Also avoid common FM calling frequencies such as 146.52 and Packet frequencies such as used for APRS.
The output power of the DVAP is very low(~10mW) and the antenna is very low gain so the chance of it interfering is quite low since it can only be heard over a small area. However, your hand held(or mobile) D-Star transceiver is quite capable of transmitting over much longer distances so it is important to operate it at as low a power setting as possible and avoid frequencies that may interfere with others. The added benefit of operating at lower power is that your battery life will be extended.

Another frequency range to avoid is from around 147.4 MHz to 147.6 MHz. The DVAP has an internal spur at 147.456 MHz that mixes with the GMSK signal and produces spurious products within this range. Although they are not as strong as the main signal and the DVAP is low power to begin with, one may want to avoid this range unless it is the only one available.

On the receive side, since the DVAP most likely will be physically located very close to a PC and assorted digital devices, it is very likely that there will be all sorts of interference to the DVAP on various frequencies. One way to find a clean frequency is to put your hand held radio in FM mode and open up the squelch. Tune around the area of interest and listen for interfering signals which are indicated by either quieting of the noise or assorted squeals and buzzes characteristic of computer generated noise. Locating the DVAP as far away from your PC will also help. Another indication of interference is by looking at the RSSI (Receive Signal Strength Indication) that is displayed on DVAPTool. A normal reading without a signal should only be 1 to 3 bars.

The squelch setting is not that important for DStar receivers. On the DVAP it is only used to qualify voice packets that are received without a header. This reduces the chance that a bogus voice packet will be received in the noise. A mid range setting should be fine. There is no sensitivity advantage to have the squelch completely open or completely closed.

An external outdoor antenna can be used to extend the range somewhat. As an example an outdoor vertical antenna on my roof extended the range to around 1000m. Of course your range will depend on all the normal factors such as height, antenna gain, etc.

It may be tempting to try and extend the range of the DVAP even more by adding a power amplifier to it. This is NOT a good idea for several reasons.
Primarily, the DVAP was NOT designed to produce as clean a signal that a full blown transceiver is required to produce. While the DVAP GMSK signal is quite pure, it does produce a higher phase noise floor due to the simple single chip transceiver design. What

this means is that for low power, the noise floor is not an issue but if amplified, then it may interfere with adjacent frequencies.

The DVAP receiver is not as sensitive as a normal radio and also has less selectivity so would produce sub-par performance if one were to try and use it for long range operation or in a noisy urban environment.

The DVAP works quite well for its intended purpose as a short range radio transceiver but not as a high power "Hot Spot" transceiver for serving a wide area.

The DVAP frequency reference is not temperature compensated so will drift with temperature. It is calibrated at normal room temperatures and will be ok in the normal home/office environments however may drift several KHz if placed in extreme temperatures such as in a car in the hot sun or outside during the winter.

Sorry for the long winded post but it may be helpful in setting up and using this new type device. I plan on publishing more technical information in the coming weeks when things calm down a bit.

73's
Moe, ae4jy

45. Re: First DVAP in VK

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 22:55:58 UTC
From: vk8hf
Topic: 36 Message: 45

Make that second ...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> Working great, thanks Robin & HRO
>
> Sceenshot here testing on fedora 12.
>
> http://vk4tux.no-ip.org/dvap_dvtool.jpg
>
> 73
>
> vk4tux
>

46. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-19 15:16:26 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 5 Message: 46

Jeff,

I'm curious as to how this will "boost the Detroit/Windsor Area"

Fran, W1FJM

On Fri, Feb 19, 2010 at 9:45 AM, ** N8NOE ** <N8NOE@...> wrote:

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> Jeff-N8NOE
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47. DVAP and DVDONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 08:58:51 UTC
From: kj6bbp
Topic: 47 Message: 47

This morning while trying the DVAP a DVDongle overroad the QSO.
Two DVAPs where in a QSO when a DVDongle began calling CQ
All were connected to REF001C
Both DVAP users were also running their DVDongles, monitoring the same refelector.
Has this happen to anyone else yet?
May be a issue?
73s,
Mike, KJ6BBP

48. Re: DVAP and DVDONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 14:26:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 47 Message: 48

Hi Mike. This happens when a DV Dongle user connects and then immediately starts transmitting rather than waiting to see if there is a conversation in progress. Users should always listen first before transmitting.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kj6bbp" <mszelaze@...> wrote:
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49. Re: [k6mdd] World Wide DV-AP Net

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 16:14:08 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 49 Message: 49

BTW: This NET will take place on REF014 C...

Thanks,

Tim

On Feb 20, 2010, at 8:04 AM, Tim Barrett wrote:

> Hello All:
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> Another first from the folks in Northern California.
>
> Larry Lecrone, WW6USA has announced the creation of the first WORLD WIDE DV-AP NET to be held on Wednesday evenings @ 6:00PM PST.
>
> This NET is a DV-AP specific NET, but in the interest of "love" as Kathy, KD6USA put it, everyone is welcome.
>
> 73 and enjoy the NET.
>
> Tim
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50. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 14:27:16 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 5 Message: 50

We have ZERO Repeaters and in need of some kind of Hotspot/or Access point in the Area..
This will be at least some way to get some activity in the Area for those that are not able to make the 2 Repeaters Well WEST of the Metro Area. If you look at a Map, you can start in Ohio and Drive to Flint Michigan before you get ANY kind of D-Star Repeaters..
MY thought is to make this a HOTSPOT with some kind of coverage on 45.670 Simplex to keep those that do still have Radios in the Area, a Way to gain access .....
Jeff-N8NOE

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Francis Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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51. Re: Orlando Hamcation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 14:33:56 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 5 Message: 51

Hey Duffy;
There have been Rumors of interest for a Few Years now, but Nada..
The GM Radio club is one that always had the new stuff and got it running as one example there repeater on the Ren-cen (Picture Detroit, the Tall Round Building) is now the GM HQ.
There Repeater Antenna is on top. But even they haven't done anything.
Tried to talk to some of the EOC's and same thing in S.E-MI..
Jeff

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> BTW, lived in St. Clair Shores when I was a lot younger.
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52. gateway list question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 15:10:59 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 52 Message: 52

I am wondering when the gateway list gets loaded into the DVAPtool and if it gets refreshed periodically while the tool is running. The reason for the question is that yesterday, several of us started our DVAPtool while reflector 10 was inaccessible. Then ref 10 became accessible but we couldn't link to it unless we closed the DVAPtool completely and restarted it.

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

53. World Wide DV-AP Net

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 16:04:25 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 53 Message: 53

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54. Metro Detroit...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 14:38:30 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 54 Message: 54

A Quick Note about Detroit and surrounding Areas. YES this area is still here but Dying Faster than Ever.
There are ZERO Repeater Pairs (According to the Michigan Repeater Council) for the Entire Southern 3/4 of Lower Michigan. So there will be NO NEW machines. And trying to Convince any of the Current Repeater Owners to run D-Star is about impossible. We have one in HELL, Michigan, and one in Howell, Michigan that have Great Coverage for themselves, but much EAST of me you cant get in, and Definitely NOT via Mobile or HT..
Jeff-N8NOE

55. Re: gateway list question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 17:54:30 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 52 Message: 55

Hi Fran. The gateway list is populated when you click "Open" on the device. Close and re-open the device to refresh.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Fran Signature
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> Fran, W1FJM
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56. Have DSL Modem as Firewall - What PORTS can I open to allow DVAP to work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 20:25:52 UTC
From: ava622@verizon.net
Topic: 56 Message: 56

Need to raise the securiy level on my PC.

The DVAP only works with Low pr No security in the
Firewall of my DSL Proline 6100 Modem/Router.

I like to use high or Medium Security. Anyone know
what Ports I nee to make active for the DVAP if I
want higher security.

Mike
WB6DJI

Attached file in files section pdf of security
Can I select Medium or Highest and get the DVAP
to work, Only works at None or Low levels

see Proline-DSL-Modem_pdf.pdf file

58. RE: [DVAPDongle] Metro Detroit...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 22:20:24 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 54 Message: 58

There are ZERO UHF repeater pairs on 440? There are ZERO UHF repeater pairs on 1.2GHz? Sounds a little strange to me.

And I think that you are missing everyone's point about the DVAP "covering the area" It's a 10mW transmitter and a receiver that isn't designed for repeater operation. The only coverage that you will get is your house.

I'd be really surprised if you can't get a repeater pair for 440. It also looks as if Michigan is attempting to put some D-STAR repeaters in between FM repeater channels on 144 and 440 MHz.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ** N8NOE **
Sent: Saturday, February 20, 2010 9:39 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Metro Detroit...

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Jeff-N8NOE

59. Receive Mode Only?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 01:52:21 UTC
From: choneyfi
Topic: 59 Message: 59

Hello,

My callsign is registered on the gateway but whenever I try to connect my DV Access Point dongle to a reflector, it says "remote system connected, receive mode only." I have made sure my call sign is entered correctly into the software etc.

I am just using my regular callsign without the "A" appended to it.

In the cmd window, it says login OK, transmit not permitted. Anyone have any idea what I am going wrong? I made sure the calsign that I entered in the software matches the same call sign I have in my radio under "My Call Sign"

Thanks

KG6FIV

Craig

60. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: gateway list question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 21:31:07 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 52 Message: 60

Thanks Robin, thats good to know.

Fran, W1FJM

On Sat, Feb 20, 2010 at 12:54 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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>
> Hi Fran. The gateway list is populated when you click "Open" on the device.
> Close and re-open the device to refresh.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, Francis
> Miele <fran@...> wrote:
> >
> > I am wondering when the gateway list gets loaded into the DVAPtool and if
> it
> > gets refreshed periodically while the tool is running. The reason for the
> > question is that yesterday, several of us started our DVAPtool while
> > reflector 10 was inaccessible. Then ref 10 became accessible but we
> couldn't
> > link to it unless we closed the DVAPtool completely and restarted it.
> >
> > Fran Signature
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> > Fran, W1FJM
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61. Re: Metro Detroit...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-20 23:27:23 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 54 Message: 61

Jeff,

Then until someone wants to change and existing system to a D-Star repeater you have two choices. Use the DVAP for just around your house and yard....or, get a hotspot which depending on antenna, could give you several miles of coverage...or ten or more miles, depending how high you can get the antenna.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "** N8NOE **" <N8NOE@...> wrote:
>
> A Quick Note about Detroit and surrounding Areas. YES this area is still here but Dying Faster than Ever.
> There are ZERO Repeater Pairs (According to the Michigan Repeater Council) for the Entire Southern 3/4 of Lower Michigan. So there will be NO NEW machines. And trying to Convince any of the Current Repeater Owners to run D-Star is about impossible. We have one in HELL, Michigan, and one in Howell, Michigan that have Great Coverage for themselves, but much EAST of me you cant get in, and Definitely NOT via Mobile or HT..
> Jeff-N8NOE
>

62. Re: Metro Detroit...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 14:01:48 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 54 Message: 62

Ed;
I Think there might be some 440 Pairs, but Even back some Years there were NO 220 Pairs. The MARC (Michigan Repeater Council) seems to just not want to clear up some Paper Repeaters.. As for Coverage area, I was going to use the IC-2820 to Cross band into the DVAP, this would allow a Link to a Friend in Windsor and give some (Albeit weak) coverage and allow some use. Thinking if I do this, and someone 10miles away does it, and 10 from them at least have a way to communicate. A simple Idea..
Jeff-N8NOE

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@...> wrote:
>
> There are ZERO UHF repeater pairs on 440? There are ZERO UHF repeater pairs on 1.2GHz? Sounds a little strange to me.
>
> And I think that you are missing everyone's point about the DVAP "covering the area" It's a 10mW transmitter and a receiver that isn't designed for repeater operation. The only coverage that you will get is your house.
>
> I'd be really surprised if you can't get a repeater pair for 440. It also looks as if Michigan is attempting to put some D-STAR repeaters in between FM repeater channels on 144 and 440 MHz.
>
>
> Ed WA4YIH
>
> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ** N8NOE **
> Sent: Saturday, February 20, 2010 9:39 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Metro Detroit...
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>

63. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Mode Only?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 14:49:34 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 59 Message: 63

I check and you DO NOT appear to be registered wi the call sign KG6FIV. Your radio will work even though yoiu are not registered.

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

On Sat, Feb 20, 2010 at 8:52 PM, choneyfi <craig_honeyfield@...>wrote:

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> Hello,
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> My callsign is registered on the gateway but whenever I try to connect my
> DV Access Point dongle to a reflector, it says "remote system connected,
> receive mode only." I have made sure my call sign is entered correctly into
> the software etc.
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> I am just using my regular callsign without the "A" appended to it.
>
> In the cmd window, it says login OK, transmit not permitted. Anyone have
> any idea what I am going wrong? I made sure the calsign that I entered in
> the software matches the same call sign I have in my radio under "My Call
> Sign"
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> Thanks
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> KG6FIV
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> Craig
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64. Re: Metro Detroit...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 14:04:32 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 54 Message: 64

Duffy;
There is NOW a Hotspot in Windsor (VE3LDJ), and my thought was to use my 2820 to crossband into the DVAP, and create a link direct. This would allow 440 in my Area and 2 meter in Detroit/Windsor area.
YOU'D really think this area would have a Machine or any of the County EOC's would have something going...
Jeff-N8NOE

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Beischel" <beischel@...> wrote:
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> Jeff,
>
> Then until someone wants to change and existing system to a D-Star repeater you have two choices. Use the DVAP for just around your house and yard....or, get a hotspot which depending on antenna, could give you several miles of coverage...or ten or more miles, depending how high you can get the antenna.
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> Duffy
> www.wb8nut.com

65. Re: Receive Mode Only?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 18:23:56 UTC
From: choneyfi
Topic: 59 Message: 65

OK, so even though I can access linked repeaters on the gateway via my 91AD, I still don't have a gateway account? Wow. I will talk to my admin and get that sorted out.

Thanks!

Craig
KG6FIV

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Francis Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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> Fran Signature
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> > Thanks
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> > KG6FIV
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> > Craig
> >
> >
> >
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66. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Mode Only?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 16:46:08 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 59 Message: 66

Craig,
You must log into D-Star registered site and add
KG6FIV A and another ip address will be assigned to you.
This was the same site you initially registered for D-Star.

It takes about two hrs to update the logs.

Then enter KG6FIV A into DVAP window.

Give that a try
Mike WB6DJI

From: choneyfi <craig_honeyfield@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sat, February 20, 2010 5:52:21 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Receive Mode Only?

Hello,

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Thanks

KG6FIV

Craig

67. DVAP Access ???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-21 19:34:36 UTC
From: Dale Grant
Topic: 67 Message: 67

Just wondering if I have a problem with my DVAP of maybe the DVAP has the problem. Using a 91AD.

My problem is that most of my transmission are to my self. If I am not watching the computer I never know if I am going out the dongle or its just going nowhere. I do notice that the signal seems to be ok but there is no data showing up in the Mycall and UR settings. When no data shows I do not go any where and under test I may have to key my radio 4 or 5 times before any data shows up. When there is data is works well. Also I do not seem to get any range. Maybe 30 yards before it will not work anymore however I can certainly hear it a long ways. I have tried different locations, cables and another computer, results are the same. I even tried it with my base station which is a Icom 800. Same results.

Wondering if any one else has this issue or should I be sending this unit back. A friend of mine locally should have his in the coming week. I will see what his results are.

Dale / VE6CPK

68. Re: DVAP Access ???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-22 00:52:21 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 67 Message: 68

Hi Dale. Try changing the frequency by a megahertz or so. You might have some interference that you do not hear.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dale Grant <dalegrant@...> wrote:
>
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> the problem. Using a 91AD.
>
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> unit back. A friend of mine locally should have his in the coming
> week. I will see what his results are.
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> Dale / VE6CPK
>

69. Next DVAP for Australia

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-22 05:52:34 UTC
From: ian_vk2hk
Topic: 69 Message: 69

Well my DVAP arrived today, installed the software onto my Windows 64bit machine and tested it, all worked OK for short overs of about 10 seconds, if I continue to talk past that the DVAPTools goes into an error and drops out. Loaded it onto my netbook running XP and all works fine, so it has a problem with "my" 64 bit PC. I will eventually be running it off a Linux netbook, so hopefully those issues will be gone.

Great work Robin, love it, gives me freedom around my property to use my 92AD.
I will also be setting it up at our Wyong Field day this Sunday 28th Feb.

Ian

70. Re: Next DVAP for Australia

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-22 18:25:04 UTC
From: mrgadgetfl
Topic: 69 Message: 70

Ian,

DVAP works fine on my Windows 7 Home Premium 64-bit system. I've had it running over 24 hours frequently.

Wayne, K4GQS

71. Re: Next DVAP for Australia

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-22 23:22:41 UTC
From: ian_vk2hk
Topic: 69 Message: 71

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mrgadgetfl" <wayne@...> wrote:
>
> Ian,
>
> DVAP works fine on my Windows 7 Home Premium 64-bit system. I've had it running over 24 hours frequently.
>
> Wayne, K4GQS
>

After restarting my PC, all seems to be working fine now on the 64bit machine.

Ian

72. Question on "Station Callsign" Lock Callsign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-22 23:46:38 UTC
From: ian_vk2hk
Topic: 72 Message: 72

On testing I have found that selecting the "lock callsign" box will still allow me to transmit the locked callsign, no matter what extension I use for that callsign. So it looks as though the software looks for the callsign only and ignores the extension, I am assuming this is correct?

Ian

73. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Next DVAP for Australia

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-23 01:30:32 UTC
From: Craig Honeyfield
Topic: 69 Message: 73

In order to get DVAP to run on my Windows 7 Home 64 bit machine, I had to download the drivers manually from the site listed in the setup page (http://www.dvapdongle.com). I then clicked on the unknown device in device manager and pointed it to the drivers I downloaded. Everything worked great after that.

Craig

KG6FIV

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: wayne@...
Date: Mon, 22 Feb 2010 18:25:04 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Next DVAP for Australia

Ian,

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http://clk.atdmt.com/GBL/go/201469226/direct/01/

75. Re: Question on "Station Callsign" Lock Callsign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-23 14:30:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 72 Message: 75

Hi Ian. That is correct. You can have "VK2HK A" as your station call and "VK2HK " as your radio mycall and make it through with the "lock callsign" box checked.

Thanks for pointing this out.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ian_vk2hk" <ian@...> wrote:
>
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> Ian
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76. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Next DVAP for Australia

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-23 20:01:14 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 69 Message: 76

With a Windows 7 x64 machine that was connected to the Internet, the drivers were automatically downloaded and installed for my system. Just make sure that the system is connected to the Internet and that you haven't said no to any of the auto-install driver questions in the past. And you probably want to plug in the device after you are booted and logged on.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Craig Honeyfield
Sent: Monday, February 22, 2010 8:31 PM
To: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Next DVAP for Australia

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77. Registration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-23 19:18:02 UTC
From: Jess
Topic: 77 Message: 77

I received my DVAP on Saturday. I played with it a little bit on Sunday but never heard anyone. It seemed to be working correctly.... but:

Robin's instructions say, "It is recommended that you go to the gateway where you registered and add a terminal entry with an "A" in the initial field".

Unfortunately the gateway where I'm registered (K2DIG) is having technical issues and is evidently not communicating with the trust servers. I believe someone from that group will have to go to the site to reset their gateway box. So here's my question: Must I await the the registration server to "return to health" before I can use my DVAP?

Jess Girard
ND1L

78. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-23 21:16:02 UTC
From: Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Topic: 74 Message: 78

thanks Adrian,

So that would be a computer running D-RATS hooked to a D-STAR radio (icom or not?) with a DVAP linked to a repeater or reflector?

That is pretty nice. We can use that to demo all this at Winterfest in NoVa this coming weekend. We have several icom radios and the DVAP but might just be out of range of one of our gateway connected repeaters.

73, Tom n4zpt

On 2/23/2010 8:57 AM, Adrian wrote:
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79. Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 10:08:01 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 74 Message: 79

The One thing I notice is the "FREQUENCY" on the DVAP Tools..
Being on 70cm would be a blessing for me.. Tell me this was no Mistake..

Jeff-N8NOE

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Tom Azlin N4ZPT <tom@...> wrote:
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80. Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 04:34:42 UTC
From: kj6bbp
Topic: 74 Message: 80

Two of tried it and had no success, Please discribe how you connected.

Thanks,

Mike
KJ6BBP

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
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82. Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 13:23:27 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 74 Message: 82

PSE Frequency Showing?...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> On Tue, 2010-02-23 at 16:16 -0500, Tom Azlin N4ZPT wrote:
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> >
> > thanks Adrian,
> >
> > So that would be a computer running D-RATS hooked to a D-STAR radio
> > (icom or not?) with a DVAP linked to a repeater or reflector?
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>
> ThatÂ´s correct Tom, The d-rats program is connected (serial) to the
> 92AD
> and passes text, gps etc fine both ways via the DVAP .
>
> 73
>
> vk4tux
>

83. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 15:35:51 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 74 Message: 83

Mike,

There should be no difference in using D-RATS with a radio with a repeater, then with a DVAP.

The easiest way to describe the configuration would be to use two computers. On computer 1, you have a D-STAR radio with DRATS and a serial connection to a radio. This is the normal configuration for DRATS.

On computer 2, you have a DVAP and an Internet connection. The radio and the DVAP are set for the same frequency.

On the radio, you run DRATS just as you would if you are using a repeater. (except for the radio linking commands)

You can combine the two functions together on one computer, but you don't get any additional functionality.

You can't use DRATS to talk directly to the DVAP software. DRATS talks to a radio, the radio talks to DVAP, DVAP connects to the DSTAR network.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kj6bbp
Sent: Tuesday, February 23, 2010 11:35 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap and d-rats work together

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84. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 17:16:42 UTC
From: Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Topic: 74 Message: 84

Set up a small cross band relay using FM rcvr and xmtr with suitable bandpass for GMSK?

At last year's Hamvention Robin said the first one would be 2m only with possible future versions having wider range.

Tom/n4zpt

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86. RE: [DVAPDongle] dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 15:39:27 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 74 Message: 86

To keep people from being confused, I would recommend setting up the DVAP-> Internet connection on one computer on one side of the booth and then setting up the DRATS -> Radio connection on the other side.

That also allow two conversations with attendees to take place, one showing the data capabilities, the other showing the DVAP capabilities.

Now, of course, in the center of the booth you have another computer with a DVDongle!

If you’ve got the room, then you also bring out 2 ID-1s to talk to each other.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Sent: Tuesday, February 23, 2010 4:16 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap and d-rats work together

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87. RE: [DVAPDongle] Registration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 15:27:18 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 77 Message: 87

Jess,

You don't have to add the additional registration. I wouldn't even recommend doing so myself. The DVAP works absolutely fine without it.

Take a look at the nets listing at http://www.dstarinfo.com/Nets/Nets.aspx and connect to one of the many nets listed this evening and see if you can hear anything.

Since you mentioned that you heard nothing, let me go through some basic steps to make sure that you are using it correctly.

Just sitting there, the DVAP doesn't do anything. To make it do something, you will have to issue commands to it from your radio.
You need to make sure that the DVAP and the radio are on the same frequency and that the radio is on simplex.
When you key the radio, you should see your callsign on the DVAP software. (Make sure that you are a couple of feet from the DVAP and on low power, the DVAP receiver can easily be overloaded).
For first test, program in the DVAP the Information request command (DVAP***I in the UR field) (RPT1 and RPT2 are not used in simplex)
Press the PTT for about a second, when you unkey, you should hear the DVAP respond.

For the next test, program the DVAP with the Echo Test command (DVAP***E in the UR field) (RPT1 and RPT2 are not used in simplex)
Press the PTT and say something, the DVAP will then respond with what you said.

Next you need to link to a reflector, for testing, use REF001C, one of the busiest reflectors in the world. Program your radio with the reflector name and the L in the UR field. (REF001CL in the UR field) (RPT1 and RPT2 are not used in simplex)
Press the PTT for about a second, when you unkey, you should hear "Remote System Connected" from the DVAP.

Change your UR field to CQCQCQ and you should be able to talk to anyone.

Use the U command to unlink or hit the button on the software.

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Jess Girard
ND1L

88. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-24 15:30:27 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 74 Message: 88

Jeff,

The frequency really doesn't matter. As long as your radio and the DVAP are set for the same frequency, then things should work.

Why is a specific frequency band an issue for you?

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ** N8NOE **
Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2010 5:08 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap and d-rats work together

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Being on 70cm would be a blessing for me.. Tell me this was no Mistake..

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89. record a file for the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-25 03:05:04 UTC
From: kb4lsl
Topic: 89 Message: 89

Need some help on recording files for the DVAP so that I can change the intro message.

90. Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-25 03:30:54 UTC
From: kj6bbp
Topic: 74 Message: 90

That is what what we tried,

Have sucess with 1.2 & 440 on repeaters and 440 simplex drats using ID1 & 92AD

Will have to try again,

Just want to see if I was doing some wrong,

Thanks,

73s,

Mike, KJ6BBP

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@...> wrote:
>
> Mike,
>
> There should be no difference in using D-RATS with a radio with a repeater, then with a DVAP.
>
> The easiest way to describe the configuration would be to use two computers. On computer 1, you have a D-STAR radio with DRATS and a serial connection to a radio. This is the normal configuration for DRATS.
>
> On computer 2, you have a DVAP and an Internet connection. The radio and the DVAP are set for the same frequency.
>
> On the radio, you run DRATS just as you would if you are using a repeater. (except for the radio linking commands)
>
> You can combine the two functions together on one computer, but you don't get any additional functionality.
>
> You can't use DRATS to talk directly to the DVAP software. DRATS talks to a radio, the radio talks to DVAP, DVAP connects to the DSTAR network.
>
>
> Ed WA4YIH
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kj6bbp
> Sent: Tuesday, February 23, 2010 11:35 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap and d-rats work together
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> Two of tried it and had no success, Please discribe how you connected.
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> Thanks,
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> Mike
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91. Re: dvap and d-rats work together

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-25 13:44:34 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 74 Message: 91

Ed;
If I can have the DVAP on 70cm, I could have the 145.670 (DV Simplex Freq) on the IC-2820 and use it to Cross-band.
There is a small group 5-6 Local that use Simplex and we meet up, But 2 of the Guys only have the 2Meter Icom for D-Star, not Dual Band Radios. THIS would give them Access to some of the Features that are available. Really Suprized that the Metro Detroit Area has NO Repeaters, this might keep some interest and be used as such till something does happen. BUT being on 70cm low power and 2Meter High for Cross-Band would be the best in this area for Now...
Jeff-N8NOE

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92. Re: Registration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-25 14:54:41 UTC
From: Jess
Topic: 77 Message: 92

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> Jess Girard
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93. Feel like i'm in the ARMY?..

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-25 16:08:48 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 93 Message: 93

OK, been reading and Got the HRO order in, but NOW I feel like I'm back in the Army..
The Hurry-up and Wait thing.. Getting Antsy for the DVAP to show up..

Jeff-N8NOE

94. DVAP System Requirements

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-25 18:01:22 UTC
From: Kike EA5KGD
Topic: 94 Message: 94

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Would you provide the computer requirements for Windows, McOS or Linux? Are they the same as the DV DONGLE? I ask because I have not found this information in nowhere. Sorry if this question is already answered.

73,

Kike EA5KGD

95. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP System Requirements

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-26 02:24:40 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 94 Message: 95

I'm not sure if they've been posted, bit they should be the same as the DVDongle.

In other words, most any modern architecture (something less than 5 years old) should run it with no issues. Lots of folks have them running on Netbooks.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Kike EA5KGD
Sent: Thursday, February 25, 2010 1:01 PM
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96. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP System Requirements

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-26 03:42:48 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 94 Message: 96

DVAP Requirements
PC/MAC
1.6+ GHz Intel/AMD CPU
Windows/MacOS/Linux
USB Ports
Internet Service
2 meter D-Star Radio
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Mike WB6DJI

From: Kike EA5KGD <ea5kgd@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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97. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-26 02:22:45 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 77 Message: 97

Sounds like it might have been working. As much traffic as it gets there are times when REF001C can go quiet for a long time.

Pick one of the net times at http://www.dstarinfo.com/Nets/Nets.aspx and you should hear some activity.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jess
Sent: Thursday, February 25, 2010 9:55 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration Question

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98. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP System Requirements

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-26 06:44:32 UTC
From: Kike EA5KGD
Topic: 94 Message: 98

Thanks so much for yours comments, Ed and Mike!

I thought it required a 2.0 + GHz. Intel/AMD CPU.

:)

73,

Kike EA5KGD

----- Original Message -----
From: Michael Aust
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, February 26, 2010 4:42 AM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP System Requirements

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99. Error Launching on Mac OS X 10.6.2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-28 02:05:09 UTC
From: dewaynea
Topic: 99 Message: 99

Located the problem. There were two copies of the software in two locations on my hard drive.

Removed the one in the general Applications folder and everything is working!

Thanks Robin!

--Dewayne

100. Error on launch of DVAPTool 1.0.1 on Mac OS X 10.6.2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-02-28 00:43:13 UTC
From: dewaynea
Topic: 100 Message: 100

When launching DVAPTool 1.0.1 the application immediately crashes and I get this error message from the system:

```
Dyld Error Message:
Library not loaded: QtGui.framework/Versions/4/QtGui
Referenced from: /Applications/DVAPTool.app/Contents/MacOS/DVAPTool
Reason: image not found
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Has anyone experienced this? Any ideas?

73!

--Dewayne

102. Re: PR-92 programming

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-04 21:13:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 94 Message: 102

Hi Adrian. When you place the IC92 into simplex operation mode, it automatically fills RPT1 and RPT2 with DIRECT. I placed that in the example (and my programming) to show what is going on.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> Robin,
> In http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAP-RS92-prog.JPG
>
> I note you have DIRECT entered in the RPT 1 & 2 fields.
> Is this required, or allow better functionality, as I have nothing in
> those fields?
>
> 73
>
> vk4tux
>

103. 70cm version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-06 07:04:50 UTC
From: michaelcarey69
Topic: 103 Message: 103

Hi Everybody,

Does anyone know if there will be a 70cm version of the DVAP?
I've already got too much in the way of 2m gear running at my house (IRLP node, APRS I-Gate, plus all the other electronic gear that seems to radiate noise on 2m).
I've tried running my 2m DV Node Adapter Hot Spot at home and the other services knock it around a bit.

Michael.
VK5ZEA

104. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-06 18:06:12 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 103 Message: 104

Here is a link to the ADF7021 Transceiver chip in the DVAP

http://www.analog.com/static/imported-files/data_sheets/ADF7021.pdf

Looks like 70cm could be done.

Mike WB6DJI

From: michaelcarey69 <michaelcarey@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Fri, March 5, 2010 11:04:50 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] 70cm version

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105. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-06 18:00:25 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 103 Message: 105

The DVAP uses Analog Devices ADF-7021 transceiver IC.

The transceiver IC in the DVAP can work from 80 MHz to 940 MHz
I believe the IF is 200KHz. Looks like it can work on 70cm.
The software to enter frequency would need to be opened up to allow 70cm input
and possibly the reference oscillator and settings for the frequency, depends on
frequency, divide by 2, etc. see data sheet from analog devices..
****
FEATURES
Low power, low IF transceiver Frequency bands 80 MHz to 650 MHz 862 MHz to 940 MHz
Modulation schemes 2FSK, 3FSK, 4FSK Spectral shaping Gaussian and raised-cosine filtering
Data rates supported 0.05 kbps to 25 kbps 2.3 V to 3.6 V power supply Programmable output
power −16 dBm to +13 dBm in 63 steps Automatic PA ramp control Receiver sensitivity −125
dBm at 1 kbps, 2 FSK On-chip VCO and fractional-N PLL
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The link to more data is below
http://rfdesign.com/mag/610RFD30.pdf
Also there is a pdf fil on the analog devices website you can download on the ADF-7021
Mike

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106. Re: 70cm version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-07 13:37:59 UTC
From: ** N8NOE **
Topic: 103 Message: 106

DON'T it Figure, I'm waiting for the 2M version and a 70cm Version would work GREAT for me Here also..
Oh, Well, maybe in Dayton this could appear and I'll swap mine out..
Jeff-N8NOE

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> Does anyone know if there will be a 70cm version of the DVAP?
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> I've tried running my 2m DV Node Adapter Hot Spot at home and the other services knock it around a bit.
>
> Michael.
> VK5ZEA
>

107. voice response

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-18 14:17:21 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 107 Message: 107

When I send the "I" in the eight position the only announcement that I get is that which says DV access point. Is that all I am supposed to get or am I suppose to get a link status of some type?

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Fran, W1FJM

108. Re: voice response

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-19 12:39:10 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 107 Message: 108

Hi Fran. You will get the link status in your message field, not via voice. You will also get the currently linked system in the message field when you unkey from a transmission.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Francis Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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> Fran, W1FJM
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109. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: voice response

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-19 12:45:11 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 107 Message: 109

Thanks Robin!

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Fran

On Fri, Mar 19, 2010 at 8:39 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@interlabs.com> wrote:

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>
> Hi Fran. You will get the link status in your message field, not via voice.
> You will also get the currently linked system in the message field when you
> unkey from a transmission.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > Fran, W1FJM
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110. DVAP and DPRS data

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-20 18:49:27 UTC
From: Francis
Topic: 110 Message: 110

I see the DVAP passes gps data when i transmit from my 92AD with gps mic, however, it doesn't seem to pass it correctly. If I transmit via our repeater my location appears on the APRS system. When I switch to the DVAP, my location does not appear.

Is the DVAP supposed to be passing the data?

Fran, W1FJM

111. Re: DVAP and DPRS data

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-21 12:20:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 110 Message: 111

Hi Fran. The gps data is passed through to the network. Remember that it is DStarMonitor on the gateway systems that collects the gps data and passes it to the APRS network. DStarMonitor is watching the link between the controller and the gateway pc for gps data originating from the RF module. Your DVAP data does not pass through DStarMontior from the RF module so it is not passed into the APRS network.

One of the enhancements to DVAPTool I hope to make is parsing the gps data in a similar way to DStarMonitor and passing it to the APRS network.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Francis" <fran@...> wrote:
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> I see the DVAP passes gps data when i transmit from my 92AD with gps mic, however, it doesn't seem to pass it correctly. If I transmit via our repeater my location appears on the APRS system. When I switch to the DVAP, my location does not appear.
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> Is the DVAP supposed to be passing the data?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
>

112. DVAP shipping from HRO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-24 11:20:05 UTC
From: craigkv5e
Topic: 112 Message: 112

Hi all, I received a call from Mark at HRO/Atlanta that my DVAP is being shipped from back order at this time.

I am inferring that all back orders prior to 13 MAR 10 have been received and are to ship, although I am *swagging* this from their notice on the DVAP order bin online.

Thanks Robin for getting the next batch out in a timely fashion!

Craig KV5E

113. Noob question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-25 06:46:17 UTC
From: SamuelA
Topic: 113 Message: 113

Reading the available info on DVAP, I just want to clarify: can DVAP be used also exactly like the old dongle, with a microphone through the computer soundboard without the 2 meter radio?
Thanks much,
Sam
KE6QGZ

114. Re: DVAP shipping from HRO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-24 15:02:41 UTC
From: Stephen
Topic: 112 Message: 114

FWIW, I ordered my DVAP on 16 March and am in this group of back orders, so I am very happy!

Yes, thanks to Robin for keeping the mill running and a special thanks to Mark at HRO Atlanta for getting all those back orders out in such a timely manner!

I live in an area where getting into the local DSTAR machines is difficult, so I am really looking forward to having the DVAP. The local reviews have been incredibly positive and there seems to be a lot of excitement and creativity generated by this great new tool.

Peace and Good,
Stephen W3SMK

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> I am inferring that all back orders prior to 13 MAR 10 have been received and are to ship, although I am *swagging* this from their notice on the DVAP order bin online.
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>
> Craig KV5E
>

115. Re: Noob question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-25 11:58:15 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 113 Message: 115

Hi Sam. The DV Access Point Dongle does not have DV Dongle functionality. The DV Dongle has an AMBE chip and the DVAP uses the AMBE chip in your radio.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "SamuelA" <sappel@...> wrote:
>
> Reading the available info on DVAP, I just want to clarify: can DVAP be used also exactly like the old dongle, with a microphone through the computer soundboard without the 2 meter radio?
> Thanks much,
> Sam
> KE6QGZ
>

116. Is a DVAP an Auxiliary Station?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-25 20:19:08 UTC
From: kn4aq
Topic: 116 Message: 116

Here's something to chew on: is the DVAP an Auxiliary station:

(7) Auxiliary station. An amateur station, other than in a message forwarding system, that is transmitting communications point-to-point within a system of cooperating amateur stations.

or... not?

In reality, this is a self-declared kind of thing, as the definition is really broad (until the FCC tells you different, which usually takes one of our more thick-headed members to push the issue with them. And by bringing it up here, perhaps I qualify, but I'm not going to ask them directly).

If you think it might be an auxiliary station, your frequency choice is somewhat limited. You can't operate below 144.5, or between 145.8 and 146.0. Most of that spectrum should be avoided anyway, but it's just something to think about.

73,
Gary KN4AQ
now happily DVAPping

117. how to connect dvap to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 08:04:42 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 117 Message: 117

how do i connect the dvap dongle directly to a repeater? ie, i want to connect to a dstar system in the stl mo area, how would i set the dvap to do that?

118. Re: DVAP shipping from HRO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 02:35:22 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 112 Message: 118

Got mine and it's up and running! Great tool! One of the neatest tools I've added to the ham gear in a long time... Mark- N4YAV

119. Re: how to connect dvap to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 11:40:39 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 117 Message: 119

Hi Mark. To link to a repeater or reflector, place the callsign of that system in the first six characters of the urcall field. Then put the target module in character seven and "L" in character eight. For example, if you want to link to W4DOC module C, use "W4DOC CL" in urcall.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mark" <kb0tpz@...> wrote:
>
> how do i connect the dvap dongle directly to a repeater? ie, i want to connect to a dstar system in the stl mo area, how would i set the dvap to do that?
>

120. DVAP issue..??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 15:26:25 UTC
From: Richard Ranson
Topic: 120 Message: 120

Received my DVAP last night and have noticed consistently the tool shows -47dbm receive signal, but no data displays in the MY UR R1 R2 as if it isn't receiving data. Noise floor is -110dbm. I do have settings correct as of this posting am connected to REF 2 C. I have made several successful contacts through the DVAP but am noticing this issue occur frequently even in the middle of a QSO where the DVAP shows received signal strength but no data display or data going back to the connected station...

Rich
KD9Q

121. DVAP with eeePC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 14:02:02 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 121 Message: 121

Got the DVAP yesterday. Originally had it set-up on a Windows machine I use as web/mail server in the basement office.

This morning I decided to see how it would work connected to an eeePC (original 701, but with Ubuntu OS). The eeePC is connected wirelessly to the home network.

To my surprise (only because of the little Linux laptop and wireless Ethernet) it seems to work OK. Connected to the 030A reflector and chatted with KJ4VO and W4CPU in Atlanta.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

122. Re: DVAP issue..??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 19:51:49 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 120 Message: 122

Hi Rich. There are a few things to check. First, is the "lock callsign" box checked? If so, is the mycall field in your radio matching the station callsign in DVAPTool? Second, what does the text window show when you key up and nothing shows in the dvaptool graphics window? There is a lot of good debug info there. Third, you might try changing the frequency in dvaptool by 1000 Hz in either direction and key up (don't change your HT frequency). It might be that your radio and the dvap are slightly off frequency. Fourth, run the lowest power you can on your HT. You might be overloading the front end of the dvap.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Richard Ranson <richard.ranson@...> wrote:
>
> Received my DVAP last night and have noticed consistently the tool shows
> -47dbm receive signal, but no data displays in the MY UR R1 R2 as if it
> isn't receiving data. Noise floor is -110dbm. I do have settings correct as
> of this posting am connected to REF 2 C. I have made several successful
> contacts through the DVAP but am noticing this issue occur frequently even
> in the middle of a QSO where the DVAP shows received signal strength but no
> data display or data going back to the connected station...
>
> Rich
> KD9Q
>

123. can another hams d star radio use my dvap access point?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-26 20:40:29 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 123 Message: 123

just wondering also if another ham with a dstar radio comes over if he would have any issues with using his radio on the dvap?

thanks
kb0tpz

124. Re: can another hams d star radio use my dvap access point?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-27 12:32:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 123 Message: 124

Hi Mark. Look at the "lock callsign" check box in dvaptool. If it is checked (the default), only your callsign can be used by an RF user. If you uncheck it, anyone can use your dvap.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mark" <kb0tpz@...> wrote:
>
> just wondering also if another ham with a dstar radio comes over if he would have any issues with using his radio on the dvap?
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>
> thanks
> kb0tpz
>

125. Setup and control

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-27 14:43:42 UTC
From: Bill Azar N2WFU
Topic: 125 Message: 125

Hi all, Just got my DVAP delivered, Accidentally checked the call sign lock. anyway to undo it? also How do I set up 91 HT for the w4plb c repeater with 146.580 in HT Simplex? Thanks

Bill Azar N2WFU

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Hotel
Hotel pics, info and virtual tours. Click here to book a hotel online.
http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL2141/c?cp=L5vCX4KfH_sjXjq5rhuhCAAAJ1AnYTZVY4ochvNPXX9DVu0XAAYAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAADNAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAATRAAAAAA=

126. Re: Setup and control

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-27 23:20:15 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 125 Message: 126

Hi Bill. Did you read the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com?

I think your questions are answered there. The "lock callsign" box is a toggle. Just click to turn on or off.

Let me know if you still have questions.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Bill Azar N2WFU" <bill.azar.n2wfu@...> wrote:
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> Bill Azar N2WFU
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>

127. Re: Setup and control

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-27 23:30:06 UTC
From: billn2wfu
Topic: 125 Message: 127

Got it all working fine, easier than I thought with a little help....Thanks

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Bill. Did you read the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com?
>
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> 73,
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128. Customizing Voice Playback

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-28 15:51:42 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 128 Message: 128

Hi all,

Can anyone tell me where to find the voice files that are played when you isue commands to the dvap?? The "Getting Started" info states that the files can be changed and they are located in the folder from which the dvaptool was started. I have looked in this folder and found nothing. I have also did a search for these file and search finds nothing. So can anyone tell me where to find them and if they have been able to change the files.

Thanks,
KC4CGY

129. Re: Customizing Voice Playback

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-29 12:14:46 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 128 Message: 129

Hi. The files are built into the binary. You do not need to "find" them. Simply follow the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com to create new ones. DVAPTool looks for the new files first and falls back to the embedded ones if none are found.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kc4cgy@..." <kc4cgy@...> wrote:
>
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> Thanks,
> KC4CGY
>

130. Re: Customizing Voice Playback

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-29 18:31:50 UTC
From: n1otw
Topic: 128 Message: 130

Robin,
Is it possible to record a file for each connection you might make?
Like "connected to REF001" or "connected to REF002" or is it just connected and disconnected?
If you can do multiple recordings, how does it know to tie the specific recording to the correct reflector etc..?

Thanks,

Patrick
N1OTW

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> 73,
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> > Thanks,
> > KC4CGY
> >
>

131. What are you using for an antenna for the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-29 16:11:08 UTC
From: w4enc
Topic: 131 Message: 131

Wondering what people are trying with the DVAP and what success they are having. I can't wait to see how it goes.

132. Re: Customizing Voice Playback

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-29 19:31:30 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 128 Message: 132

Hi Patrick. The connection message is generic. You cannot record one per gateway/reflector. That could change if people want it.

Have you noticed that when you unkey you see a text message with the status? You can see the connected reflector/gateway that way.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n1otw" <n1otw@...> wrote:
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> Like "connected to REF001" or "connected to REF002" or is it just connected and disconnected?
> If you can do multiple recordings, how does it know to tie the specific recording to the correct reflector etc..?
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> Thanks,
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> Patrick
> N1OTW
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> > >
> > > Thanks,

> > > KC4CGY
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133. Station callsign field

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-29 20:26:53 UTC
From: Julio Peralta
Topic: 133 Message: 133

Just received my new DVAP and been having a lot of fun with it. I have one question; I read where if you have the lock callsign box checked no one else can xmit through the DVAP. However if its not checked can others use it like a low power repeater and whose callsign shows up at the gateway the one that is in the Station Callsign field in DVAP Tool or the callsign of the station xmitting through the DVAP?

Julio, W4HY

134. Re: Customizing Voice Playback

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 00:02:21 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 128 Message: 134

Thanks Robin,
So I record the file I want and it is saved as dvaptool.dvrec, then I rename it to say alreadylinked.dvrec the do the same process for the rest of the voices, is that correct. Also will they go into the binary also or can they be found in the same folder that the dvaptool is in?

Thanks,
Larry
KC4CGY

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> > Thanks,
> > KC4CGY
> >
>

135. Re:What are you using for an antenna for the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 11:31:36 UTC
From: Don Shelton
Topic: 131 Message: 135

When I first started testing the DVAP (in the same room) I found that I needed to get the device as far away as possible from my handheld. If it was too close, it would not transmit. (Green LED flashes) Could not seem to get that symptom to change with squelch control. i.e. too much antenna when very close. My first couple of QSO's dropped until I figured out what was happening.

However! This may be the happiest I have ever been after making a "radio" purchase! It works extremely well and gives new life to my 91AD handheld.

Don K5OK

136. Linux software version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 06:06:59 UTC
From: mark
Topic: 136 Message: 136

Does anybody know if the Linux version routes any info to a log file?

Thanks

Ted
W6SAT

137. Re: Station callsign field

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 12:02:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 133 Message: 137

Hi Julio. When an RF user keys up using the dvap, the report to dstarusers.org is the mycall field of the radio, not the station callsign. That should do what you wish.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Julio Peralta" <jperalta4@...> wrote:
>
> Just received my new DVAP and been having a lot of fun with it. I have one
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> is in the Station Callsign field in DVAP Tool or the callsign of the station
> xmitting through the DVAP?
>
> Julio, W4HY
>

138. Re: Customizing Voice Playback

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 12:05:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 128 Message: 138

Hi Larry. That is correct. Also, the recorded files are not incorporated into the binary, they are read from the starup folder. That makes it easier to get back to "factory defaults" if needed by just removing the files.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kc4cgy@..." <kc4cgy@...> wrote:
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> Thanks Robin,
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> > > KC4CGY
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139. Re: Linux software version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 12:07:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 136 Message: 139

Hi Ted. DVAPTool does not, by default, log to a file. You could start it from a command line like "DVAPTool >dvaptool.log 2>&1 &" and it should save the output to dvaptool.log. I'm considering adding the ability to log both to a window and to a file.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mark" <mpetrina@...> wrote:
>
> Does anybody know if the Linux version routes any info to a log file?
>
> Thanks
>
> Ted
> W6SAT
>

140. Re: Linux software version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 16:53:52 UTC
From: kc4yoz
Topic: 136 Message: 140

See "MAN TEE"

K.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Ted. DVAPTool does not, by default, log to a file. You could start it from a command line like "DVAPTool >dvaptool.log 2>&1 &" and it should save the output to dvaptool.log. I'm considering adding the ability to log both to a window and to a file.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC

141. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Linux software version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 15:49:20 UTC
From: Tom Azlin N4ZPT
Topic: 136 Message: 141

Thanks Robin,

Is there a way to use the little icon you use on the Windows version as the launcher icon on my Ubuntu menu panel? I see how to change the icon just do no have the proper icon file. I guess my first question for you is is permitted to do this? And where would I find the icon. I see the other icons are small .svg files.

Same question for the DVDongle.

73, tom n4zpt

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> start it from a command line like "DVAPTool >dvaptool.log 2>&1 &" and
> it should save the output to dvaptool.log. I'm considering adding
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>> file?
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>> Thanks
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>> Ted W6SAT

142. Re: What are you using for an antenna for the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 16:55:44 UTC
From: kc4yoz
Topic: 131 Message: 142

Diamond SRH999 for now, but I'm thinking about a 1/2 wave coax dipole.

K.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4enc" <w4enc@...> wrote:
>
> Wondering what people are trying with the DVAP and what success they are having. I can't wait to see how it goes.
>

143. Re: Linux software version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 15:42:19 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 136 Message: 143

Log to a file with the command Robin showed, then in a terminal window type "tail -f dvaptool.log". That's working on my system.

73,
Mike, N0SO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi Ted. DVAPTool does not, by default, log to a file. You could start it from a command line like "DVAPTool >dvaptool.log 2>&1 &" and it should save the output to dvaptool.log. I'm considering adding the ability to log both to a window and to a file.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC

147. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Station callsign field

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-30 21:14:07 UTC
From: Julio Peralta
Topic: 133 Message: 147

Thanks for the reply Robin.
Julio, W4HY

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Tuesday, March 30, 2010 8:03 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Station callsign field

Hi Julio. When an RF user keys up using the dvap, the report to
dstarusers.org is the mycall field of the radio, not the station callsign.
That should do what you wish.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Julio Peralta" <jperalta4@...> wrote:
>
> Just received my new DVAP and been having a lot of fun with it. I have one
> question; I read where if you have the lock callsign box checked no one
else
> can xmit through the DVAP. However if its not checked can others use it
like
> a low power repeater and whose callsign shows up at the gateway the one
that
> is in the Station Callsign field in DVAP Tool or the callsign of the
station
> xmitting through the DVAP?
>
> Julio, W4HY
>

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148. Re: Linux software version

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-31 03:21:38 UTC
From: mark
Topic: 136 Message: 148

Thanks for all the suggestions. The "DVAPTool >dvaptool.log 2>&1 &" command used with "tail -f" seemed to do the trick.

Thanks

73
W6SAT
Ted

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mark" <mpetrina@...> wrote:
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>

149. Re: Other DVAP users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-03-31 20:41:40 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 3 Message: 149

Robin,

can you tell me what type of antenna is the stock that comes with the dvap is it comet, diamond, etc, and i know it is pretty small so i guessing it is not rated for lot of power just wondering

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi k4wam.
>
> DVAPTool works using the same protocols as DVTool for the DV Dongle. As a result, there is no "callsign routing" feature so direct connection between DVAP's is not currently supported. Of course, if there is sufficient demand, it can be added.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k4wam" <k4wam@> wrote:
> >
> > Can I connect directly with other DVAP users? Will DVAP user show up on the DPlus monitor web pages?
> >
> > thanks
> > k4wam
> >
>

150. Re: Other DVAP users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-01 12:01:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 3 Message: 150

Hi Mark. The antenna is the equivalent of a Diamond SRH805S tribander. It should do at least 5 watts since it is meant for an HT.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mark" <kb0tpz@...> wrote:
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>
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151. DVAP Test

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-02 02:42:41 UTC
From: k1lva
Topic: 151 Message: 151

Good evening to all. This is a bit of a crazy request, but I havent been able to reach anybody on any of the reflectors or repeaters. I registered my DVAP on the gateway that I have the rest of my equipment registered on. The call I registered with does have an "A" in the eighth character. I can connect and disconnect without problem, and transmissions seem to be getting through, but nobody answeres.

So if anybody has any info, or is around on ref001C, I would love to hear from you.
Jarrod-K1LVA

153. DVAP squelch level

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-02 12:47:00 UTC
From: bc660
Topic: 153 Message: 153

Does anyone know what the squelch level should be around,I have mine set at -96dbm and is working fine. I was wondering what the optimum level would be

154. Re: DVAP squelch level

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-02 14:27:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 153 Message: 154

Hi bc660. :)

The squelch is used only when voice packets are received without a matching header to proceed them. I usually watch the noise level from the received signal meter and set the squelch half way between the noise peak and the max level.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "bc660" <bc660@...> wrote:
>
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>

155. DVAP+Test

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-02 15:11:19 UTC
From: k1lva@yahoo.com
Topic: 155 Message: 155

I believe I got the DVAP working just fine now. Thank you for your response. Had nice QSO with KB0TPZ and WB8REI on REF001 last night about 2330 local time.

156. DVAP install on windows 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-03 02:17:38 UTC
From: bc660
Topic: 156 Message: 156

I have installed on XP and Vista. But would not load drivers on windows 7. Is there a site I can go to for drivers on windows 7 and the file would be helpfull.Other than not installing on windows 7 this is an other great tool.

157. Re: DVAP install on windows 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-03 11:06:49 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 156 Message: 157

Hi bc660. Do you have a first name? :)

You can download the FTDI drivers from:

http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bc660" <bc660@...> wrote:
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> I have installed on XP and Vista. But would not load drivers on windows 7. Is there a site I can go to for drivers on windows 7 and the file would be helpfull.Other than not installing on windows 7 this is an other great tool.
>

158. DVAP tool for MAC won't recognize DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-03 12:19:02 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 158 Message: 158

I have just received my DVAP Dongle. I followed the instructions and dowloaded the software for my MAC Book Pro (Intel based). I installed the software and launched it. I got a message that the DVAP Dongle wasn't attached. I attached it to the USB port (green light was blinking) and relaunched the software...same dialog box...DVAP Dongle is not connected.
Does anyone have any suggestions.

Thanks,
Jim

159. Re: DVAP tool for MAC won't recognize DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-04 12:06:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 158 Message: 159

Hi Jim. Did you load the USB device driver from FTDICHIP at ftdichip.com?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jim" <jtpass@...> wrote:
>
> I have just received my DVAP Dongle. I followed the instructions and dowloaded the software for my MAC Book Pro (Intel based). I installed the software and launched it. I got a message that the DVAP Dongle wasn't attached. I attached it to the USB port (green light was blinking) and relaunched the software...same dialog box...DVAP Dongle is not connected.
> Does anyone have any suggestions.
>
> Thanks,
> Jim
>

160. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP install on windows 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-04 17:11:42 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 156 Message: 160

If you are connected to the Internet when you plug the DVAP first in, and you haven't disabled driver downloads from the Internet, then I believe that you should have downloaded the drivers automatically. It's work for me on both x86 and x64. You might try going into device manager and doing an update on the device's drivers.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of bc660
Sent: Friday, April 02, 2010 10:18 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP install on windows 7

I have installed on XP and Vista. But would not load drivers on windows 7. Is there a site I can go to for drivers on windows 7 and the file would be helpfull.Other than not installing on windows 7 this is an other great tool.

161. Broadcast Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-07 00:19:12 UTC
From: Mel
Topic: 161 Message: 161

Robin, et. al.:

Just got my DVAP from UPS and got it on the air immediately. Works great! One question though...

We have a still-limited community of local RF users on W7AES, so some of us have taken to using the "broadcast" mode as a temporary standard configuration by loading W7AES in the UR field with no modifiers. Those who have only 1.2 GHz can talk to UHF and VHF simultaneously, etc.

I don't think this works with the DVAP. Is there any possibility of using a DVAP for multiband broadcast?

Thanks,
Mel K6UV

p.s. - I scanned the postings and didn't see this subject. Hope it's not a dupe. 73.

162. Gateway registration on DVAP dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-07 00:39:18 UTC
From: flingitman
Topic: 162 Message: 162

I was trying to follow the directions on creating a new entry on the DSTAR registration "Gateway" using the instructions on the quick start guide but I was not able to seem to get the DVAP software to accept my call with the trailing A in the 8th position.

Any hints or tips?

WA6JFK

163. Re: Broadcast Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-07 12:04:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 161 Message: 163

Hi Mel. The simulcast mode is a function of dplus on the gateway. It currently only listens to the RF side coming from the controller/repeater module for commands like simulcast. It is possible to enhance dplus to allow for dvap/dvdongle commands but that would require coding on both dplus and the dvaptool software.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mel" <mel_parrish@...> wrote:
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> Robin, et. al.:
>
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> We have a still-limited community of local RF users on W7AES, so some of us have taken to using the "broadcast" mode as a temporary standard configuration by loading W7AES in the UR field with no modifiers. Those who have only 1.2 GHz can talk to UHF and VHF simultaneously, etc.
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>

164. Re: Gateway registration on DVAP dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-07 12:06:39 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 162 Message: 164

Hi flingitman/froby/wa7jfk. You probably have an extra character in the station callsign field. Try deleting all characters in the field and retype your callsign, a space, and the "A".

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> WA6JFK
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165. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Broadcast Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-07 16:30:08 UTC
From: Mel Parrish
Topic: 161 Message: 165

Thanks Robin,

Put me down as one who would be interested in a future DVAP simulcast capability.

- Mel

--- On Wed, 4/7/10, aa4rc <aa4rc@...m> wrote:

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Broadcast Mode
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Wednesday, April 7, 2010, 5:04 AM

Hi Mel. The simulcast mode is a function of dplus on the gateway. It currently only listens to the RF side coming from the controller/repeater module for commands like simulcast. It is possible to enhance dplus to allow for dvap/dvdongle commands but that would require coding on both dplus and the dvaptool software.

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Robin

AA4RC

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166. New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-07 21:25:23 UTC
From: kh6mei
Topic: 166 Message: 166

Just got mine a couple days ago. very easy to set up on the air in minutes. now I can work D-star from my office. thanks robin..

Aloha
Wayne

167. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Gateway registration on DVAP dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 00:42:22 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 162 Message: 167

Well I think what it turned out to be was that I did not allow any time for the "Trust Server" to update so it knew I had entered such a setup.

I put an A in the box at the beginning and entered the callsign as wa6jfk-a

Seems to be working FB now.

The DVAP is pretty cool....the documentation OH MY but the unit is cool

WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: aa4rc
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 2010 5:06 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Gateway registration on DVAP dongle

Hi flingitman/froby/wa7jfk. You probably have an extra character in the station callsign field. Try deleting all characters in the field and retype your callsign, a space, and the "A".

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AA4RC

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> Any hints or tips?
>
> WA6JFK
>

168. Re: Broadcast Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 02:19:51 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 161 Message: 168

Ok, Mel. I was planning to add remote echo test anyway. I'll put it on the wish list.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

(sent from the Atlanta Braves game using my iPad)

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mel Parrish <mel_parrish@...> wrote:
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> - Mel
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169. Re: New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 02:23:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 166 Message: 169

Thanks Wayne. Don't forget Moe, AE4JY. He's the hardware genius behind all of this!

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> Wayne
>

170. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 02:47:34 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 166 Message: 170

Great. Thanks Moe!!

Been using it here in the office all day. Problem now is looking at another DV portable, my wife is already frowning at me for the recent 880 purchase HIHI.

Aloha

Wayne

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 2010 4:23 PM
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171. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 02:30:01 UTC
From: k1lva@yahoo.com
Topic: 171 Message: 171

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After a couple of hours of pulling my short hair out, the DVAP began passing audio.
Is there a site with info on what the lights mean in the DVAP (for troubleshooting purposes)? And is there any way to get it to make an hourly announcement like the gateways at the top of the hour?

FYI, I'm getting about a 2 mile range with a Comet CX-333 at 100ft ASL. Thanks for your time! Love the DVAP!! 73-Jarrod

172. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 12:27:58 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 171 Message: 172

Hi Jarrod.

I'm working on much more detailed documentation for the DVAP. I'll make an announcement here when the web site has been updated.

There are four lights, green, red, yellow, and blue (in that order from left to right). The green light slowly pulses when the DVAP has been connected to a PC/Mac and the drivers are installed properly. When DVAPTool is connected, the green light switches to show receive activity. The red light shows when the DVAP is transmitting. The yellow light shows when there have been lost packets from the internet during a transmission. The blue light shows USB activity from the PC/Mac to the DVAP. You should see the blue light blink about once per second when connected to DVAPTool. That is the keepalive packet.

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173. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 12:51:51 UTC
From: k1lva@yahoo.com
Topic: 171 Message: 173

Thanks Robin!
-----Original Message-----
From: "aa4rc" <aa4rc@interlabs.com>
Date: Thu, 08 Apr 2010 12:27:58
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
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>
> Hi Robin!
> I've had my DVAP for about a week or more! I love it. I'm in the Boston area and there aren't any Gateways in the area yet? This puts one in my house! Couldn't be any easier to set up! I did notice that after the update on the trust server with the A initial, there was a little lag time from the time I entered the update, to the time I could actually pass audio.
>
> After a couple of hours of pulling my short hair out, the DVAP began passing audio.
> Is there a site with info on what the lights mean in the DVAP (for troubleshooting purposes)? And is there any way to get it to make an hourly announcement like the gateways at the top of the hour?
>
> FYI, I'm getting about a 2 mile range with a Comet CX-333 at 100ft ASL. Thanks for your time! Love the DVAP!! 73-Jarrod
>

174. New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-08 21:06:34 UTC
From: Al
Topic: 174 Message: 174

Hello to the group...

I have had a ID-800H for some time now but never used it in "DV" mode to no D-Star repeaters in my area. After seeing a DVAP demo at a recent hamfest, I ordered one and have it connected... So far, no luck with much... That said, I KNOW it's pilot error on my end. I am registered in the D-Star system and have programmed in the call of the repeater I am registered through. I have all of "MYCALL" data entered into the ID-800H and have several callsigns of D-Star users entered in "URCALL".

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73, Al/ W8AII

175. Re: New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 00:57:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 174 Message: 175

Hi Al. Just switch back to "CQCQCQ " in the urcall field to talk once linked. The command to link just links.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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176. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User - maybe overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 04:44:03 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 174 Message: 176

Hi, Al,

My first guess is that you're overloading the DVAP with a strong signal from the 800. I've tried using mine in my car with my 2820 at 5 watts, and I find it works - or doesn't work - somewhat like you describe. But with my 92 handheld at 100 mW, it's prefect.

So try moving the DVAP 20 or more feet from the radio, or using a dummy load. If it starts working, that's the problem.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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>and have several callsigns of D-Star users entered in "URCALL".
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177. Linked Receive Only (R/O)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 03:35:37 UTC
From: Steve Garwood
Topic: 177 Message: 177

Hello!

I'm just getting the DV/AP set up - when I try to link to a repeater according to the sheet, using the call sign xxxxxxAL, it is showing linked R/O with a "receive only" message.
I know I probably don't have something right - not sure what....

Anyone?

Thanks

Steve, N0CZV

178. Re: New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 01:20:02 UTC
From: Al
Topic: 174 Message: 178

Hi Robin...

Tnx for the reply...

Still no luck... I seem to get lots of "garbled" audio, which tells me someone is talking, or calling me. They can't hear me and I can't hear them... Sounds like R2D2 sounds... I read something about that but can't seem to find it now...

73, Al/ W8AII

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC

179. Re: Linked Receive Only (R/O)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 12:09:51 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 177 Message: 179

Hi Steve. Are you using "N0CZV " in the station call? That is the only callsign/terminal you have registered. The remote gateway will not let you transmit if the callsign/terminal is not registered.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Anyone?
>
> Thanks
>
> Steve, N0CZV
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180. Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 12:34:03 UTC
From: Steven
Topic: 180 Message: 180

I am trying to connect to a Dstar repeater W1DSR in Milford Ma.

I try connecting using W1DSR CL and get the message

"remote system unlinked"

Is this an error on my part.

Steve
KC2JUS

181. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Linked Receive Only (R/O)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 13:03:10 UTC
From: n0czv@verizon.net
Topic: 177 Message: 181

Robin,

I had my call on the DVAP listed as N0CZV? A .? When I took the A off the end, it started working late last night.? I was able to make a contact on WB8I.? I wasn't able to find any reference to R/O other than the mention of the voice file that was stored...

I also had switched antennas to a Diamond gain SMA - When I was a couple of feet from the DV/AP, it was making the connection intermittent and the audio garbled.? I switched back to the original antenna and it cleared right up...

Getting the hang of it - entering callsigns and commands into my 92AD memory slots to scroll through.? Not seeing any of the disconnect issues between the box and the computer like I have with my DVDongle....

The DV/AP looks like a winner!

Steve, N0CZV

On Apr 9, 2010, aa4rc wrote:

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> Thanks
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> Steve, N0CZV
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182. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User - maybe overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 16:11:35 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 174 Message: 182

What is in UR call on the HT?

You have to have program (Memory channel)?to LINK to the repeater or reflector like WA6IRCCL

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And then you need to?have one that is CQCQCQ so after you link up you can talk

And then you need an unlink like WA6IRC U

?

All of them SIMPLEX

?

Does that make sense?

-----Original Message-----
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Sent: Apr 8, 2010 9:44 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User - maybe overload

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Hi, Al,

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183. Re: New DVAP User - maybe overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 18:39:57 UTC
From: Al
Topic: 174 Message: 183

Hi Gary...

First off, you were "dead on" about over driving the DVAP... I found that out after I was finally able to hear and talk to someone...

My problem with not being able to hear or talk to anyone was another issue entirely... It seems that I was missing the very last step in the programming process of the ID-800H when going to "CQCQCQ". Once I got that figured out, I was able to hear people on the system I was linked to. The over loading problem came next...

I have a friend who was also new to the DVAP and he suggested the over loading issue to me...

BTW, I was veiwing some of your videos in hopes of maybe learning more about the ID-800H...

Thanks again... You were dead on...

73, Al/ W8AII

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184. Re: [DVAPDongle] Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-09 21:15:19 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 180 Message: 184

maybe they don't allow dongle users. you command looks correct. have you tried other gateways?

Fran, W1FJM

On Fri, Apr 9, 2010 at 8:34 AM, Steven <steve77979@...> wrote:

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>
> I am trying to connect to a Dstar repeater W1DSR in Milford Ma.
>
> I try connecting using W1DSR CL and get the message
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> Is this an error on my part.
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> Steve
> KC2JUS
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>

185. Re: New DVAP User - maybe overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-10 12:05:26 UTC
From: Doug Carter
Topic: 174 Message: 185

Hello,

You need to move URCALL back to CQCQCQ after you link or you will get that message each time you key up.

73,
Doug
N4FPS

186. RE: [DVAPDongle] Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-10 11:54:48 UTC
From: Steve
Topic: 180 Message: 186

I can get onto other gateways and reflectors with no problems whatsoever. I monitor and chat on one in Connecticut daily.

Steve

KC2JUS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis Miele
Sent: Friday, April 09, 2010 4:15 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Remote System Unlinked

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KC2JUS

187. Re: [DVAPDongle] Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-10 14:47:05 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 180 Message: 187

then I would guess they don't allow dongle connections.

Fran, W1FJM

On Sat, Apr 10, 2010 at 7:54 AM, Steve <steve77979@...> wrote:

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>
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188. Re: Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-11 15:42:12 UTC
From: va7bc
Topic: 180 Message: 188

Steve,

I live up in Canada and 2 weeks ago I was able to link to many reflectors and repeaters with my DV-AP --- except my local DStar repeater which was on the gateway. I was told by a very knowledgeable local ham that the local DSTAR repeater was running an older version of software that would not acommodate linking of the DV-AP yet DV Dongle users were unaffected. A few days later the repeater managers updated the software at the repeater ....et voila....I could link up via DV-AP! So I suspect that it might be a similar issue which you are experiencing.

73
Greg

189. Re: Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-12 19:08:47 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 180 Message: 189

I live just north of this repeater and from what I have been told, it's in a guy's garage. Supposedly it's going to be moved to a real tower either in Hopkinton or Westborough MA at some point in the future. I don't believe the current owner has it linked up as a gateway. I'll see if I can find out any more info.

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190. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Remote System Unlinked

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-13 01:42:38 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 180 Message: 190

it does have a gateway and is occasionally linked to reflector 10. They probably don't let the users link or unlink

Fran, W1FJM

On Mon, Apr 12, 2010 at 3:08 PM, kb1obg <kb1obg@...> wrote:

>
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> > KC2JUS
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191. DVAP Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-13 06:22:13 UTC
From: mark
Topic: 191 Message: 191

At the risk of opening up a can of worms. Are there any dedicated DVAP/Dongle reflectors out there?

Just a place where DVAP/Dongle users can connect to without disturbing RF systems.

Just a thought.

Thanks again Robin.

73
W6SAT
Ted

192. New user - R2D2 audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-16 01:53:21 UTC
From: Greg
Topic: 192 Message: 192

I'm connecting to the remote fine, however I get garbled digital audio regardless of distance from the module or power setting. I've been 10 feet to across 300 feet away and adjusted the power from low to high on both the module and my 91AD. Clearly I'm missing something here. Any ideas?

Also, on recorded audio and playback, it's the same.

Thanks,
Greg

193. Re: New user - R2D2 audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-16 12:00:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 192 Message: 193

Hi Greg. When you run the "I" command (urcall "DVAP I"), do you also hear garbled audio? Do you have a second D-Star radio that you can try? Can you try it out at a different location?

Some possibilties: the DVAP is not working properly, you are in a high RF environment, the D-Star radio is not working properly. As unlikely as it seems, we've seen one case of an HT that just did not work.

Feel free to send an email to me directly and we will replace the DVAP if it turns out to be the problem.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Thanks,
> Greg
>

194. DSTARInfo Dayton Anniversary Edition - Call for Articles

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-16 18:09:47 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 194 Message: 194

It's just about here! Dayton and the first anniversary edition of the DSTARInfo Newsletter. This issue of the newsletter is being expanded to allow for even more great stories and information about D-STAR. That's where you come in.

We need more stories!

Our standard article is only about 300 words long. Not much longer than this email.

* Tell us what you club has done with D-STAR.

* What events you've used D-STAR with. Send us the stories so that we can include them in the newsletter.

* There's a lot of new things in D-STAR since Dayton last year, tell us how you've used them.

* Are you proud of your new repeater? Tell us about it.

* Hints and Kinks? We've got a place just for them.

Send your articles to articles@...<mailto:articles@...>
If you are thinking about creating an article, please drop us a note as soon as possible. We need to get all articles in ASAP.

Thanks,

DSTARInfo News Letter Team

195. DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-16 21:56:32 UTC
From: Steve Garwood
Topic: 195 Message: 195

I thought I would hook up my shorter DV-Dongle cable to the DV/AP for use on my netbook computer for more portable operation.
I was not able to open the DV/AP with the application with the short cable connected.
Don't know that much about the USB cable protocol - Am I to assume that these two cables are pinned differently?

Thanks for any clarification.....

Steve, N0CZV

196. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-17 02:49:58 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 195 Message: 196

I have never used the WHITE MOLEX cable that came with my DVAP, I have used about 3 different BLACKBERRY supplied USB cables and they all seem to work.

Possibly you have a bad cable?

Brian
WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: Steve Garwood
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, April 16, 2010 2:56 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

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Steve, N0CZV

197. Re: New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-17 12:49:34 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 166 Message: 197

Same here. This is one great device! Set up in minutes, works great. The range is better than I expected.

Mark

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kh6mei" <wgreenleaf@...> wrote:
>
> Just got mine a couple days ago. very easy to set up on the air in minutes. now I can work D-star from my office. thanks robin..
>
> Aloha
> Wayne
>

198. RE: [DVAPDongle] DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-17 02:56:20 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 195 Message: 198

Should be the same cable. Does the longer cable work on both?

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Steve Garwood
Sent: Friday, April 16, 2010 5:57 PM
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199. Re: Gateway registration on DVAP dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-17 12:50:43 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 162 Message: 199

That is the same thing that happened to me. Gave it about another 30 minutes and presto, the world at my fingetips.

Mark

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:
>
> Well I think what it turned out to be was that I did not allow any time for the "Trust Server" to update so it knew I had entered such a setup.
>
> I put an A in the box at the beginning and entered the callsign as wa6jfk-a
>
> Seems to be working FB now.
>
> The DVAP is pretty cool....the documentation OH MY but the unit is cool
>
> WA6JFK
>
>
>
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: aa4rc
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 2010 5:06 AM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Gateway registration on DVAP dongle
>
>
>
> Hi flingitman/froby/wa7jfk. You probably have an extra character in the station callsign field. Try deleting all characters in the field and retype your callsign, a space, and the "A".
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "flingitman" <froby@> wrote:
> >
> > I was trying to follow the directions on creating a new entry on the DSTAR registration "Gateway" using the instructions on the quick start guide but I was not able to seem to get the DVAP software to accept my call with the trailing A in the 8th position.
> >
> > Any hints or tips?
> >
> > WA6JFK

> >
>

200. Re: RE: [DVAPDongle] DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-17 13:30:13 UTC
From: n0czv@verizon.net
Topic: 195 Message: 200

I haven't tried the blue Dongle with the white cable yet - should be a good test.? The short cable still works with the blue Dongle except I seem to have a hard time keeping it connected with any computer that I've used it with....

Steve

On Apr 17, 2010, Woodrick, Ed wrote:

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Ed WA4YIH

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201. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-17 14:36:26 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 195 Message: 201

At 05:56 PM 4/16/2010, Steve Garwood wrote:
> I thought I would hook up my shorter DV-Dongle cable to the DV/AP for
> use on my netbook computer for more portable operation...
>Steve, N0CZV

One reason for the longer cable is to put some distance between the DVAP and the computer. The DVAP has a receiver (duh) and computers are notorious generators of low-level RF junk. That extra couple of feet reduces any noise the DVAP gets from the PC.

As far as the short cable working - I just plugged my DVAP in using the Dongle cable and it worked fine.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

202. Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-18 23:33:56 UTC
From: Doug
Topic: 202 Message: 202

Works on other XP computer (Sony), trying to install on small Asus Netbook, with Windows XP Home Edition. Green light is flashing but software says no DV AP Dongle found.

Thoughts?

203. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV/AP and Dongle USB cables

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-19 01:43:47 UTC
From: wb0iis
Topic: 195 Message: 203

I had a similar problem with the short DV Dongle cable. Found that the cable was defective and causing the drop outs. When I held one end of the cable and wiggled it back and forth, the Dongle would drop in and out. Throw away the short cable and use the one with the DVAP for both and you should be good. If you want a short one, Newegg has them for sale, but the longer one would be better for the DVAP to get it away from the noisy computer.

George, WB0IIS

204. Re: Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-19 12:01:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 202 Message: 204

Hi Doug. Sometimes I've seen the DVAP be ignored upon boot on my netbook. Have you tried removing and reinserting the DVAP to see if it shows up?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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205. Re: Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-19 13:02:05 UTC
From: Doug
Topic: 202 Message: 205

Many times. I think the Netbook may have a problem. It is brand new so I will return today and get another one.

Thanks.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
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> Robin
> AA4RC
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206. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-19 16:44:45 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 202 Message: 206

HI, had run mine on both my accer XP netbook and Asus Win 7 netbook both work fine. As Robin noted below sometimes both will ignore the DVAP or the Dongle on boot up same goes for my USB to Serial plug as well. Removing and reinserting solves the problem.

Aloha

Wayne

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Monday, April 19, 2010 2:02 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Computer does not see DVAP

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>

207. Re: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-19 13:33:06 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 202 Message: 207

Looking to buy a netbook, Any thoughts on which type of netbook will work with the DVAP. Looking at the HP Mini-210 Series with Windows 7. Any recommendations out there from any happy netbook users and their DVAP's.

Mike
WB6DJI

From: Doug <k6jv@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sun, April 18, 2010 4:33:56 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

Works on other XP computer (Sony), trying to install on small Asus Netbook, with Windows XP Home Edition. Green light is flashing but software says no DV AP Dongle found.

Thoughts?

208. Re: Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-19 21:36:24 UTC
From: Doug
Topic: 202 Message: 208

Asus Netbook had some other problems. Took it back to Best Buy and exchanged, new one sees dongle without a problem.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Wayne" <wgreenleaf@...> wrote:
>
> HI, had run mine on both my accer XP netbook and Asus Win 7 netbook both
> work fine. As Robin noted below sometimes both will ignore the DVAP or the
> Dongle on boot up same goes for my USB to Serial plug as well. Removing and
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> Aloha
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> Wayne
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Monday, April 19, 2010 2:02 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Computer does not see DVAP
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209. RE: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-20 00:19:34 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 202 Message: 209

I haven’t seen one that won’t work yet.

But as with any computer, memory, processor speed, and disk speed all will effect performance. Don’t skimp on RAM.

From there, stability is based upon what else you install on the system. But a lot of crap and it will normally work like crap.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Michael Aust
Sent: Monday, April 19, 2010 9:33 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

Looking to buy a netbook, Any thoughts on which type of netbook will work with the DVAP. Looking at the HP Mini-210 Series with Windows 7. Any recommendations
out there from any happy netbook users and their DVAP's.
Mike
WB6DJI

From: Doug <k6jv@earthlink.net>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sun, April 18, 2010 4:33:56 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

Works on other XP computer (Sony), trying to install on small Asus Netbook, with Windows XP Home Edition. Green light is flashing but software says no DV AP Dongle found.

Thoughts?

210. RE: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-20 06:22:29 UTC
From: Declan Mc Glone
Topic: 202 Message: 210

I’ve got a Toshiba NB200 running XP, the DVAP works perfectly. There was no tweaking or additional setup required, literally plug and play. Also works with a Mobile Broadband “Dongle” to provide internet connection at the same time.

A very nice piece of kit J

Dex.

M0TMX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@...m] On Behalf Of Michael Aust
Sent: 19 April 2010 14:33
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Computer does not see DVAP

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Mike
WB6DJI

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Thoughts?

211. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-21 17:38:00 UTC
From: Leo
Topic: 171 Message: 211

i ATEMTED TO SET UP BUT COULD NOT HEAR NOTHING AFTER LINKING TO
REF OR A GATEWAY NEED HELP OR GET RID OF THE DEVAP CHEAP. HELP

212. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-21 21:08:36 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 171 Message: 212

What's your phone number..

I will call you..

Tim

Tim Barrett
K6BIV
k6biv@...

K6MDD Mt. Diablo D-Star Trustee
k6mdd@...

http://www.k6mdd.org

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213. PHONE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-21 22:23:38 UTC
From: Leo
Topic: 213 Message: 213

MY # 904 771-2762

214. D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 06:21:39 UTC
From: kj6bbp
Topic: 214 Message: 214

As we all know the one thing the DVAP allows is us to create a mini simplex connection to the D-Star Network.

While on the remote island of Lana'i, Hawaii last week did just that.

This allow me to connect to the San Diego Tech Net. while being portable H6. Was also able to connect to WH6DIG in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Thank-you Robin and Team for the DVAP.

Regards,

Mike, KJ6BBP, San Diego, CA, USA

215. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 13:36:34 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 214 Message: 215

Mike,
What type of computer did you use with the DVAP.
Mike WB6DJI

From: kj6bbp <mszelaze@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sun, April 25, 2010 11:21:39 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii

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216. Help me make this thing work please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 16:03:41 UTC
From: cslesinski
Topic: 216 Message: 216

My DVAP is connected to a PC windows 7, the drivers are loaded and the DVAP tool is running. My ID-880H is set to 146.550 as is the tool. I purchased all this at HRO and they "registered the DVAP and my call sign".

Anyone got any ideas? Am I actually registered? Where can one check?
Am I missing some setup piece?

K1VTR
Mike
Cape Cod MA

217. Re: Help me make this thing work please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 17:52:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 216 Message: 217

Hi Mike. You show up in the registration database. What is not working? Make sure you are running low power on the 880 so you don't overload the front end on the DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "cslesinski" <m_spivack@...> wrote:
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218. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help me make this thing work please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 17:51:53 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 216 Message: 218

you are registered, you can check here http://query.ki4swy.org/index.php.

you state what your problem is,

Fran, W1FJM

On Mon, Apr 26, 2010 at 12:03 PM, cslesinski <m_spivack@...> wrote:

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219. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help me make this thing work please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 18:03:42 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 216 Message: 219

Is the radio set to "simplex"?

Sent from my iPhone
At least I think it's my iPhone.

On Apr 26, 2010, at 9:03 AM, "cslesinski" <m_spivack@...> wrote:

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> the DVAP tool is running. My ID-880H is set to 146.550 as is the
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220. Scheduled system Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-27 03:32:10 UTC
From: ve6mad
Topic: 220 Message: 220

Hey Guys, I had this idea for a new feature in the next release of DVAPTOOL. Maybe it could have an automatic link like the gateways do. So say there is a net on Tuesday at 9PM on 12B, the dvap would automatically link up to 12B, Xmins before the net. A good idea?

221. Re: D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-27 04:08:24 UTC
From: cslesinski
Topic: 214 Message: 221

I am using an HP MDX16 it is Intell based and windows 7. Dont think there is an issue there as the drivers loaded and the dvap tool shows the ap number and when I key the 880 I see the red bar go up on the dvap too

Mike

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Aust <ava622@...> wrote:
>
> Mike,
> What type of computer did you use with the DVAP.
> Mike WB6DJI
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> _____
> From: kj6bbp <mszelaze@...>
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Sun, April 25, 2010 11:21:39 PM
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222. Re: Help me make this thing work please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 23:49:45 UTC
From: cslesinski
Topic: 216 Message: 222

Thank you all
This is the group that has answered any of my questions so I now know that I am registered.
I am set to simplex and low powwer FM.

I get the Blue keep alive light on the DVAP. I have not seen the red light.
I am also not sure which call sing to enter as 4 are registered.
Do I need to be able to reach the repeater that I am registered at?

It looks like the DVAP tool is functioning?
I would assume that if all is hooked up I should at least hear traffic.

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223. reflector or repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-26 23:27:41 UTC
From: Leo
Topic: 223 Message: 223

If you link one or the other can you leave it up and monitor the link for a while.

224. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Help me make this thing work please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-27 12:27:06 UTC
From: Brian Fowler
Topic: 216 Message: 224

Make sure you have your radio in simplex "DV" mode.
I had to change my simplex frequency as well before
Mine would work.

Brian
KB1PSI

Sent from my iPhone 3GS

On Apr 26, 2010, at 7:49 PM, cslesinski <m_spivack@...> wrote:

> Thank you all
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> know that I am registered.
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225. Re: [DVAPDongle] reflector or repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-27 14:04:53 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 223 Message: 225

At 07:27 PM 4/26/2010, Leo wrote:
> If you link one or the other can you leave it up and monitor the link
> for a while.

Yes, you can monitor either a repeater or a reflector for an extended period, though you may get "booted off" either one now and then. I don't know exactly why that happens, but I suspect it's a brief loss of Internet connectivity somewhere along the line. If that happens, the DVAP will announce it to you (Remote system unlinked). A DVDongle will just be disconnected (you'll hear the loss of "Comfort Noise" if you leave that on).

If you want reflector traffic, it's better to connect directly to the reflector than to a repeater that's connected to the reflector.

The main reason is bandwidth. Each DVAP or DVDongle connection uses at least 25 kbps of upload data from the reflector or repeater server. DVDongles get the data from all three ports, so the load can be close to 100 kbps if all three are in use (Robin - does the DVAP get all three port's data, too?).

Reflectors are designed to handle dozens to hundreds of connections. They're usually located at big data centers and have 10 Megabit or better Internet connections. Repeaters can only handle a few connections. They usually just have a cable or DSL connection with a limit of a few hundred kbps upload data. The DPLUS program running at the repeater defaults to accepting only four DVD/DVAP connections at a time.

So if you want to talk to the local guys on a repeater, connect there. But if the repeater gets a lot of DVDongle/DVAP traffic, maybe you shouldn't hang out there unless you know it has a bigger Internet pipe and has been set for more connections. If you just want to be entertained by the traffic, pick a reflector.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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226. Almost there

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-27 21:15:24 UTC
From: cslesinski
Topic: 226 Message: 226

I think I am almost there. The symptom is I am not hearing anything.
It appears that the ID880h and the DVAP tool and the DVAP are communicating.
I see R1 direct R2 direct UR CQCQCQ my K1VTR /EMA fc 27a0 OK
Checking <K1VTR > against station call <K1VTR A>.I don't know if any of this is helpful to you out there.

Do I need to enter a repeater of reflector into the radio or is there just no one out there?

Mike S
K1VTR

228. No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-27 23:34:35 UTC
From: cslesinski
Topic: 228 Message: 228

The saga continues. Everything appears to work. I am connected to K1HRO and it is staying connected. I changed my UR to cqcqcq and keyed up the mike and announced my call sign and I hear nothing.

Any ideas?
K1VTR

229. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-28 00:43:38 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 228 Message: 229

What port on K1HRO are you listening to?

Tim

On Apr 27, 2010, at 4:34 PM, cslesinski wrote:

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> Any ideas?
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230. RE: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-28 01:32:31 UTC
From: Steve
Topic: 228 Message: 230

I don't believe you will hear anything but a beep. That is all I hear. I could be wrong as I am new to this also.

KB2AAA

Steve

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tim Barrett
Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2010 7:44 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

What port on K1HRO are you listening to?

Tim

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231. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-28 01:04:41 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 228 Message: 231

He was on port C but that was over an hour ago.

WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: Tim Barrett
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2010 5:43 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

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Tim

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K1VTR

232. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-28 02:30:21 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 228 Message: 232

If you have a DSL modem that has a firewall, set it to Low Security. Hopefully you know how to
access the DSL modem thru its IP address.

When I set the level of my Firewall to Medium or Maximum on my DSL Modem I get no traffic thru the DVAP.

Mike WB6DJI

Try turning off your firewall just for a short test
You may be blocked out by a software or hardware firewall.

From: cslesinski <m_spivack@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, April 27, 2010 4:34:35 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

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233. Re: No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-28 12:08:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 228 Message: 233

Hi Mike. This is surprising. The DVAP communicates to gateways/reflectors on UDP port 20001 for both connections and voice traffic. If your router was blocking the inbound traffic on that port, you should not be able to connect. Are you receiving the "remote system linked" message but then no voice traffic?

The connection to a gateway/reflector receives traffic for all of the ports on that system. You will see messages in the log when folks key up on a module that you are not connected to and you will not receive voice traffic. That is normal. The thing to watch is log messages showing the module with which you are connected.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Aust <ava622@...> wrote:
>
> If you have a DSL modem that has a firewall, set it to Low Security. Hopefully you know how to
> access the DSL modem thru its IP address.
>
> When I set the level of my Firewall to Medium or Maximum on my DSL Modem I get no traffic thru the DVAP.
>
> Mike WB6DJI
>
> Try turning off your firewall just for a short test
> You may be blocked out by a software or hardware firewall.
>
>
>
>
> _____
> From: cslesinski <m_spivack@...>
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Tue, April 27, 2010 4:34:35 PM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet
>
>
> The saga continues. Everything appears to work. I am connected to K1HRO and it is staying connected. I changed my UR to cqcqcq and keyed up the mike and announced my call sign and I hear nothing.
>
> Any ideas?
> K1VTR
>

234. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-28 12:51:04 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 228 Message: 234

try reflector 001 port c or maybe reflector 010 port c

Fran, W1FJM

On Tue, Apr 27, 2010 at 9:04 PM, Brian Frobisher <froby@...>wrote:

>
>
> He was on port C but that was over an hour ago.
>
> WA6JFK
>
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>
> ----- Original Message -----
> *From:* Tim Barrett <k6biv@...>
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Sent:* Tuesday, April 27, 2010 5:43 PM
> *Subject:* Re: [DVAPDongle] No Traffic Yet
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235. Re: No Traffic Yet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-04-29 03:06:08 UTC
From: cslesinski
Topic: 228 Message: 235

IT WORKS...
AND SO DOES THIS GROUP.

I have been on a lot of groups when I am trying to figure out the "how and why". I have never been to a more professional and responsive group ever.

The replys and suggestions were excellent. Even with all of that it was the expertise and caring of Tim Barrett by phone and computer and Brian Frobisher Wa6JFK on the air. It is the dedication of the folks here that will help Dstar grow into the valued mode it should be.

I hope as my skill and knowledge advance that I can help someone in the same boat.

The issue was not the DVAP or it's setup which is very straight forward. It was my understanding of the protocols required to connect to reflectors, FM versus DV in the database and a bunch of other newbie issues.

Thank all
73
K1VTR
See ya on the D

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236. DVAP in action - weird results

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-03 02:35:10 UTC
From: flingitman
Topic: 236 Message: 236

I was visiting a friend out of town this weekend, out in Rancho Mirage, CA.
Was able to work the K6IFR DSTAR repeater on 92AD but also brought DVAP and was connecting around, had a QSO on a reflector at one point so I know it was working.

If on HT and listening to K6IFR with RF I was hearing it must have been connected to a reflector, lots of chatter etc....

But then when I connected via DVAP.....silence...did not hear chatter.....same port B etc.

In fact I heard nothing on any reflector I connected to via DVAP, but I did work an OM via DVAP at one point.

Brian
WA6JFK

237. DVAP feedback from Geelong - Australia

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-03 11:06:20 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 237 Message: 237

G'day all on the list,

Again, well done to Robin & Moe for the job well done with these little devices :-)

I've had mine since Easter and despite having a fair hammering, it hasn't missed a beat. It has been pretty well 100% reliable. I've also got a DV-NodeAdapter into an IC-208H as a Hotspot and it's a bit hit and miss sometimes, but the DVAP is good to go!

Using the supplied 2inch antenna, the DVAP with a portable like an IC-92AD is good for about 150metres and with a mobile about 250metres. With an SMA connected 1/4wave, the portable range is about 400metres whilst mobile (IC-2820H) range is about 700metres with the DVAP sitting on the window sil at home. I haven't tried it into a decent mast-mounted antenna yet, but I've been told it should be good for 2 - 3 km. Adrian VK4TUX has been very helpful with advice on the DVAPs in Australia.

It cross-bands nicely through an IC-2820H which should give the DVAP some nice potential uses. Ideal for those that aren't up to constructing a DV-Node Adapter or Hotspot.

A few things for the wishlist Robin, mate, buddy... :-)

- A 70cm version would be nice

- What about the option of a duplex freq set instead of the current simplex option? I run a 70cm D-Star repeater VK3RNP-B at home and would like to use a DVAP to link the repeater to the D-Star network instead of trying to get the HotSpot running at 100% reliability. This is an interim measure until I get a repeater gateway up and running - and a whole lot less hassle.

- Is there any likelyhood of DPRS running through the DVAP on a future version of the windows app??

Otherwise, well done on a very handy device. The DVAP has great potential on bringing D-Star to those in regional and remote areas that aren't within range of an existing D-Star repeater. Nice work!! :-)

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Victoria, Australia

238. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP in action - weird results

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-03 20:42:47 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 236 Message: 238

Brian,

Did you see any activity on the DVAP screen or the log screen? It should be hearing the same thing that you would on RF. After you connected, did you allow a few minutes for an existing transmission to end? Were you hearing Robins voice say that you were connected?

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of flingitman
Sent: Sunday, May 02, 2010 10:35 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP in action - weird results

I was visiting a friend out of town this weekend, out in Rancho Mirage, CA.
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Brian
WA6JFK

239. Re: D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-04 08:21:27 UTC
From: kj6bbp
Topic: 214 Message: 239

Mike WB6DJI,

Dell Latitude D610, XP Pro., SP 2, 1.86GHz, 1.99 GB of RAM

Regards,

Mike, KJ6BBP

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Aust <ava622@...> wrote:
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> Mike,
> What type of computer did you use with the DVAP.
> Mike WB6DJI
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> _____
> From: kj6bbp <mszelaze@...>
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Sun, April 25, 2010 11:21:39 PM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii
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>
> As we all know the one thing the DVAP allows is us to create a mini simplex connection to the D-Star Network.
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> While on the remote island of Lana'i, Hawaii last week did just that.
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> This allow me to connect to the San Diego Tech Net. while being portable H6. Was also able to connect to WH6DIG in Honolulu, Hawaii.
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> Thank-you Robin and Team for the DVAP.
>
> Regards,
>
> Mike, KJ6BBP, San Diego, CA, USA
>

240. Dan Smith, KK7DS, joins program at Friday Night D-STAR at Dayton

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-04 00:25:26 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 240 Message: 240

Dan Smith, KK7DS, the author of D-RATS, will join our panel of D-STAR experts and well known voices at this year's Friday Night D-STAR Event at the Drury Inn. Dan will be stationed at one of the table's around the room and be available to meet, greet and bend his ear on D-RATS, the premier data and messaging program for D-STAR.

Join us from 7:00 to 9:00 pm on Friday night at the Drury Inn for a fun filled evening of D-STAR. Don't forget an Icom ID-880H mobile radio, donated by Icom, will be given away at the event. See you in Dayton!

John WB4QDX

241. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP in action - weird results

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-04 13:59:26 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 236 Message: 241

I left it on various reflectors for a few minutes at a time.

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But maybe some long winded hams?

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I am noticing a pattern.

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When at work on our network here, the DVAP seems to "HEAR" lots of QSO etc on various reflectors.

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It could be time of day that I am on, when at work it is 6:30am to 3:30PM PST and home is normal night hours PST

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I am wondering if something at home is blocking the incoming audio from reflectors, even though I have held QSOs at home, but I never seem to hear "Banter" on the reflectors.

?

?

Brian

WA6JFK

Los Angeles

-----Original Message-----
From: "Woodrick, Ed"
Sent: May 3, 2010 1:42 PM
To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com"
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP in action - weird results

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Brian
WA6JFK

242. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: D-Star via the DVAP in Kona, Hawaii

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-06 03:28:08 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 214 Message: 242

Using my DVAP from Kona, Hawaii toghnt
No D-Star repeaters here, works great from
Hawaii Big Island (with the Active Volcano).

Mike Aust
WB6DJI

Tonight checked into L.A. D-Star Net with DVAP in Hawaii !

_____
From: kj6bbp <mszelaze@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, May 3, 2010 10:21:27 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: D-Star via the DVAP in Lana'i City, Lana'i, Hawaii

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243. Dayton 2010

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-07 18:43:08 UTC
From: sadnesssmiling
Topic: 243 Message: 243

Does anyone know if the creators of the dvap dongle will have a booth at dayton?
And if so which booth number, i am interested in this product because there are no repeaters in my area.

Thank you
joe
ab8wl

244. Re: Dayton 2010

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-07 20:05:34 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 243 Message: 244

Hi Joe. Yes, booths 96 and 97. Come by and say hi!

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "sadnesssmiling" <ab8wl@...> wrote:
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245. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dayton 2010

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-07 20:04:53 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 243 Message: 245

they are sold via HRO. They'll probably be there.

Fran, W1FJM

On Fri, May 7, 2010 at 2:43 PM, sadnesssmiling <ab8wl@...> wrote:

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> dayton?
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246. New DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-07 20:11:10 UTC
From: sitedev
Topic: 246 Message: 246

I received my DVAP Dongle from HRO last night. The packaging was terrific and contained a "Getting Started" sheet.

Qucikly looking at the sheet I noticed there was a blue URL to http://www.dvapdongle.com. I opened a browser and typed in the URL. I then printed the "Installation Instructions".

I followed the installation instructions and within 5 minutes I had the DVAP up and running. I am able to connect to Reflectors and Repeaters just fine. I experimented with a Verizon Prepaid Mobile Internet card and am totally impressed with the functioning and capabilities of the DVAP and how small the bandwidth requirements are. I let the DVAP run on a notebook for a few hours and did not experience any problems whatsoever.

Job Well Done to the person (Robin) or persons who made the DVAP a reality.

I am totally confused at the questions being asked when the installation instructions cover everything needed to install and operate the DVAP Dongle. I see some having a duplex setting when they should be simplex. I see some setting their radio to FM.

One just needs to ready and follow the instructions step-by-step and success will occur.

Thanks again for a great tool.

73, Jeff
K7WIN

247. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-07 22:44:50 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 246 Message: 247

Jeff, congratulations on your new DVAP. You will find it to be the best thing since sliced bread! Link onto REF003C and you'll see a few DVAP's linked in Australia also.. :-)

Regarding following instructions, some people are born never to read instructions - but then often bitch & complain when it all goes wrong. But the DVAP's are very straight forward to install and get up and running.

Cheers,

Nik
VK3BA
Geelong, Victoria, Australia

----- Original Message -----
From: sitedev
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, May 08, 2010 6:11 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP Dongle Installation

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248. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-08 14:45:07 UTC
From: K7WIN - Jeff
Topic: 246 Message: 248

Thanks Nik,

I think I am one of those who at first don't "RTFM", until I run into trouble. I already am enjoying the DVAP and am observing the popularity of it growing rapidly.

I have a D-Star repeater (W7SVD B) up and running for well over a year and couldn't resist getting a DVAP. I can justify it as I travel on business occasionally and sometimes there is no D-Star. J

73 and hope to hear you on D-Star,

Jeff

K7WIN

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Nik Presser
Sent: Friday, May 07, 2010 3:45 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP Dongle Installation

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249. ipad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-08 20:51:50 UTC
From: Al
Topic: 249 Message: 249

Hi gang, does anyone know if the dvap can be used with an ipad??? Apple has a usb adapter for the ipad unit.

250. RE: [DVAPDongle] ipad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-09 14:57:36 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 249 Message: 250

From what I can tell, the iPad USB port, like that of most phones is a slave device, not a master device. As such it won't work with the DVDongle or DVAP. There does seem to be a Camera Connection Kit available, which looks to be a USB Master, but at this time, Robin hasn't released any support for it, and I don't know if it is on the radar screen. Actually I suspect that the only thing on the radar screen right now is getting ready for Dayton.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Al
Sent: Saturday, May 08, 2010 4:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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251. Send your phots for Friday Night D-STAR in Dayton

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-09 20:27:00 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 251 Message: 251

SEND US YOUR D-STAR PICTURES !!!!!

If you have any pictures of your D-STAR repeater, D-STAR activities, your D-STAR users or anything D-STAR, we want your pictures. During the Friday Night D-STAR Event in dayton, we'll be running a slide show on one of the projectors in the room with all of the pictures you send us.

Please send any photos to me at wb4qdx@.... Then come see them at the Friday Night D-STAR Event from 7:00 - 9:00pm at the Drury Inn.

John WB4QDX
Georgia D-STAR

252. How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-11 22:25:50 UTC
From: Richard
Topic: 252 Message: 252

I just hooked up the DVAP, and so far no responses.

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in both cases, reading the log I see "ignoring transmit while not connected" and "unknown command" followed by the current data in UR.

Oh, and the lights, I have a slow blinking green, and when I open the DVAP tool it goes to blinking blue.

What's up?

thanks and 73's

253. Re: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-11 22:42:37 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 252 Message: 253

Please provide your phone number and I will call you..

Tim

On May 11, 2010, at 3:25 PM, Richard wrote:

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254. Re: How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-11 22:41:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 252 Message: 254

Hi Richard. It sounds like you have not linked anywhere. Did you try linking to a gateway or reflector? Once linked, you need to use "CQCQCQ " in URCALL to talk to the remote system.

73,
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AA4RC

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255. Re: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-11 23:37:18 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 252 Message: 255

Richard.

When you start the program DVAP TOOL and then click on the OPEN button sometimes you have to click on that twice, you must see "Name DVAP DONGLE" and Serial # XXXXXX in the top right of the DVAP tool before it will take any commands, at least from my experience, this appears only after the splash screen with the "YOU ARE USING THE LATEST VERSION....."

If you don't see another "SPLASH" window about "Your using the latest version, yada yada yada" then your software is not working yet.

Also, what do you have in the CALLSIGN area

Try it without the A trailing your call, the gateway might not have that info yet.

Also make sure you have something like

REF003B L in the UR call and then to talk, make sure you have another "Memory" with the same SIMPLEX/DV frequency with CQCQCQ in URcall.

Let me know if I can help.

WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: Richard
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 11, 2010 3:25 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

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What's up?

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256. Re: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-11 22:54:02 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 252 Message: 256

make sure you have "wh6diq A" in the call of the dvap. NO DASHES!

cqcqcq should be in the urcall and rpt1 & rpt2 are empty

Fran, W1FJM

On Tue, May 11, 2010 at 6:25 PM, Richard <wh6diq@...> wrote:

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> tool it goes to blinking blue.
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257. RE: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 04:08:50 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 252 Message: 257

Richard,

Call Sign Routing does not work with the DVAP. To use the DVAP, you must link it to a repeater or a reflector.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richard
Sent: Tuesday, May 11, 2010 6:26 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

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What's up?

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258. Re: How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 04:15:45 UTC
From: Richard
Topic: 252 Message: 258

OK--THANKS to all who responded. (Sheepish grin) It was operator error. I was not getting the "link" and "module" in the correct positions. All is well...Cool!

73's

WH6DIQ Honolulu

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Francis Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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259. Fw: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 03:15:24 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 259 Message: 259

Richard.

You posted this call for assistance hours ago.

I know that I responded personally and also via the newsgroup.

It is now 8:13PST PM

Did anything work?

If so, please post on the newsgroup..

If you fell alsleep, please let us know that also.

Any luck with the plethora of information provided?

Brian

WA6JFK
Los Angeles

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What's up?

thanks and 73's

260. How to confirm "getting out"- solved, MAHALO!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 06:23:40 UTC
From: wh6diq_richard_in_honolulu
Topic: 260 Message: 260

Thanks to all that responded...naturally it was "operator error". I was not getting the "module" and "link" in proper position. DOH!

Very cool...

261. Re: How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 10:45:08 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 252 Message: 261

> UR= individual (currently active) call at distant location, no response.
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Richard;

You cannot use Icom-style direct callsign addressing (UR=KC4YOZ) or repeater addressing (UR=/KI4WXSA) with the DVAP. You can only use D-Plus style linking commands (UR=KI4WXSAL) UR=" U").

Hope this helps.

Ken - KC4YOZ

262. Re: How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 00:52:03 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 252 Message: 262

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Richard" <wh6diq@...> wrote:

> UR= individual (currently active) call at distant location, no response.

I think you are indicating callsign routing? This is not supported by DVAP. You need to use linking commands 1st, then switch back to CQCQCQ.

> UR= /specific (currently active) repeater, no response.

Again this is not supported by DVAP. Use as stated previously.

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This is because no linking commands were used.

> Oh, and the lights, I have a slow blinking green, and when I open the DVAP tool it goes to blinking blue.

That's a good thing. Those are good light indications. See http://www.dvapdongle.com/ for linking commands using DVAP. If you have not done linking before, you can learn with the D-Star calculator at http://www.dstarinfo.com/Calculator/Default.htm

You can also call someone and ask. Tim has offered that service.

73's

James, N0XIA

263. Re: Fw: [DVAPDongle] How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 17:26:21 UTC
From: wh6diq_richard_in_honolulu
Topic: 259 Message: 263

My apologies...

I posted originally when I came home for lunch. With the time difference here my response at the end of the day was not timely for mainlanders. I certainly do appreciate the responses, however. And, what a great forum to have so much help, so quickly! DVAP works great, Mahalo!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:
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> Richard.
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> WA6JFK
> Los Angeles
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264. Re: How to confirm "getting out"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-12 17:18:19 UTC
From: wh6diq_richard_in_honolulu
Topic: 252 Message: 264

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n0xia@..." <n0xia@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Richard" <wh6diq@> wrote:
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> (snipped)
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That would be good info to make REALLY clear on the setup instructions! I (and presumably others) would assume the UR would operate exactly the same as without the DVAP. I don't recall seeing anywhere that callsign routing would NOT function the same. Oh, well. That's why we have these great forums!

> You can also call someone and ask. Tim has offered that service.
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> 73's

Yes, there are many knowledgeable and extremely helpful people in the HAM world, much appreciated.
>
> James, N0XIA
>

Thanks, James!

265. broken DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-15 01:23:45 UTC
From: JAMES
Topic: 265 Message: 265

I just purchased a dvap at Hamvention 5/14/10, everything seems to work, but it will not communicate with the internet, did all the installation things and the unit communicated with my 92AD, lower right hand of the screen there is a clock and it is always all zero's, cannot receive any sigs. Any suggestions?

266. DVAP and reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-15 18:46:06 UTC
From: ka0iar_mike
Topic: 266 Message: 266

My problem is this: I can't seem to link to the reflector thru my DVAP. I'm too far from the repeater to hit it with an HT but the DVAP works fine. If someone has the reflector turned on through our club's gateway I can QSO with no problem. But if I link to the repeater and then try to link to the reflector (URCALL = REF030CL, RPT1: K0MDG_ _C, RPT2: K0MDG_ _ G) for example, I don't seem to be linked.

That's the REF they used for Dayton and it sure is quiet when I try to link and it was awfully busy a few hours ago so I assume the link dropped and I can't get it back.

Do I have it programmed incorrectly?
Any ideas?

Mike, KAØIAR

267. Re: broken DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 00:59:09 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 265 Message: 267

Hi James. Come by the booth (96) between 9 and 10 and we'll take a look.

73,
AA4RC
Robin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "JAMES" <w8lwd@...> wrote:
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268. Re: DVAP and reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 01:02:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 266 Message: 268

Hi Mike.

Make sure you are in simplex mode. Rpt1/Rpt2 should not be used in simplex mode.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ka0iar_mike" <orangemd@...> wrote:
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269. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 01:09:22 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 266 Message: 269

don't put anything in rpt1 nor rpt2

you can't link to a repeater and a reflector at the same time.

the dvapdongle website has good instructions

Fran, W1FJM

On Sat, May 15, 2010 at 2:46 PM, ka0iar_mike <orangemd@...> wrote:

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> too far from the repeater to hit it with an HT but the DVAP works fine. If
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> Mike, KAØIAR
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270. Any news or updates for the DVAP announced at Dayton 2010?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 15:02:50 UTC
From: marty.olson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 270 Message: 270

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271. Re: broken DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 01:39:53 UTC
From: wilber457
Topic: 265 Message: 271

I bought one yesterday and it's pretty neat. I have no problem linking and unlinking but I did discover that I'm not registered on the gateway as I can only receive.

Settings that worked for me.

YOUR:REF030CL
RPT1:KC8ZRM A
RPT2:NOT_USE*
MY :KC8ZRM

Hope this helps.

Jeff

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "JAMES" <w8lwd@...> wrote:
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272. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 01:10:09 UTC
From: k1lva@yahoo.com
Topic: 266 Message: 272

I believe the reflector that's being used is REF030B. Not C.
So your settings should look like this to command the DVAP:

To connect UR: REF030BL
REP1 blank
REP2 blank
Then switch to this to talk once linked: UR CQCQCQ
REP1 blank
REP2 blank
Make sure the HT doesn't have a shift in it (simplex).
Hope this helps. -Jarrod

273. Re: DVAP and reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-17 03:09:36 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 266 Message: 273

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ka0iar_mike" <orangemd@...> wrote:
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Make sure your radio is set up as Robin mentioned concerning the RPT 1 and 2 fields in simplex mode. The DVAP can only link to one gateway or reflector at a time. If you link to K0MDG C, that is your linked connection. If you want to link to a reflector, you must disconnect from K0MDG C and then link to the reflector. The way you worded your problem sounds like you are trying to connect to a reflector via K0MDG C.

Maybe I interpreted your statement incorrectly?

Regards,

James, N0XIA

274. Firmware Update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-16 02:16:42 UTC
From: n8ics
Topic: 274 Message: 274

Just Bought DVAP at Hamvention 5/14. Is there a frimware update now?

275. Green Light Not Coming On

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-17 14:50:47 UTC
From: n8ics
Topic: 275 Message: 275

Just a updated reminder. If you have no green light after plugging the DVAP into the USB on your pc it is probably because your are missing the High Speed USB Driver. You should get the Installation wizard looking to Find New Hardware. Tell it to Search The Internet This Time for the files. It might take a minute but it should find it and begin installing it. If you have already exited the wizard you can go into the Device Manager to fix.

1. Right Click "My Computer
2. Click Properties
3. Click Hardware
4. Click Device Manager
5. Scroll down to "Universal Serial Bus Controllers"
6. You should see a "?" on the driver that is having problems
7. Delete the driver with the "?" on it
8. Click the "+" next to the "Universal Serial Bus Controllers"
9. Click "Action" at the top and "Scan For Hardware Changes"
10. This will start the wizaard again and let you try the reinstall of the driver. Make sure you let it search the internet for the driver.

73 N8ICS

276. Re: broken DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-18 19:55:46 UTC
From: Bob N3PUG
Topic: 265 Message: 276

Hello Jeff,

Make sure that you have the "A" in the eighth position or you will not get in. I had the same problem and I was told that you can use it without the "A". Try running it that way and if it works you are good to go!!

Good luck,

Bob N3PUG

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277. Software up date for the DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-18 21:00:42 UTC
From: Bill G
Topic: 277 Message: 277

Does anyone know if the software for the dongle has been up dated,an where do you get it.

Thanks Bill WB5LYB Leesville,La.

278. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: broken DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-18 20:51:54 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 265 Message: 278

Don't put the "A" if you have not added it as a terminal in you gateway registration.

Fran, W1FJM

On Tue, May 18, 2010 at 3:55 PM, Bob N3PUG <n3pug@yahoo.com> wrote:

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> Hello Jeff,
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279. Re: [DVAPDongle] Software up date for the DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-19 00:17:35 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 277 Message: 279

Bill

If you go here.....

http://dvapdongle.com/

You will see that you can get DVAP dongle software at the following location

http://www.opendstar.org/tools

Nothing really new there, but maybe newer than what you have.

I also think that the DVAP software is checking everytime you fire it up as it says "you are running the most current version" etc and I don't think it would know that if it was not checking.

I have never had an update, what is at http://www.opendstar.org/tools is what I am running so hoping for some updates soon.

But I must say that the current software seems to work FB

Brian
WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: Bill G
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2010 2:00 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Software up date for the DONGLE

Does anyone know if the software for the dongle has been up dated,an where do you get it.

Thanks Bill WB5LYB Leesville,La.

280. What does this mean ??? ;-(

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-19 22:28:47 UTC
From: d_foran
Topic: 280 Message: 280

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Ascp device started
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur WB8APD my WB8APD / fc e7bd OK
Ignoring transmit while not connected (WB8APD )
Squelch open, device rss (-57)
rss (-54)
rss (-52)
rss (-50)
Local RF stream end
Unknown command (WB8APD )
Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-57) max (-50)
Closing DVAP device COM10

Unknown command (WB8APD ) this is my call sign

Dave
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281. Re: What does this mean ??? ;-(

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-20 13:47:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 280 Message: 281

Hi Dave. You have "WB8APD " in the URCALL field. That should be either a link/unlink/test command or "CQCQCQ " for talking. Check out the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com .

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "d_foran" <dave@...> wrote:
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> Ascp device started
> New local RF stream:
> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur WB8APD my WB8APD / fc e7bd OK
> Ignoring transmit while not connected (WB8APD)
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> rss (-54)
> rss (-52)
> rss (-50)
> Local RF stream end
> Unknown command (WB8APD)
> Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-57) max (-50)
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282. Re: [DVAPDongle] What does this mean ??? ;-(

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-20 13:59:50 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 280 Message: 282

It looks like you "URCALL" files is wrong. It should be CQCQCQ, not your call sign

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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> Ascp device started
> New local RF stream:
> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur WB8APD my WB8APD / fc e7bd OK
> Ignoring transmit while not connected (WB8APD )
> Squelch open, device rss (-57)
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> rss (-52)
> rss (-50)
> Local RF stream end
> Unknown command (WB8APD )
> Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-57) max (-50)
> Closing DVAP device COM10
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> Unknown command (WB8APD ) this is my call sign
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> Dave
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283. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: What does this mean ??? ;-(

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-20 13:58:53 UTC
From: Dave Foran
Topic: 280 Message: 283

Thanks Robin, but as you saw in my private message.. My 91A/D is kaptuski
of sorts

Dave

On Thu, May 20, 2010 09:47, aa4rc wrote:
> Hi Dave. You have "WB8APD " in the URCALL field. That should be either
> a link/unlink/test command or "CQCQCQ " for talking. Check out the
> instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com .
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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Dave Foran Internet ONLY: dave@...
Cruise Missile Coordinates 41.36.978N 81.25.867W

284. linux 64-bit version of DVAPTool?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-20 18:00:25 UTC
From: Bob Snyder
Topic: 284 Message: 284

Is there a flavor of DVAPTool compiled for amd64 under linux? I can't get it to start due to an issue with libgthread, and I suspect it has to do with my system being a 64-bit system and the binary being 32-bit.

Failing that, does anyone have other suggestions?

Bob
N2KGO

```
rsnyder@susan:~/Desktop/DVAPTool$ ./DVAPTool
./DVAPTool: error while loading shared libraries: libgthread-2.0.so.0:
cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory
```

```
rsnyder@susan:~/Desktop/DVAPTool$ uname -a
Linux susan 2.6.32-trunk-amd64 #1 SMP Sun Jan 10 22:40:40 UTC 2010 x86_64
GNU/Linux
```

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rsnyder@susan:~/Desktop/DVAPTool$ file DVAPTool
DVAPTool: ELF 32-bit LSB executable, Intel 80386, version 1 (SYSV),
dynamically linked (uses shared libs), for GNU/Linux 2.6.9, not stripped
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rsnyder@susan:~/Desktop/DVAPTool$ ls -l /usr/lib/libgthread-2.0.so.0
/usr/lib/libgthread-2.0.so.0.2400.1
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 26 May 3 11:31 /usr/lib/libgthread-2.0.so.0 ->
libgthread-2.0.so.0.2400.1
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 17704 May 3 01:37
/usr/lib/libgthread-2.0.so.0.2400.1
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rsnyder@susan:~/Desktop/DVAPTool$ file /usr/lib/libgthread-2.0.so.0.2400.1
/usr/lib/libgthread-2.0.so.0.2400.1: ELF 64-bit LSB shared object, x86-64,
version 1 (SYSV), dynamically linked, stripped
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285. connected but "receive only"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-20 22:12:11 UTC
From: sadnesssmiling
Topic: 285 Message: 285

hello all

i am new....so please be kind

why is it telling me i am connected but "receive only"?

please help

joe
ab8wl

286. Re: connected but "receive only"?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-21 02:55:12 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 285 Message: 286

Hi Joe. You need to be registered to transmit. Did you follow step "0" at http://www.dvapdongle.com ?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "sadnesssmiling" <ab8wl@...> wrote:
>
> hello all
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> i am new....so please be kind
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> why is it telling me i am connected but "receive only"?
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> joe
> ab8wl
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287. RE: [DVAPDongle] What does this mean ??? ;-(

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-21 10:52:29 UTC
From: Dave Foran
Topic: 280 Message: 287

It is
IT were
IT broke
Now Fixed

Variety of issues

Clear head now prevails

Dave

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis Miele
Sent: Thursday, May 20, 2010 10:00
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] What does this mean ??? ;-(

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Dave

288. New software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-21 20:04:04 UTC
From: kmohler
Topic: 288 Message: 288

Robin -

When are you going to post that cool new software you demoed at the Hamvention? I'm particularly interested in the 2m bandscope. It was great to get to meet you.

Ken
K0WKM

289. DVAP: Hamvention alittle confusion on REF001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-21 21:56:47 UTC
From: todd hartzel
Topic: 289 Message: 289

Greetings,
To the guy that was on REF001C about 1 week ago who was at Dayton or leaving Dayton, on the reflector suggesting/bragging that the 1.02 software/firmware was brand-new. He claimed to have upgraded at the Hamvention. I'm sorry to report, there is nothing new about version 1.02 of the software. I've had my DVAP since March, and I downloaded the 1.02 software a few days before DVAP arrived via UPS (again, in March). I don't remember what his callsign was. But obviously he was confused or perhaps just misinformed. And actually, I think 1.02 has been around since at least February, 2010.

I'm not trying to make that ham look like a fool, but he
was misinformed.

Future features...
I look forward to any new features/upgrades on the software.
The DVAP is a fine product, and works 100% as claimed. I have
not found any problems with it. I really appreciate the fact the
unit runs very COOL (in fact, no heat at all), and draws power
only from the USB port itself. And it does indeed cover more
than just my house. I could walk around in my neighborhood
and still use it with no external antenna attachment on it.

I am located only just slighty outside of the coverage zone of The
St Louis D-STAR repeaters - K0MDG). Well, HT range.
Hence, the reason for me to get a DVAP.

73 from n0vkg / Todd in St Louis, MO USA

290. help me get my head around this....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-21 22:02:25 UTC
From: sadnesssmiling
Topic: 290 Message: 290

hello all

tell me if i have got this straight

first thank you robin aa4rc for helping me "officially" register my call sign (i thought i was...long story) and thank you again for a great product!

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thanks in advance for any advice
joe
ab8wl

291. Re: DVAP: Hamvention alittle confusion on REF001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-22 04:19:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 289 Message: 291

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292. Re: [DVAPDongle] help me get my head around this....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-22 04:21:56 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 290 Message: 292

You really only need one "Generic" Unlink program memory also

with the U in the 8th position.

Brian
WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: sadnesssmiling
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, May 21, 2010 3:02 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] help me get my head around this....

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293. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP: Hamvention alittle confusion on REF001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-22 11:35:48 UTC
From: Marty Olson
Topic: 289 Message: 293

Are any of the updates for Mac users, thanks.

Marty Olson
404 502 7030 (mobile)
Phone, VM, and Text
mlolson@...

On May 22, 2010, at 12:19 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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294. Re: DVAP: Hamvention alittle confusion on REF001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-22 13:01:28 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 289 Message: 294

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295. Re: DVAP: Hamvention alittle confusion on REF001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-23 00:46:31 UTC
From: todd hartzel
Topic: 289 Message: 295

Greetings Robin,
Ok. Sorry I added to the confusion even more. No problem.
Cool then. I look forward to an updater. Now that I look at my own.
I do realize now mine says: 1.01 ; upon boot-up. My unit stays on
for days at a time, before each reboot.

Again, sorry for extending the confusion.
73 from todd hartzel / n0vkg

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296. Re: [DVAPDongle] help me get my head around this....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-22 15:34:00 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 290 Message: 296

You have it correct except for the unlink. Just put a "U" in the 8th character, no callsign, and the you can use it to unlink from any repeater.

Fran, W1FJM

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297. DVAP missed keepalive from gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-23 13:41:58 UTC
From: rickt33350548
Topic: 297 Message: 297

Hi,
I just got my DVAP up and running late last night.
I connect fine using my IC-92AD.
It seems to time out and I get a "missed keepalive from gateway" on the computer screen.
Is this something I can change?
Thanks
Rick T

298. Re: DVAP missed keepalive from gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-23 14:45:12 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 297 Message: 298

Hi Rick. The missed keepalive message shows internet issues somewhere between you and the system with which you are connected. Causes can include:

1) flakey internet connection to your ISP
2) flakey router (we've seen a few routers that had to be replaced)
3) you are trying to use the DVAP with a WIFI or cellular data connection that is flakey
4) the system with which you are connected has a flakey internet connection
5) your family is downloading DVDs while you are active... :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "rickt33350548" <radiorick@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
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> I connect fine using my IC-92AD.
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> Is this something I can change?
> Thanks
> Rick T
>

299. Squelch settings

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-24 02:17:30 UTC
From: pcs32@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 299 Message: 299

Hello,

I'm new to the DVAP (Love it by the way) and have a couple questions about the settings.

What is the proper way to set the squelch?

How much noise should I see? It fluctuates between one bar and 3 bars.

Thank you in advance and I look forward to chatting with you on the DVAP.

Ken
N6SVX

300. Re: [DVAPDongle] What does this mean ??? ;-(

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-20 13:53:40 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 280 Message: 300

Looks to me like you have some wrong settings in your callsign area of your radio.

?

UR should be something like REF003BL? (That would link you to reflector 3 port B)

?

R1 and R2 are BLANK

?

MY would be WA6JFK (that is my callsign)

?

Brian

WA6JFK

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301. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP: Hamvention alittle confusion on REF001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-22 13:38:35 UTC
From: Marty Olson
Topic: 289 Message: 301

Thank you so much for the quick response, the whole DV dongle and DVAP product line is great and has great customer service (getting our dumb questions answered)...thanks...MO

Marty

MartyOlson
404 890 8574 (home office - phone and VM)
404 502 7030 (mobile - phone, VM, and text)

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
Reply-To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
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> mlolson@...
>
> On May 22, 2010, at 12:19 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> > Hi Todd. Actually, he was correct. You are refering to the DVAPTool
> > version 1.02. He (correctly) was referring to the DVAP firmware
> > version 1.02 which was released at Dayton.
> >
> > We are testing an update to 1.02 now and hope to release a firmware
> > updater for 1.03 this weekend. Stay tuned...
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin

> > AA4RC
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> ,
todd hartzel <toddhartzel@>
> > wrote:
> > >
> > > Greetings,
> > > To the guy that was on REF001C about 1 week ago who was at Dayton
> > or leaving Dayton, on the reflector suggesting/bragging that the
> > 1.02 software/firmware was brand-new. He claimed to have upgraded at
> > the Hamvention. I'm sorry to report, there is nothing new about
> > version 1.02 of the software. I've had my DVAP since March, and I
> > downloaded the 1.02 software a few days before DVAP arrived via UPS
> > (again, in March). I don't remember what his callsign was. But
> > obviously he was confused or perhaps just misinformed. And actually,
> > I think 1.02 has been around since at least February, 2010.
> > >
> > > I'm not trying to make that ham look like a fool, but he
> > > was misinformed.
> > >
> > > Future features...
> > > I look forward to any new features/upgrades on the software.
> > > The DVAP is a fine product, and works 100% as claimed. I have
> > > not found any problems with it. I really appreciate the fact the
> > > unit runs very COOL (in fact, no heat at all), and draws power
> > > only from the USB port itself. And it does indeed cover more
> > > than just my house. I could walk around in my neighborhood
> > > and still use it with no external antenna attachment on it.
> > >
> > > I am located only just slighty outside of the coverage zone of The
> > > St Louis D-STAR repeaters - K0MDG). Well, HT range.
> > > Hence, the reason for me to get a DVAP.
> > >
> > > 73 from n0vkg / Todd in St Louis, MO USA
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302. Re: Squelch settings

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-24 13:33:02 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 299 Message: 302

Hi Ken,
For DStar, the squelch is not very critical and can be set somewhere above the RSSI noise level and it will work fine. It is only used to keep from decoding noise and randomly burping some "R2D2" into the system.

As for the RSSI level, your 1-3 bars is about right. If it is more than half scale I would try a different frequency or move it away from the computer.

There is a little more info at the end of this page for the more technically curious or if you just need some help going to sleep :)

http://www.moetronix.com/dvapdongle/index.htm

73's moe ae4jy

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "pcs32@..." <pcs32@...> wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I'm new to the DVAP (Love it by the way) and have a couple questions about the settings.
>
> What is the proper way to set the squelch?
>
> How much noise should I see? It fluctuates between one bar and 3 bars.
>
> Thank you in advance and I look forward to chatting with you on the DVAP.
>
> Ken
> N6SVX
>

303. Re: [DVAPDongle] Squelch settings

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-24 13:10:25 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 299 Message: 303

pcs32@... wrote:
> Hello,
>
> I'm new to the DVAP

We are all new to the DVAP... except Robin.

>
> How much noise should I see? It fluctuates between one bar and 3 bars.

This will vary, dependent on your location, and any RF noise sources that may or may not be nearby.

> What is the proper way to set the squelch?

I set mine just a bit above the noise. Example, at my location, the noise fluctuates around 2 or 3 bars, or around -115dBm (give or take). I have my squelch set at -110dBm.

The noise level you see would roughly represent the noise you hear on your FM 2 meter radio when you open the squelch knob. And like you would set your squelch knob just beyond where it gates the noise, you would do similar on your DVAP.

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304. Dayton youtube videos posted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-25 01:47:57 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 304 Message: 304

Hi folks. I did a video tour of the Dayton hamfest this year and have posted a few of the videos. You will probably recognize some of the people there.

Dayton in 1 minute: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vz9Q-MynW8A

Dayton in 10 minutes: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fk6AfCeXB9I

Dayton People: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OXiZpwB_npM

I'll be posting the normal length videos as soon as I've processed them.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

305. Re: Squelch settings

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-24 14:41:58 UTC
From: pcs32@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 299 Message: 305

Ok, thank you very much. I did see a particularly curious thing the other day and then began to worry about the squelch. I sat down at the computer and looked at the DVAP application and it said, "transmiting to REF014C" on the bottom left. At that point, it got me thinking about the squelch as I wasn't transmitting and I wondered how long it had been transmitting. Currently I have it set for...

-91db

and the average noise it reports is around

-109db to -114db

Thanks again for the information!

Ken
N6SVX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "moe_wheatley" <ae4jy@...> wrote:
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> Hi Ken,
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307. DVAP - streaming audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-25 19:31:58 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 307 Message: 307

Is it possible to stream the audio from a dvap? I'd be interested in streaming for example REF001C from my computer at home, so I can listen at work. Has anyone done this and if so how?

BTW, I'm using linux so a linux solution is what I'm looking for.

Thanks,

Kevin, KB1OBG

308. Re: Squelch settings

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-26 12:17:32 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 299 Message: 308

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:

>
> Hi Moe, Thanks for the technical pdf link. Is the reason that the
> transceiver max TX power spec of 20dbm cannot be achieved; due
> to power limitations from the usb power supply, or just the circuit
> design?
>
> regards
>
> Adrian
>
> vk4tux
>

Hi Adrian,
The DVAP RF performance is all based on the Analog Devices ADF7021-N chip.
http://www.analog.com/en/rfif-components/short-range-transceivers/adf7021-n/products/product.html

Its maximum output power is 13dBm so thats the limiting factor.

To extend the range one would need not only a power amp but also a pre-amp for the receiver since it does not hear as well as an HT with a pre-amp. Add to that its IF filters are very simple so adjacent channel interference is an issue.

The DVAP does ok for its intended purpose for short range use. Trying to turn it into a high performance transceiver is probably more work/cost than its worth. Maybe a slightly higher power version with a decent preamp version would have some use to extend the range to a few miles but would probably get killed in an urban area with intermod and adjacent channel interference.

73's
Moe

309. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - streaming audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-26 13:12:56 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 307 Message: 309

I don't believe there is any audio circuit in the dvap. It is just a tranceiver. You could do it with a DVDongle.

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM.

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

On Tue, May 25, 2010 at 3:31 PM, kb1obg <kb1obg@...> wrote:

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> Is it possible to stream the audio from a dvap? I'd be interested in
> streaming for example REF001C from my computer at home, so I can listen at
> work. Has anyone done this and if so how?
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> BTW, I'm using linux so a linux solution is what I'm looking for.
>
> Thanks,
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> Kevin, KB1OBG
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311. can dvap dongle function as orig dv dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-26 21:15:23 UTC
From: james
Topic: 311 Message: 311

silly question but could i use a dvap w head set in the same way as dv

a friend of mine says you can not but i figured that by default you could

JIM

312. Re: can dvap dongle function as orig dv dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-26 21:30:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 311 Message: 312

Hi Jim. The DVAP is not a DV Dongle and cannot do the same. There is no need for an AMBE chip for the DVAP since the radio already has one.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "james" <jimmy.sull@...> wrote:
>
> silly question but could i use a dvap w head set in the same way as dv
>
> a friend of mine says you can not but i figured that by default you could
>
> JIM
>

313. Re: [DVAPDongle] can dvap dongle function as orig dv dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-26 22:31:38 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 311 Message: 313

the DVAP is a transceiver and has no way to produce any audio on it's own,
You need a dstar radio

Fran, W1FJM

On Wed, May 26, 2010 at 5:15 PM, james <jimmy.sull@...> wrote:

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>
> silly question but could i use a dvap w head set in the same way as dv
>
> a friend of mine says you can not but i figured that by default you could
>
> JIM
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314. Re: Squelch settings

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-26 23:42:30 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 299 Message: 314

> Thanks Moe I meant 13dBm not 20dBm, getting crosswired with the 20mw
> output that provides.
> I was basically just wondering why the dvap power scale stops at 10dBm
> instead of 13dBm.
>
> regards
>
> Adrian
>
> vk4tux
>

The chip does about 13dBm but there is a funky Rx/Tx matching network and a low pass harmonic filter using small 0603 low Q coils so the actual output is closer to 10dBm. Selecting +10dBm in the program runs the chip full blast so there's not much more to squeeze out of it.

Moe

315. Fresh install of XP, can not find drivers for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-28 14:45:57 UTC
From: n1otw
Topic: 315 Message: 315

HI all,
I just rebuilt my laptop that I used to use my DVAP with. Since the rebuild I have not been able to get XP to load the driver(s) for the DVAP. I follow the same directions as when I first installed the device on the same PC, but no luck. I am running XP Pro, SP3. Toshiba Satellite M20.

Any help would be great,
Thanks,

Pat, N1OTW

316. Re: Fresh install of XP, can not find drivers for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-29 02:05:09 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 315 Message: 316

Hi Pat. That usually means that you did not have internet service when you plugged in the device. Try going to http://www.ftdichip.com and download the drivers for Windows.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n1otw" <n1otw@...> wrote:
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> HI all,
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> Any help would be great,
> Thanks,
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> Pat, N1OTW
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317. DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 00:20:29 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 317 Message: 317

Greets,
i am using a IC92AD with the GPS Mic, will the DPRS position be relayed if i am connected to a reflector?

318. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 13:19:32 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 317 Message: 318

The DVAP does NOT currently report to DPRS. I believe Robin said it is something that may come in a future release.

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

On Sat, May 29, 2010 at 8:20 PM, Jason W <jason.prime65334@...> wrote:

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319. Re: DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 13:43:25 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 317 Message: 319

Hi Jason. DPRS data is currently passed through when GPS data comes in from an RF repeater module to the gateway. Pete's DStarMonitor program picks it up and passes it on to the APRS network. Since your GPS data is not coming in through this path, it is not currently being picked up and forwarded.

There is a fair amount of work (cudos to Pete) involved in parsing the data and connecting to the APRS network for forwarding. I'm hoping to do this with a future release.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jason W" <jason.prime65334@...> wrote:
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320. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 13:49:24 UTC
From: Steve
Topic: 317 Message: 320

Then what is the use for the $175 GPS speaker mic Icom sells for the IC-92

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis Miele
Sent: Sunday, May 30, 2010 8:20 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

The DVAP does NOT currently report to DPRS. I believe Robin said it is something that may come in a future release.

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Fran, W1FJM

On Sat, May 29, 2010 at 8:20 PM, Jason W <jason.prime65334@...> wrote:

Greets,
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321. Re: Fresh install of XP, can not find drivers for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-29 04:05:38 UTC
From: n1otw
Topic: 315 Message: 321

Thanks Robin,

I actually did have a good internet connection, thats what was bugging me. Anyway, I did previously search the site you sent me to, but didn't know what I was looking at, at first. I found the drivers now we are good to go!

Thanks again,
73,

Pat, N1OTW

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322. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 15:41:13 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 317 Message: 322

It's a nice mic and the radio can be used without the DVAP and also can be used on analog.

Fran, W1FJM

On Sun, May 30, 2010 at 9:49 AM, Steve <steve77979@...> wrote:

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> Then what is the use for the $175 GPS speaker mic Icom sells for the
> IC-92
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323. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 14:23:47 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 317 Message: 323

The speaker microphone for the 92AD works when you go through RF repeaters and gateways for sure.

Just at this point you won't show up on any maps if using the DVAP (yet).

Brian
Los Angeles

On May 30, 2010, at 6:49 AM, Steve wrote:

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324. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 15:51:44 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 317 Message: 324

If you will ONLY ever be connected into the network via a DVAP, or
unless you send GPS info directly to another station (via simplex), then
there would be no use for one.

On 5/30/2010 6:49 AM, Steve wrote:
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>
> Then what is the use for the $175 GPS speaker mic Icom sells for the IC-92
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325. Re: DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 19:51:20 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 317 Message: 325

its a well built mic BTW and does imporve the audio

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mark Krotz <mkrotz@...> wrote:
>
> If you will ONLY ever be connected into the network via a DVAP, or
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>

326. Re: DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 19:37:57 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 317 Message: 326

keep it until robin puts the support in, i have a TM-D710 and avmap for APRS, but i love the speakermic for its audio

Jason WX4JCW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Steve" <steve77979@...> wrote:
>
> Then what is the use for the $175 GPS speaker mic Icom sells for the IC-92
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>

328. Re: DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-30 19:47:37 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 317 Message: 328

No Worries Robin, i was just curious, man im loving the dvap on the road in my 18 wheeler

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Jason. DPRS data is currently passed through when GPS data comes in from an RF repeater module to the gateway. Pete's DStarMonitor program picks it up and passes it on to the APRS network. Since your GPS data is not coming in through this path, it is not currently being picked up and forwarded.
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329. The DVAP is a beauty!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-31 08:21:38 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 329 Message: 329

G'day Robin and all on the list...

I've had the DVAP since Easter, it's been a ripper since day one and hasn't missed a beat despite some fairly heavy use at times. I've taken it camping a few times and as long as I can keep the laptop powered, we've got D-Star access at our campsite.

The DVAP continues to get excellent reviews... http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/8802

It's RF range is excellent for what it is. It travels in the laptop bag everywhere I go - it's just so portable. And as our 3G coverage is very good in Australia, we can provide global D-Star access from just about anywhere.

I assume these are still selling like hot cakes!!

Robin, any more thought on a 70cm version yet? A few of us in VK3 have been talking about a 70cm version lately - we'd certainly love to see one. You know we're an impatient lot!

Everyone seems to be asking about the DVAP... :-)

Keep up the great work.

Cheers from Australia!

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA

330. Re: The DVAP is a beauty!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-31 14:25:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 329 Message: 330

Hi Nik. Thanks for the positive feedback. We are actively "discussing" a 70cm version. There was quite a bit of interest in that band at Dayton.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...> wrote:
>
> G'day Robin and all on the list...
>
> I've had the DVAP since Easter, it's been a ripper since day one and hasn't missed a beat despite some fairly heavy use at times. I've taken it camping a few times and as long as I can keep the laptop powered, we've got D-Star access at our campsite.
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> Keep up the great work.
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> Cheers from Australia!
>
> Nik Presser
> VK3BA
> Geelong
> http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA
>

331. need info re callsign lock

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-05-31 21:01:37 UTC
From: wh6diq_richard_in_honolulu
Topic: 331 Message: 331

If lock is not checked, others can access my hotspot, yes? Does this pose a risk to A) my computer files; B) my license; or C) my DVAP (can, for example, frequency settings be changed?)?

I'm loving the DVAP, just discovered I can hit it from several blocks away (in the city) if I connect a magmount and stick it on the fridge!

One other general comment, I have found that when I'm in the same room as the DVAP with my 92AD, I MUST drop to low power to transmit through the DVAP, otherwise either nothing or r2d2 goes out...just an fyi that's not in the manual :)

73's

332. Can you do this?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-01 00:20:00 UTC
From: wilber457
Topic: 332 Message: 332

Hi,

I picked up a DVAP at Dayton and it's been alot of fun. There are 2 things that I would like to be able to do and not sure if ver 1.02 supports.

1. if there was a time stamp at the beginning of the "new stream" line in the DOS window and the "Transmit state (OFF)".

2. is there a way to log the DOS window contents to a file?

Is there a way to do these in the software? If not would they be somepl to implement? They sound pretty simple and might be nice to haves.

Just a thought...

Thanks,

Jeff
KC8ZRM

333. Re: Can you do this?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-01 15:13:03 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 332 Message: 333

Hi Jeff. I've considered both. I'll put them on the list...

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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334. DVAP transmitting problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 03:03:36 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 334 Message: 334

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Any ideas would be appreciated.

Thanks,

Jim, NS3K

335. Re: DVAP transmitting problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 12:06:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 334 Message: 335

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336. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 12:31:01 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 317 Message: 336

Actually don't forget that if you are connector to a reflector or a repeater, the GPS information will be sent to everyone listening.

A couple of reminders in evolution...

The IC-92 was available for about a year before the DVAP was introduced.
Icom doesn't support ANY of the DPRS to APRS gateways, that's all Pete's doings.
None of the Japanese repeaters have Pete's software running

And always remember, there's seldom a great reason why you need any Amateur Equipment.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Mark Krotz
Sent: Sunday, May 30, 2010 11:52 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

If you will ONLY ever be connected into the network via a DVAP, or unless you send GPS info directly to another station (via simplex), then there would be no use for one.

On 5/30/2010 6:49 AM, Steve wrote:
Then what is the use for the $175 GPS speaker mic Icom sells for the IC-92

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
[mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis Miele
Sent: Sunday, May 30, 2010 8:20 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and D-PRS

The DVAP does NOT currently report to DPRS. I believe Robin said it is something that may come in a future release.
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Fran, W1FJM

On Sat, May 29, 2010 at 8:20 PM, Jason W
<jason.prime65334@...<mailto:jason.prime65334@...>> wrote:

Greets,
i am using a IC92AD with the GPS Mic, will the DPRS position be relayed if i am connected to a reflector?

337. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP transmitting problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 13:26:22 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 334 Message: 337

Thanks for your help. I believe the problem is solved.

Jim, NS3K

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wed, June 2, 2010 8:06:19 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP transmitting problem

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338. Re: Can you do this?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 14:30:56 UTC
From: John
Topic: 332 Message: 338

You can log the DOS window to a file using standard DOS output command. Instead of starting the application from the icon, open a command prompt window first and in the directory where the .exe file is use the command example:

C:\>DVAPTool-1.02.exe >dvap.log

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339. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can you do this?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 20:47:57 UTC
From: Doug Ferrell
Topic: 332 Message: 339

Should also be able to view it in real-time using something like "baretail" pgm. Kinda like the Linux "tail" prgm.

...DOUG, KD4MOJ
30MDG#1076, FH#1125
KD4MOJ-63 APRS Messenger 2.48

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of John
Sent: Wednesday, June 02, 2010 10:31 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can you do this?

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340. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP transmitting problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-02 20:12:13 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 334 Message: 340

Jim,

What do you think solved the problem?

The internet equipment reboot?

Thanks

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: Jim McCloskey
Sent: Jun 2, 2010 9:26 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP transmitting problem

Thanks for your help. I believe the problem is solved.

Jim, NS3K

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...m>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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341. DVAP web site updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-03 22:30:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 341 Message: 341

The DVAP web site http://www.dvapdongle.com has been updated with new content. Please feel free to review and send comments directly back to me (not to the list).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

342. New firmware and utilities released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-03 22:51:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 342 Message: 342

As announced at Dayton, new firmware has been released for the DVAP. This new firmware version 1.03 is newer than that released at Dayton so folks that upgraded there will also need to upgrade. The new features include:

Update to frequency locking algorithm that should help mobile users

2 meter band scanner for help locating the best operating frequency

TX relay driver for the onboard header

FM transmit/receive with DTMF decoding

Moe Wheatley (AE4JY) has made a firmware update program available for Windows. He also released test programs for the 2 meter scanner and FM mode. Take a look at the readme file on the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com for instructions on downloading and using the programs. Note that the functionality provided by these programs will be added to DVAPTool soon so that users on all platforms may use them.

The DVAP utility program also has a frequency calibration capability. Be very careful if you use this as you can detune the DVAP if you are not using an accurate frequency counter or station monitor.

We hope to use the FM features with Echolink some time in the future. For now, it is just something interesting to play with. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

343. If you have problems updating firmware...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-04 01:01:30 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 342 Message: 343

We've seen some folks have a problem updating to the new firmware. The error includes a missing FTD2XX.dll file. This indicates your FTDI drivers are out of date. Please go to http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm and download/install the latest drivers. You will probabaly have to reboot after updating the drivers.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

344. D-STAR @ the Atlanta Hamfest this weekend

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-04 14:54:46 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 344 Message: 344

Here's a reminder on D-STAR activities at the Atlanta Hamfest for this Saturday.

* The D-STAR Forum is scheduled for 9:00am in the Forum area of Building B. There will be something for all D-STAR users from beginners to experienced users, including an update on the Georgia D-STAR Network and information on D-RATS, the premier data communications tool for D-STAR.
* Georgia D-STAR will be located at tables 75 and 76 in Building B just outside the Forum area. D-STAR, DVAP and DV Dongle information and the latest edition of the DSTARINFO Newsletterwill be available in the booth.
* KJ4BDF B repeater will be in operation on 440.7250+ and on display in the booth.

The Hamfest runs from 8:00am - 3:00pm on Saturday at Jim Miller Park in Marietta, GA.

345. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP transmitting problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-04 20:20:31 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 334 Message: 345

Turns out is was a callsign error in the radio.

Jim

From: Brian Frobisher <froby@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wed, June 2, 2010 4:12:13 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP transmitting problem

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346. Issues with DVAP V1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-06 17:35:40 UTC
From: Dale Grant
Topic: 346 Message: 346

Was wondering if any one using the new firmware version of DVAP 1.03 are having any issues?

I seem to be hearing a lot more R2D2 that I had before. Also when I am transmitting I seem to be dropping out during my transmission at some point. Many times when I unkey someone is already talking.

Also can I get the older firmware version 1.01 somewhere as I would like to try to confirm my findings?

Thanks

Dale / VE6CPK

347. RE: [DVAPDongle] Issues with DVAP V1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-06 19:26:28 UTC
From: Bob McCormick W1QA
Topic: 346 Message: 347

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> are having any issues?
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> I seem to be hearing a lot more R2D2 that I had before. Also when I am
> transmitting I seem to be dropping out during my transmission at some
> point. Many times when I unkey someone is already talking.

I recently upgrade the DVAP from 1.02 to the 1.03 released on the
Internet the other day. I have not seen any differences between
the two in my usage.

> Also can I get the older firmware version 1.01 somewhere as I would
> like to try to confirm my findings?

Not a bad idea - would be nice to be able to revert to a previous
version of firmwarwe.

Bob W1QA

348. Re: Issues with DVAP V1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-07 17:22:24 UTC
From: pcs32@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 346 Message: 348

I'm having the same issue. Seems I get more R2D2 and it appears rhythmically about every 12-18 seconds. I'm hoping this is something that can be fixed. I didn't used to get any R2D2 on K6MDD and now I get it pretty consistent. Robin, any hope of being able to look at this?

I run Windows 7.

Thank you!

Ken
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349. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-07 23:14:40 UTC
From: JAMES
Topic: 171 Message: 349

I purchased a DVAP at Hamvention, while using my IC92AD on lowest power setting in close to the DVAP, I was receiving reports of drop out and R2D2, fixed the problem by wraping DVAP in aluminum foil and placing a one loop turn ferite core on the USB cable nearest the DVAP. Seems that DVAP is easily overloaded even with a very low signal, also had problems using a gain antenna on DVAP, went back to supplied antenna for a no problem solution.

350. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-08 00:56:59 UTC
From: rmeiring@iinet.net.au
Topic: 171 Message: 350

Hi James,

What an brilliant idea to use a piece of ferrite. These USB cables indeed radiate quite a bit of noise. The aluminum is also a very practical approach also on how to attenuate the signal. I don't think we have to worry much about the VSWR caused by the effects of the aluminum attenuator as such low power levels.

The ferrite would be a good suggestion for the manual [which I must admit haven't read :-)]
I also wondered why the DVAP doesn't have a two diodes on the RX input to limit strong signals.
But perhaps this idea has been tested by the developer of this brilliant piece of gear.

I suppose one could also test a 10dB SMA attenuators if you just want to use it in and around the shack.... but I will put a nail in the wall and hang my DVAP on a piece of string so it is a bit further away from my PC. I will also do 2 turns with my USB cable around a piece of ferrite.

Which frequency to use for the DVAP. I guess that rather using the standard freq one could also a hand held radio to see which one doesn't have a birdy from the PC or other gear in the shack.
That might also help to improve the signal to noise ratio and as such help to reduce QRM/R2D2 related problems. Remember that the PC is not the only source of QRM in the shack. Modems and other electronic gadgets can produce also quite a bit of QRM on our 2m band.

Always a happy chappy with this piece of gear. Thanks for the suggestions on how to use it.

73 Ron
www.vk4dd.com

On Tue Jun 8 9:14 , 'JAMES' sent:

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352. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Issues with DVAP V1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-08 02:41:14 UTC
From: Dale Grant
Topic: 346 Message: 352

Hi Ken, Dale VE6CPK here. I was listening to Connie"s net last night and was getting a lot more R2D2 than normal. Also there seemed to be a little blurb, squeak, or a brief R2D2 sound every 15 seconds or so. I was also listening to it on our local repeater and noticed it to be muck better. I would like to go back to version 1.01 and see if I'm getting the same results just to confirm my findings. I do not think it is my internet connection as I do have a broadband high speed connection in both directions.

One more thought is that a couple of us locally have upgraded and have noticed that our transmission are dropping out now and then. So now I have a tendency to keep my transmission a little shorter.

Anyway I use mine a lot and either hope for a solution or maybe revert back to version 1.01 for now which I am not sure where to get at this time. Maybe someone can help with that.

I use my net book with windows 7 and also on my main computer running XP Pro. Both are having same results.

Thanks

Dale
VE6CPK

On 6/7/2010 11:22 AM, pcs32@... wrote:

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353. Re: Issues with DVAP V1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-08 10:28:48 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 346 Message: 353

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Hi Dale,
Do you see this problem when in "echo mode" (UR == DVAP E)? This will help isolate a dvap problem from a network problem since the echo mode just loops back locally.

Moe ae4jy

354. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-08 01:55:38 UTC
From: Bob McCormick W1QA
Topic: 171 Message: 354

Ron VK4DD wrote:

(snip)
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Much easier than that! Go to the web site and grab the latest downloads ... there is a nifty little utility that will display the RF spectrum - can show the whole 2m band or zoom right into a given frequency. Also has peak hold - so just fire it up and see where its quiet.

Bob W1QA

355. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-08 11:29:08 UTC
From: rmeiring@iinet.net.au
Topic: 171 Message: 355

Thanks Bob,

Looks like the way to go.
Will put some alu foil also around my DVAP.

Cheers
Ron

On Mon Jun 7 21:55 , 'Bob McCormick W1QA' sent:

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Date: 2010-06-08 14:25:27 UTC
From: pcs32@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 346 Message: 356

Hi Moe,

I tested mine this morning when I got up and did 5 ten second countdowns. 2 of 5 had an R2D2 glitch in them. I tested them on low power about 15 feet from the Dvap so that I didn't overload the unit. Hope this helps!

Ken
N6SVX

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> > Dale / VE6CPK
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> Hi Dale,
> Do you see this problem when in "echo mode" (UR == DVAP E)? This will help isolate a dvap problem from a network problem since the echo mode just loops back locally.
>
> Moe ae4jy
>

357. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-08 19:58:12 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 171 Message: 357

I would suggest also paying attention to the band plan for your area when shoosing a "open" frequency. Just because you don't hear something there, doesn't mean that freq isn't being utilized for something that you might interfere with.

Mark

---- Bob McCormick W1QA <yahoo@...> wrote:
> Ron VK4DD wrote:
>
> (snip)
> > Which frequency to use for the DVAP. I guess that rather
> > using the standard freq one could also a hand held radio
> > to see which one doesn't have a birdy from the PC or other
> > gear in the shack.
>
> Much easier than that! Go to the web site and grab the latest
> downloads ... there is a nifty little utility that will display
> the RF spectrum - can show the whole 2m band or zoom right into
> a given frequency. Also has peak hold - so just fire it up and
> see where its quiet.
>
> Bob W1QA

358. Re: Issues with DVAP V1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-09 10:52:59 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 346 Message: 358

Having same issue here. Connected to K0MDG C and B yesterday and constant issues all day with audio dropping, R2D2, not hearing other stations at times, and them not hearing me at times. Very annoying.

I have a business grade internet connection with 1.5 up and 10 down. Bandwidth here is not issue.

Echo test works just fine.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "pcs32@..." <pcs32@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Moe,
>
> I tested mine this morning when I got up and did 5 ten second countdowns. 2 of 5 had an R2D2 glitch in them. I tested them on low power about 15 feet from the Dvap so that I didn't overload the unit. Hope this helps!
>
> Ken
> N6SVX
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "moe_wheatley" <ae4jy@> wrote:
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dale Grant <dalegrant@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Was wondering if any one using the new firmware version of DVAP 1.03
> > > are having any issues?
> > >
> > > I seem to be hearing a lot more R2D2 that I had before. Also when I am
> > > transmitting I seem to be dropping out during my transmission at some
> > > point. Many times when I unkey someone is already talking.
> > >
> > > Also can I get the older firmware version 1.01 somewhere as I would like
> > > to try to confirm my findings?
> > >
> > > Thanks
> > >
> > > Dale / VE6CPK
> > >
> >

> > Hi Dale,
> > Do you see this problem when in "echo mode" (UR == DVAP E)? This will help isolate a dvap problem from a network problem since the echo mode just loops back locally.
> >
> > Moe ae4jy
> >
>

359. DVAP firmware 1.04 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-09 12:01:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 359 Message: 359

Hi folks. The problem with some folks seeing more R2D2 with 1.02/1.03 has been found and fixed. Download the new firmware updater from http://www.dvapdongle.com on the Downloads page (DvapUpdater 1.04).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

360. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP firmware 1.04 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 00:16:17 UTC
From: David Billeci
Topic: 359 Message: 360

Robin,

My PC is reporting missing ordinal 80 in the FTD2XX.dll file when I run the 1.04 updater and the 1.02FM executables. The standard 1.02 runs fine. DVAP is on line. Darryl WA6YTD via hearsay from WW6USA, Larry apparently had no issue. Larry acquired the same warning message as me. I'm running Vista Ultimate.

Dave WA6UHA

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From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Wednesday, June 09, 2010 5:02 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP firmware 1.04 released

Hi folks. The problem with some folks seeing more R2D2 with 1.02/1.03 has been found and fixed. Download the new firmware updater from http://www.dvapdongle.com on the Downloads page (DvapUpdater 1.04).

73,
Robin
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The message was checked by ESET NOD32 Antivirus.

http://www.eset.com

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361. FCC required station ID?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 03:27:42 UTC
From: n7xah
Topic: 361 Message: 361

Hi,
as a new member of this group and new DVAP owner, I was wondering how the FCC required station ID is handled in the DVAP. So far I have not seen any indication on-air or on the computer that the station operator call is transmitted locally on the air.
So do we need to ID the DVAP ourselves or would it be possible to implement some form of ID in the software?

Thanks and 73,
Achim N7XAH/AAR0AD

362. Re: DVAP firmware 1.04 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 12:02:53 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 359 Message: 362

Hi Dave. Your FTDI drivers are out of date. Go to http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm and download/install the latest.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "David Billeci" <youha@...> wrote:
>
> Robin,
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> 1.04 updater and the 1.02FM executables. The standard 1.02 runs fine. DVAP
> is on line. Darryl WA6YTD via hearsay from WW6USA, Larry apparently had no
> issue. Larry acquired the same warning message as me. I'm running Vista
> Ultimate.
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> Dave WA6UHA
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> Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Wednesday, June 09, 2010 5:02 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP firmware 1.04 released
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> been found and fixed. Download the new firmware updater from
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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363. Re: FCC required station ID?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 12:13:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 361 Message: 363

Hi Achim. The DVAP should be ID'ing every time it transmits just like a repeater. As a result, you don't need periodic ID messages.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n7xah" <photogusa3@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
> as a new member of this group and new DVAP owner, I was wondering how the FCC required station ID is handled in the DVAP. So far I have not seen any indication on-air or on the computer that the station operator call is transmitted locally on the air.
> So do we need to ID the DVAP ourselves or would it be possible to implement some form of ID in the software?
>
> Thanks and 73,
> Achim N7XAH/AAR0AD
>

364. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: FCC required station ID?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 14:17:17 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 361 Message: 364

I am thinking that when using DSTAR of any kind, you really don't need to voice ID as it is like Packet Radio, your callsign is included in each transmission.

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-----Original Message-----
From: aa4rc
Sent: Jun 10, 2010 5:13 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: FCC required station ID?

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365. DVAP connects to repeater Recieve Only on one repeater and not another

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 21:22:27 UTC
From: Louis
Topic: 365 Message: 365

Hi all,

New to this particular group! Just got my hands on a DVAP. Wow! Really cool device.

Just so everyone knows, I did a search on this question before posting.

I am admin for two repeater stacks here in Orlando (K1XC and W4PLB). When I connect to K1XC the DVAP works great. When I connect to W4PLB, it only connects receive only. Having trouble wrapping my head around the fact there is no problem with one and a problem with the other would logically lead one to suspect a problem with the W4PLB gateway. However, I have used a Dongle on PLB and others are using DVAPs and Dongles just fine on W4PLB. This would lead one to believe I have a local problem.

I just love this stuff. Any ideas?

73
Louis

366. Re: DVAP connects to repeater Recieve Only on one repeater and not another

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 21:41:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 365 Message: 366

Hi Louis. Watch the end of /var/log/dplus.log for the login message when you connect from the DVAP. Then check to make sure the exact callsign listed in that message is in /dstar/tmp/users.txt.

It is usually a syncing issue with the gateway.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Louis" <lcashmer@...> wrote:
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> Hi all,
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> 73
> Louis
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367. Re:Re: DVAP connects to repeater Recieve Only on one repeater and not another

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 22:12:37 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 365 Message: 367

Thank you, Robin. I'll do that.

You have really outdone yourself with the DVAP! I was next door at my neighbors talking with my 91. Crystal clear and flawless operation. This is a real boon not only to D-STAR but to our hobby as well.

73
Louis

368. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP connects to repeater Recieve Only on one repeater and not another

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-10 23:00:51 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 365 Message: 368

make sure you have the latest verson of dplus on your gateway. older versions don't work with dzap

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

On Thu, Jun 10, 2010 at 5:22 PM, Louis <lcashmer@...> wrote:

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369. Re: DVAP connects to repeater Recieve Only on one repeater and not another

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-11 19:11:55 UTC
From: Louis
Topic: 365 Message: 369

Robin,

You hit the nail on the head. With a little help from N0XIA we did some testing and James found that without a suffix, the DVAP worked fine on both machines.

When I got back to my computer I checked the users.txt file on both systems and found neither system had my call with an A suffix. We only do registartions on K1XC. When I go to the registration page on K1XC I clearly see my call with an A suffix.

I have restarted services on both K1XC and W4PLB but still do not see my call with the A suffix in either users.txt file.

I still wonder why the A suffix works with one and not the other when neither users.txt contain the A suffix entry. Right now since I can simply use no suffix I have a workaround, but I do wonder if this is a sign of a sync issue that might cause problems somewhere else. It's a puzzlement.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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370. Re: DVAP connects to repeater Recieve Only on one repeater and not another

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-12 14:19:23 UTC
From: Joey
Topic: 365 Message: 370

I have this exact issue.

My dstar.local doesn't not seem to have other terminals from other repeaters and my local terminals are not pushed up.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Louis" <lcashmer@...> wrote:
>
> Robin,
>
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371. How to call sign route.:link" to a distant repeater with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 20:53:13 UTC
From: dstarfanatic
Topic: 371 Message: 371

I am looking for the proper procedure to call sign route to a distant repeater using my DVAP. I guess we can't link to a repeater but can call sign route.
I am wanting to route/link to the Columbus Ohio Module C repeater W8DIG. I put "W8DIG C" in the URCALL field but do not know what to put in the RPT1 and RPT2 fields. I tried "W8DIG C" for RPT1 and "W8DIG G" for RPT2. I have tried the possible combination's.

Using a DVAP purchased at Dayton this May with the newer 1.04 firmware. I was getting sporatic disconnects with 1.03.Thanks for the quick fix Robyn.
Using Windows XP Pro, working great now with reflector linking.

Thanks for the help
73
KG8NN Steve

372. Re: How to call sign route.:link" to a distant repeater with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 22:36:20 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 371 Message: 372

Hi Steve. It is the other way around. You can link to the remote repeater but you cannot callsign route (at this time). Use the linking commands in URCALL as described in the online documentation at http://www.dvapdongle.com (i.e. "W8DIG CL").

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dstarfanatic" <dstarfanatic@...> wrote:
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> Thanks for the help
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> KG8NN Steve
>

373. GATEWAY UNKNOWN

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 22:45:16 UTC
From: benybarr
Topic: 373 Message: 373

Hi All: I am a new user of the DVAP and so far LOVE IT !!!!!
However there is one repeater i keep trying to Connect K2DIG B,in NY city and keep getting the massage "GATEWAY UNKNOWN".
any help will be greatly appreciated.
Respectfully yours
Ben Barr KC2RXV 73's

374. Re: [DVAPDongle] How to call sign route.:link" to a distant repeater with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 22:53:19 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 371 Message: 374

Steve, it sounds like you want to link to W8DIG module C. All you do is put "W8DIG CL" in the urcall field. There is a space between the call and the CL. Never put anything in RPT1 or RPT2. This will link you to the repeater. Then switch the urcall to cqcqcq and transmit.

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

On Sun, Jun 13, 2010 at 4:53 PM, dstarfanatic <dstarfanatic@...>wrote:

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> repeater using my DVAP. I guess we can't link to a repeater but can call
> sign route.
> I am wanting to route/link to the Columbus Ohio Module C repeater W8DIG. I
> put "W8DIG C" in the URCALL field but do not know what to put in the RPT1
> and RPT2 fields. I tried "W8DIG C" for RPT1 and "W8DIG G" for RPT2. I have
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> KG8NN Steve
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375. Re: [DVAPDongle] GATEWAY UNKNOWN

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 22:58:35 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 373 Message: 375

their gateway isn't working.

Fran, W1FJM

On Sun, Jun 13, 2010 at 6:45 PM, benybarr <benybarr@...> wrote:

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> Hi All: I am a new user of the DVAP and so far LOVE IT !!!!!
> However there is one repeater i keep trying to Connect K2DIG B,in NY city
> and keep getting the massage "GATEWAY UNKNOWN".
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> Respectfully yours
> Ben Barr KC2RXV 73's
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>

376. Re: GATEWAY UNKNOWN

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 22:53:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 373 Message: 376

Hi Ben. According to the logs, K2DIG is not responding to queries and is not reporting status. It looks like they are having issues there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "benybarr" <benybarr@...> wrote:
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377. Thank you !!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 23:45:17 UTC
From: benybarr
Topic: 377 Message: 377

Thank you guys for your prompt reply. I tought I am doing something wrong as usual.....lol
Thank everybody !!!!
Ben Barr KC2RXV 73's

378. Re: [DVAPDongle] Thank you !!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-14 00:00:18 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 377 Message: 378

join the club, we have all been thru it :)

Fran, W1FJM

On Sun, Jun 13, 2010 at 7:45 PM, benybarr <benybarr@...> wrote:

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> as usual.....lol
> Thank everybody !!!!
> Ben Barr KC2RXV 73's
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379. Re: [DVAPDongle] GATEWAY UNKNOWN

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-13 23:59:02 UTC
From: Paul Beeman
Topic: 373 Message: 379

Ben, the K2DIG folks know about the gateway anomoly and are working on it. One of the trustees is a coworker on mine.

73s. Paul

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 13, 2010, at 6:45 PM, "benybarr" <benybarr@...> wrote:

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380. Re: [DVAPDongle] How to call sign route.:link" to a distant repeater with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-14 01:36:28 UTC
From: Steve Gustin
Topic: 371 Message: 380

Hello,
Everything is now up and running. The problem was the main system in TX did not up date me. After doing the reg all over, it fixed the problem.
73's
Steve

--- On Sun, 6/13/10, Francis Miele <fran@...> wrote:

From: Francis Miele <fran@...>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] How to call sign route.:link" to a distant repeater with a DVAP
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, June 13, 2010, 10:53 PM

Steve, it sounds like you want to link to W8DIG module C. All you do is put "W8DIG CL" in the urcall field. There is a space between the call and the CL. Never put anything in RPT1 or RPT2. This will link you to the repeater. Then switch the urcall to cqcqcq and transmit.

_filtered #yiv1386277277 {margin:1.0in 1.25in 1.0in 1.25in;}
#yiv1386277277 P.MsoNormal {
FONT-SIZE:12pt;MARGIN:0in 0in 0pt;FONT-FAMILY:"Times New Roman";}
#yiv1386277277 LI.MsoNormal {
FONT-SIZE:12pt;MARGIN:0in 0in 0pt;FONT-FAMILY:"Times New Roman";}
#yiv1386277277 DIV.MsoNormal {
FONT-SIZE:12pt;MARGIN:0in 0in 0pt;FONT-FAMILY:"Times New Roman";}
#yiv1386277277 DIV.Section1 {
}

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Fran, W1FJM

On Sun, Jun 13, 2010 at 4:53 PM, dstarfanatic <dstarfanatic@yahoo.com> wrote:

I am looking for the proper procedure to call sign route to a distant repeater using my DVAP. I guess we can't link to a repeater but can call sign route.
I am wanting to route/link to the Columbus Ohio Module C repeater W8DIG. I put "W8DIG C" in the URCALL field but do not know what to put in the RPT1 and RPT2 fields. I tried "W8DIG C" for RPT1 and "W8DIG G" for RPT2. I have tried the possible combination's.

Using a DVAP purchased at Dayton this May with the newer 1.04 firmware. I was getting sporatic disconnects with 1.03.Thanks for the quick fix Robyn.
Using Windows XP Pro, working great now with reflector linking.

Thanks for the help
73
KG8NN Steve

381. Display Problem!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-14 09:47:16 UTC
From: db0df_freund
Topic: 381 Message: 381

Hello Robin, AA4RC!

Since last week I have a DVAP!
It works great...
But I have a problem with displaying the DVAPTool
on my notebook-display.
All setings I can do in the DVAPTool!
But it is all a little bit clinched. Not all characters will
be shown in the input templates.
The DVAPTool will not adjust automatically for wide screen displays.
Perhaps it is a interesting information for a next DVAPTool-Update!

Best regards - 73!

Markus, DH7CW

382. TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-14 16:34:05 UTC
From: Dale Grant
Topic: 382 Message: 382

Hello all, last week I was concern about hearing more RD/D2 on the receive side of the DVAP than normal, that has been corrected. However my other concern was having dropped transmissions.

There were 3 of us locally running DVAPs on the weekend, all with V104. We were all having dropped TX. It got to the point that many of us were doubling and having a big problem trying to communicate. We did the test on a local repeater and also via REF16C. Same results. Dropped TX is a little random usually about 20 seconds or more is required before it occurs. I was listening to myself coming back on our local repeater so I could tell when the drop occurred. When it occurred most times (not all times) there was a little data burst heard just before the drop however the DVAPtool on my computer indicated no problem, that I was still transmitting.

We all eventually went back to v101 and tried the same thing. No problem. We went on for a good 30 minutes and had no issues. Since then we have all gone back to 101.

I personally went back to 104 on a Sunday morning net with San Fran and Vancouver. The control operator keep telling me that he was seeing my call and just barely hearing my voice before it would drop. Worse than before. I was near the computer and could see that everything looked OK on the DVAP but apparently not. I quickly went back to 101 and when the call came around to me I checked in and was OK. I did 3 other transmissions before the net was over and all were OK (one for over a minute).

Is anyone else having issues or should I look a little deeper as to why this is happening.

I was listening to Connie's net Sunday evening and I have to say the audio sounded great. I'm not sure if others with their DVAPs were having issues with TX or not but I did hear some drops in there. Many chalking it up to possible bad internet connections.

So for now I will stay with 101 where I seem to have little if any problems.

Thanks to Robin for this excellent product as up here in Canada we have a lot of good cell coverage with internet tethering but few DStar repeaters and the DVAP certainly fills in those gaps.

Thanks

Dale / VE6CPK

383. Linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-14 21:45:18 UTC
From: Steve Taylor
Topic: 383 Message: 383

Thanks everyone for dusting off my brain!! This is a great group.

384. New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-15 00:47:43 UTC
From: aubreybarbara@bellsouth.net
Topic: 166 Message: 384

Hello I am looking for some guidance please

My DVAP Tool works as I can link and unlink to reflector 30

I am not hearing anybody nor am I being heard

I have an 91 AD and programming software

What should be written in these fields to put out a call and hear anybody responding?

Your I have "REF030CL"

RPT1 "W4DOC space C"

RPT2 "W4DOC space G"

I can be contacted at 404 732 8048

Thank you
KG4ARS

385. RE: [DVAPDongle] Display Problem!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-15 01:20:36 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 381 Message: 385

Have you changed the default text size for your display? If so, that is what is causing the issue. This is not uncommon for many applications

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of db0df_freund
Sent: Monday, June 14, 2010 5:47 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Display Problem!

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The DVAPTool will not adjust automatically for wide screen displays.
Perhaps it is a interesting information for a next DVAPTool-Update!

Best regards - 73!

Markus, DH7CW

386. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-15 12:03:50 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 166 Message: 386

Once you have linked you need to have another entry that has cqcqcq in the urcall. RPT1 and RPT2should always be blank. See instructions at http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

On Mon, Jun 14, 2010 at 8:47 PM, aubreybarbara@bellsouth.net <
aubreybarbara@...> wrote:

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>
> Hello I am looking for some guidance please
>
> My DVAP Tool works as I can link and unlink to reflector 30
>
> I am not hearing anybody nor am I being heard
>
> I have an 91 AD and programming software
>
> What should be written in these fields to put out a call and hear anybody
> responding?
>
> Your I have "REF030CL"
>
> RPT1 "W4DOC space C"
>
> RPT2 "W4DOC space G"
>
> I can be contacted at 404 732 8048
>
> Thank you
> KG4ARS
>
>
>

387. Re: New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-16 01:13:11 UTC
From: pjhor
Topic: 166 Message: 387

Execute dvtools and open.
set frequency to frequency used in all memory locations.
Call sign ending in a space and A
New call sign should be registered with the A.
I have 4 memory location set for control and OTHERS for reflectors and repeaters.
Freq is the same for all memory locations and all Reflectors.
Mode for all memory set to DV for all freq.
Name labels are: INFO, ECHO, TRAMSMIT, UNLINK, REF030C.
UR OR YOUR ARE: DVAP...I, DVAP...E, CQCQCQ, ...U, REF030CL, Respectively.
(.)= TO SPACE
each reflector in different memory.
REFLECTOR MEMORY UR:REF030CL. RPT1 AND RPT2 ARE LEFT BLANK.
set memory to reflector memory location and transmit.
Then switch to TRANSMIT to talk and when finished on the reflector transmit on the UNLINK channel or memory location.
PJH

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aubreybarbara@..." <aubreybarbara@...> wrote:
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> I can be contacted at 404 732 8048
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> Thank you
> KG4ARS
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388. keepalive from gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-16 14:55:57 UTC
From: Dale Bryant
Topic: 166 Message: 388

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Could anyone tell me why I get a disconnect?
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missed keepalive from gateway, count = 2
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 3
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 4
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 5
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 6
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 7
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 8
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 9
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 10
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 11
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 12
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 13
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 14
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 15
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 16
dstar gateway timeout
state change 7 Disconnecting...
gateway response timeout 7
state change 1 Disconnect timeout
Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem
unlinked.dvtool
Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KF4VBC /DVAP fc edf4 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-67)
rss (-60)
rss (-56)
Squelch closed, device rss (-53) min (-67) max (-56)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur W4PL CL my KF4VBC /DALE fc cee0 OK
Checking callsign (KF4VBC) against station call (KF4VBCc☺)
Starting Link request (W4PL CL)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway W4PL
state change 2 Connecting to W4PL
state change 4 Authenticating...
login OK, transmit permitted
state change 6 Connected
Login succeeded, transmit permitted on W4PL

Linked to W4PL C
Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem
linked.dvtool
Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the W4PL D-Star repeater
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KF4VBC /DVAP fc edf4 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 1
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 2
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 3
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hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KF4VBC /DVAP fc edf4 OK

389. USB-Port connecting?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 05:36:33 UTC
From: db0df_freund
Topic: 389 Message: 389

Hello!
One more question!
My DVAP works great...
Three times (days) I use it.
But, I must connect the dongle two times if it works.
At the first time after connection the green LED is pulsing
and the DVAPTool says no dongle was found.
Disconnect and connect again the dongle! DVAPTool found the
DVAP. What is wrong? I had no problems with the installation.

Best regards - 73!

Markus, DH7CW

390. Re: Display Problem!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 05:14:17 UTC
From: db0df_freund
Topic: 381 Message: 390

Hello together!
Sometimes is the problem sitting in front of the
computer.....
Thanks for answer!
I have change the display explosion from 120 DPI (125%)
to 96 DPI (normal)!!!!!!!!!!!!! Now it is okay...

Markus, DH7CW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@...> wrote:
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the issue. This is not uncommon for many applications
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> Ed WA4YIH
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> It works great...
> But I have a problem with displaying the DVAPTool
> on my notebook-display.
> All settings I can do in the DVAPTool!
> But it is all a little bit clinched. Not all characters will
> be shown in the input templates.
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> Best regards - 73!
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> Markus, DH7CW
>

391. Re: keepalive from gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 12:24:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 166 Message: 391

Hi Dale. See message #298.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dale Bryant" <livewire@...> wrote:
>
> Could anyone tell me why I get a disconnect?
>
>
>
> missed keepalive from gateway, count = 2
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> Transmit state (ON)
> Finished playing DVTool file
> Transmit state (OFF)
> Squelch open, device rss (-67)
> rss (-60)
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> Checking callsign (KF4VBC) against station call (KF4VBCcâ□º)

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> Local RF stream end
> Connect requested
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> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KF4VBC /DVAP fc edf4 OK
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392. Re: USB-Port connecting?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 12:26:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 389 Message: 392

Hi Marcus. Are you using a netbook? I've seen this happen on my netbook when I boot. I now plug in the DVAP after boot and it works fine. I don't think Windows always registers the device correctly upon boot.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "db0df_freund" <db0df_freund@...> wrote:
>
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> One more question!
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> Three times (days) I use it.
> But, I must connect the dongle two times if it works.
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> Best regards - 73!
>
> Markus, DH7CW
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393. Reflector or DVAP timeout

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 16:55:04 UTC
From: kg8nn
Topic: 393 Message: 393

I often set up my DVAP to listen to a reflector more in a monitoring mode. I am using a Windows XP Pro Service Pack 3 computer with cable Internet access. I bought my DVAP at the Dayton Hamvention 2010. It was upgraded there to Firmware 1.03. I experienced many "Remote System Unlinked" unlinks. I have since upgraded to 1.04 Firmware and have fewer "Remote System Unlinked" states. I do however receive a few while just monitoring. Is there a timeout in the DVAP or the Reflector that would cause my DVAP/IC-92AD to disconnect due to non use?

P.S. I love the "Read DVAP Info" on the firmware updater. Could that feature be included in the next version of DVAP Tool as a click-able option or standard reading?

DVAP ing my nights and days away...
73
KG8NN

394. Re: Reflector or DVAP timeout

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 20:51:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 393 Message: 394

Hi ????. I didn't see a name in there.

The firmware does not play a role in connection timeouts. Those happen between your PC and the system with which you are connected. There have been a number of related posts here recently so you might take a look at them (i.e. message #298).

Also, have you tried clicking on "Help->About" in DVAPTool after you open the DVAP? :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kg8nn" <kg8nn@...> wrote:
>
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> KG8NN
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395. iPad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 22:56:24 UTC
From: Brad
Topic: 395 Message: 395

Hi Robin,

Will there be a DVAP Tool for the iPad anytime soon?

Thanks,
Brad
KF7BUE

396. iPad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-17 23:58:10 UTC
From: Wb5ugc
Topic: 395 Message: 396

I would vote for that! New pad user and thus far a great device for a lot of items but still lacking on the business side. Being able to DVAP on IPAD would really make things interesting.

Sent from my iPad

397. Re: USB-Port connecting?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-18 04:55:04 UTC
From: db0df_freund
Topic: 389 Message: 397

Hi Robin!
Yes, when I boot my notebook and the dongle is inside, it is the
same like you.
But I have the problem too, when I connect the DVAP after booting
my notebook - minutes later! Disconnect and connect again, then is
all okay.
At the weekend I will test all USB-ports from the notebook and from
the dogging station...(?)!
This morning I forgot the DVAP for testing at my office computer.

73, Markus - DH7CW

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Robin
> AA4RC

398. Re: Reflector or DVAP timeout

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-18 05:56:15 UTC
From: kg8nn
Topic: 393 Message: 398

Thank you Robin for the excellent, as usual, response! I will read up on the other posts.
73
Steven
KG8NN

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399. Re: [DVAPDongle] iPad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-18 12:02:56 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 395 Message: 399

How would you connect the dongle to them?

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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400. Re: Display Problem!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-18 12:11:33 UTC
From: ve3nvk
Topic: 381 Message: 400

This is unfortunately a common problem as many programmers forget to allow for proper scaling of their forms for other than the default 96 dpi. I have had this occur many times, as with my ageing eyeballs I need to set the dpi higher and then captions do tend to become truncated.

Oh, if only programmers would test out their applications for visual usability better.

Andy - G8VTV / VE3NVK

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> > But I have a problem with displaying the DVAPTool
> > on my notebook-display.
> > All settings I can do in the DVAPTool!
> > But it is all a little bit clinched. Not all characters will

> > be shown in the input templates.
> > The DVAPTool will not adjust automatically for wide screen displays.
> > Perhaps it is a interesting information for a next DVAPTool-Update!
> >
> > Best regards - 73!
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> > Markus, DH7CW
> >
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401. Re: [DVAPDongle] iPad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-18 17:04:41 UTC
From: N2OJD
Topic: 395 Message: 401

Bluetooth!!!!

Mark
N2OJD

On Jun 18, 2010, at 8:02 AM, Francis Miele wrote:

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402. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: keepalive from gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-18 21:22:55 UTC
From: Dale Bryant
Topic: 166 Message: 402

Hi Robin,

Is there a way I can prove this? The reason I ask is that this connection is at work. We have two 10meg conections coming in to a FatPipe device that then goes through a cisco 5510 firewall. We never have connection problems with other locations (at least mostly not) that we allow a connection to. The FatPipe device is setup to load balance between multiple connections. The dongle will stay up until voice traffic starts then I will have problems with the keepalive. Is there any IP ports I should have open to make it more stable? I will take the system home and try from there. I thought it might be a CPU speed or memory problem as it is running on an old Toshiba M2 laptop running XP.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Thursday, June 17, 2010 8:24 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: keepalive from gateway

Hi Dale. See message #298.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
, "Dale Bryant" <livewire@...> wrote:
>
> Could anyone tell me why I get a disconnect?
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> missed keepalive from gateway, count = 2
> missed keepalive from gateway, count = 3

403. Re: [DVAPDongle] iPad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-19 05:20:56 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 395 Message: 403

Bluetooth
http://mashable.com/2010/05/09/ipad-magic-mouse/

From: N2OJD <n2ojdmark@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Fri, June 18, 2010 10:04:41 AM
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404. Over heating over power problem???????????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-19 15:21:24 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 404 Message: 404

Last night while using the IC92AD with DVAP. We noticed that we started to drop transmissions when we moved inside the house from being outside. This morning we reduced the output power of the HT running only 100mw out and had many long QSO's without any dropouts.

I was told today that the DVAP dongle does not like strong signals and will overheat and shut off if to much power is used by the HT.

Has anyone else noticed this. Has there been any comments posted about this? or do I have a bad DVAP? Should I exchange it for another one?

Thankyou

405. Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-19 16:01:25 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 382 Message: 405

I was having the same problem last night with V104. I was told this morning that I was running to much power into the DVAP from the hT.
I reduced the power to 100MW S-Low setting and the TX drops seems to have gone away. So, I'm not sure if it's a problem with V104 or some hardware issue.

I hope someone talks about this on the net.

Thanks
Ron /KA2HZO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dale Grant <dalegrant@...> wrote:
>
> Hello all, last week I was concern about hearing more RD/D2 on the
> receive side of the DVAP than normal, that has been corrected. However
> my other concern was having dropped transmissions.
>
> There were 3 of us locally running DVAPs on the weekend, all with V104.
> We were all having dropped TX. It got to the point that many of us
> were doubling and having a big problem trying to communicate. We did
> the test on a local repeater and also via REF16C. Same results.
> Dropped TX is a little random usually about 20 seconds or more is
> required before it occurs. I was listening to myself coming back on our
> local repeater so I could tell when the drop occurred. When it occurred
> most times (not all times) there was a little data burst heard just
> before the drop however the DVAPtool on my computer indicated no
> problem, that I was still transmitting.
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> We all eventually went back to v101 and tried the same thing. No
> problem. We went on for a good 30 minutes and had no issues. Since
> then we have all gone back to 101.
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> I personally went back to 104 on a Sunday morning net with San Fran and
> Vancouver. The control operator keep telling me that he was seeing my
> call and just barely hearing my voice before it would drop. Worse than
> before. I was near the computer and could see that everything looked OK
> on the DVAP but apparently not. I quickly went back to 101 and when the
> call came around to me I checked in and was OK. I did 3 other
> transmissions before the net was over and all were OK (one for over a
> minute).
>
> Is anyone else having issues or should I look a little deeper as to why
> this is happening.
>
> I was listening to Connie's net Sunday evening and I have to say the
> audio sounded great. I'm not sure if others with their DVAPs were
> having issues with TX or not but I did hear some drops in there. Many

> chalking it up to possible bad internet connections.
>
> So for now I will stay with 101 where I seem to have little if any
> problems.
>
> Thanks to Robin for this excellent product as up here in Canada we have
> a lot of good cell coverage with internet tethering but few DStar
> repeaters and the DVAP certainly fills in those gaps.
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> Thanks
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> Dale / VE6CPK
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406. DvapUpdater for firmware 1.02????????????????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 10:07:50 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 406 Message: 406

Previously we have upgraded from Firmware 1.02 to 1.04 by downloading the FW 1.04 updater.
In trying to solve the TX dropping issues. We had then gone back to FW version 1.01 using the 1.01 updater.
We would like to go back to the FW version 1.02 that came with our DVAP.
But no DVupder 1.02 app is listed on the DVAP downloads web page,
Can anyone please provide us with the link to the DVAP 1.02 FW updater.

It's not listed here.
http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/

or anyolace else we can find it.

Thankyou
Ron

407. DVAP Receive Dropout Test

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 11:47:41 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 407 Message: 407

A few users report some sort of DVAP receiver dropout and are advocating reverting back to previous versions from 1.04.
If indeed there is a problem then it woud be better to try and fix/resolve the issue than have everyone playing version roulette. DSTAR dropping out can be caused by a lot of things so a little targeted investigation is in order.

A few questions/suggestions for those reporting the issue to try and isolate it:

1. Use the Echo mode in testing. This eliminates your local network as well as the DStar network from the testing and isolates it to the DVAP and the PC.

2.Does the dropout occur doing long echo tests? You don't have to talk just key down for long periods then see if it echos back the same length of time.

3.If it does, then does the Green LED on the DVAP go out when the dropout occurs? The green LED indidcates the DVAP is still receiving data from your radio.

4. If it drops out, what is in the DVAP tool log screen when it occurs?

If there are no dropouts in the echo test, then the DVAP is happy and the issue is more likely a network or PC issue.

There have also been comments about overloading the DVAP. It can be overloaded but is not going to get hot and burn out. It is a low power device and running 5 watts near it and your PC is not a good idea for other reasons. I would be more concerned about getting RF into my PC cables and peripherals since they are not designed for high RF fields(not to mention your brain cells that are cooking when you have an HT antenna a few inches from your unshielded head) A few hundred milliwatts is all you need to operate within the DVAP's range. This also saves your battery life and keeps the HT from getting warm.

Another tidbit now that summer has come to the northern hemisphere, the DVAP(and your laptop) can become overheated if left in the sun in your car. The DAVP can move off frequency due to high heat and even worse, your laptop can overheat and malfunction. Best to keep out of the direct sun and make sure the laptop air vents are not clogged by carpet or upholstery.(learned the hard way with an Acer netbook :( )

73's
Moe ae4jy

408. Re: [DVAPDongle] Over heating over power problem??????????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 01:19:13 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 404 Message: 408

Perhaps your 92AD was overheating and "DROPPING OUT"

I don't think the DVAP can overheat from being hit with a HOT HT.

Brian WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: "ronchap@..."
Sent: Jun 19, 2010 8:21 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Over heating over power problem??????????

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Thankyou

409. DvapUpdater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 13:11:44 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 409 Message: 409

Just curious. Why do you find it necessary to go back? I find the current release works great! If you share your issue with the current release, there may be another way to solve the problem. My usual policy with firmware is to never go backward.

73
Louis

410. Re: [DVAPDongle]1.03 and beyond!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 13:16:56 UTC
From: k1lva@yahoo.com
Topic: 410 Message: 410

Since I upgraded to 1.03, my DVAP has seen increased amounts of drop out. I always run 100mw from the HT and the DVAP is on an outdoor antenna. Conditions here haven't changed since the day I installed it. It could be coincidence, but since 1.03 and eventually 1.04, I have experienced considerable increase in the DVAP not receiving, and when I go key up, the person I was talking to is already talking back to me. Now when I say considerable, by that I mean it never happened with 1.02 and now it happens almost every other transmission into the DVAP.

Based on the info I have, I'd like to get 1.02 back to rule it out before I go ripping apart my station. Thanks for reading my two cents!-Jarrod

411. Re:Over heating over power problem???????????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 13:16:46 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 404 Message: 411

I seriously doubt that the DVAP is overheating and shutting down. However, it doesn't work for the very same reason you don't run 100 watts when having a 2 meetr QSO with a vehicle right next to you. It simply overloads the front end of the receiver.

73
Louis

412. Re: [DVAPDongle]1.03 and beyond!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 14:04:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 410 Message: 412

HI Jarrod. There are known issues with 1.02 and 1.03. There were no fixes in 1.02 over 1.01. If you wish to go back to compare, use 1.01.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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413. Re: Over heating over power problem??????????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 14:27:09 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 404 Message: 413

Ok, Same thing was happening this morning. So we did a full factory reset of the 92ad and re-programed it, Also put FW 1.04 back on the DVAP and re-installed the DVAPtool app.

Now the good news is.
I had 4 QSO's after doing that and no one reported any dropout.s I even had a 1 minute 30 second transmission without a dropout.
Sp it looksl ike somhow the IC92AD was misbehaving or if it was a web problem and it fixed itself. So far so good.

Thanks 73 Ron

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414. Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 18:49:14 UTC
From: Nidge
Topic: 382 Message: 414

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> problem.

I updated my recently acquired DVAP from 1.02 to 1,04 and seen this very same problem. I was plagued with drop outs.

After spotting this post I switched to 1.01. Perhaps to satisfy my curiosity more than anything else.

Since switching, my drop out problem appears to have gone away?

415. Fwd: Re: [DVAPDongle]1.03 and beyond!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 17:35:57 UTC
From: Dale Grant
Topic: 415 Message: 415

Try V101 available on the DVAP site in the download section. I had no issues with that version.

I am still persistent with 104 as I am trying to find the reason it is dropping all the time. I find with short tranmission I have no problem. Its when I talk for say 30 seconds or more I usually find that I am talking to myself. There is no indication of me dropping out on the DVAP tool software either.

I did have an issue with 103 with more R2 than normal and also had the drop outs to. V104 has solved the R2 but not the dropouts.

So for now I will keep experimenting with 104 and if I need to do lots of transmission it is very easy to go back to 101.

Dale / VE6CPK

-------- Original Message --------

Subject:

Re: [DVAPDongle]1.03 and beyond!

Date:

Sun, 20 Jun 2010 13:16:56 +0000

From:

k1lva@...

Reply-To:

DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

To:

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416. Fwd: Re: [DVAPDongle]1.03 and beyond!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 21:08:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 415 Message: 416

Hi Dale. If you would, load firmware 1.04, start dvaptool, open the dvap, click on record, connect to a reflector, talk for long enough to see the problem, disconnect from the reflector, and click on stop recording.

Then send your recording file (dvaptool.dvrec) via email and I'll take a look.

Thanks and 73s,
Robin
AA4RC

417. Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-20 23:30:38 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 382 Message: 417

I will make a recording as suggested to of 1.04 FW dropout and email the file. Tuesday afternoon.

But we had gone though all the suggestions.

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2 - Use the DVAP util and make sure I'm on the frequency. Correct frequency was checked. Did not fix the drop out

3 - Removed the USB extention cable and just use the provided cable.
Did not fix the problem.

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7 - Rest my internet conection. Did not fix the problem.

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Anyway. After I play with 101 for a while longer and make sure I'm not seeing the problem..
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Thanks for your help and great product.
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418. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-21 11:30:01 UTC
From: JIM HOWELL
Topic: 382 Message: 418

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--- On Sun, 6/20/10, ronchap@... <ronchap@...> wrote:

From: ronchap@... <ronchap@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: TX Dropping
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, June 20, 2010, 7:30 PM

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419. Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-21 12:03:46 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 382 Message: 419

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using a 92AD as well, both with and without the speaker mic using the super low power setting

73 de Jason WX4JCW

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420. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-21 12:46:35 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 382 Message: 420

On Mon, 2010-06-21 at 12:03 +0000, Jason W wrote:
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Are you guys executing DVAPtool from the command line and watching the output? I've seen this

```
transmit(on)
transmit(off)
transmit(on)
transmit(off)
```

And I also hear the beep on my 91AD as the dvap starts and stops transmitting. Normally the cause of this could be a poor Internet connection and I have to admit I've seen this more with my Verizon MyFi then my DSL at home. In most cases the audio from the other party sounds perfectly fine and there is no R2D2. The constant stopping of transmission by the DVAP is just a bit annoying because of the beep during a conversation.

Run the tool on the command line and do a paste of the output during the time when you experience this problem.

If you are under linux try this:

```
./DVAPTool | tee /tmp/dvap-log.txt
```

Chris

421. Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-21 12:15:43 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 382 Message: 421

Thanks Jim,

I went back to 1.04 last night durring the net. I did not seem to have the problem. But then again. I had a couple of 30 second transmissions.
I went on the London reflector this morning and had a nice qso. made a long 1.5 minute transmission a couple of times. i could not reproduce the so called "black hole" problem.

I am beginning to think it may be temperature or interenet related.
becuase like I post before. But why don't i see it on v101?

These things always happen when you don't want it. When you want to reproduce it. Then it never happens.

But the foil covering is a good idea.

73
Ron
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> 6 - Made sure nothing else was running on my PC other than DVAP and Internet. Did not fix the problem. bY-THE-WAY THE pc IS A dELL xps 3.0 ghz QUAD CORE. When I watch the CPU usage with 1.01 I see very little usage maybe 0 to 1 or 2 percent durring receiving and transmitting. The soudcard is a creative xgamers version.
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> 7 - Rest my internet conection. Did not fix the problem.
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> 8 - Went back to FW v101 and ran now for many hours and long 2 Minute transmissions without a TX drop out. I also put the USB extenin cable back on. So I don't think it was an RFI problem.
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> last night I had done the same thing. But decided to go back to 1.04
> and try the various suggestions. For a while their until started to make long transmissions. I thought things were working but no joy!.
>
> Anyway. After I play with 101 for a while longer and make sure I'm not seeing the problem.. I will go back to 104 maybe Monday night and make recordings.
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> Thanks for your help and great product.
> 73
> Ron KA2HZO
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nidge" <g0wfs1@> wrote:
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> > > We all eventually went back to v101 and tried the same thing. No
> > > problem.
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> > I updated my recently acquired DVAP from 1.02 to 1,04 and seen this very same problem. I was plagued with drop outs.
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> > After spotting this post I switched to 1.01. Perhaps to satisfy my curiosity more than anything else.
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> > Since switching, my drop out problem appears to have gone away?
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422. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-21 13:42:04 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 382 Message: 422

I am seeing the same dropout issues with my friends using 1.04

Fran,W1FJM

On Monday, June 21, 2010, Chris Fowler <k4fh@...> wrote:
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> On Mon, 2010-06-21 at 12:03 +0000, Jason W wrote:
>> I have stayed with 1.04 and have had issues as well, i have noticed the green light go off while transmitting and some transmissions do not go through.
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>> using a 92AD as well, both with and without the speaker mic using the super low power setting
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> Are you guys executing DVAPtool from the command line and watching the
> output? I've seen this
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> transmit(on)
> transmit(off)
> transmit(on)
> transmit(off)
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> And I also hear the beep on my 91AD as the dvap starts and stops
> transmitting. Normally the cause of this could be a poor Internet
> connection and I have to admit I've seen this more with my Verizon MyFi
> then my DSL at home. In most cases the audio from the other party
> sounds perfectly fine and there is no R2D2. The constant stopping of
> transmission by the DVAP is just a bit annoying because of the beep
> during a conversation.
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> Run the tool on the command line and do a paste of the output during the
> time when you experience this problem.
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> If you are under linux try this:
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> ./DVAPTool | tee /tmp/dvap-log.txt
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423. Re: TX Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-21 14:07:13 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 382 Message: 423

Hi Folks. We are working on the issue. Stay tuned here for news.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

424. DVAP available in Fried ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 09:08:14 UTC
From: F1SHS
Topic: 424 Message: 424

Could we expect to have DVAP available in Fried next week end ?

425. Only Six Channels on the ICOM IC-V82 Radio for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 02:53:05 UTC
From: ann_charles2001
Topic: 425 Message: 425

I have the Icom IC-V82 radio that I am using with my DVAP. It works fine, but as I try more refectors and repeaters I have a problem. The radio only has 6 Channels for Your Callsign. The instructions for the DVAP told us to Your Callsign to link to refectors and repeaters. On channel is taking by CQCQCQ. So, that only leaves 5 channesl for refectors and repeaters. Am I missing something? Is there a work around? Can I use CQCQCQ and link to a repeater? The radio has 207 memory channels, but there are only 6 Your Callsign channels.

Charles, KC4Q

426. Login Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 04:38:54 UTC
From: ve6mad
Topic: 426 Message: 426

Ive been having an interesting issue with 1.04.

When I try to link to reflectors, I am fine with the link command, but when I link to my registered repeater, it says :

" state change 7 Disconnecting.. state change 7 Gateway login failed".

Ive been having an issue with my call and I removed the A from the end and still no dice.

427. Re: Login Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 13:28:35 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 426 Message: 427

Hi ????. Your callsign does not show up in the registration database in any form (at least on the systems here).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ve6mad" <maxpol@...> wrote:
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> Ive been having an interesting issue with 1.04.
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> When I try to link to reflectors, I am fine with the link command, but when I link to my registered repeater, it says :
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428. Re: DVAP available in Fried ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 13:29:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 424 Message: 428

Hi Pedro. The DVAP is undergoing CE certification so it will not be ready for sale there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "F1SHS" <pedro_y_pinacolada@...> wrote:
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> Could we expect to have DVAP available in Fried next week end ?
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429. Re alleged 1.04 firmware problems

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 13:56:50 UTC
From: kg8nn
Topic: 382 Message: 429

There have been many assumptions that the firmware version 1.04 has problems. We have to be careful when making such claims and coming up with "fixes". This is a very intermittent problem on some DVAPs while other DVAPs have not had any problems. Trouble shooting these problems will be difficult due to the other possible causes. I will be listening to Robin as to how to proceed. All of the other ideas may lead us on a wild goose chase.

I have noticed that during nets often times I can hear a station responding to the net control yet the net control can't hear the response. I have also heard silence then the net control responding to an obvious comment that I did not hear. It seems important that what each one of us may or may not hear does not mean everyone else on the network hears or does not hear the same thing. Internet packet loss is not consistent across the network.
We have to be patient and understand how the system works.

Many users have the "Busy Lockout" feature enabled on their radios. This causes the radio not to transmit if a received signal is present. This might reduce R2S2. Digital Voice requires keying the mic waiting a split second before talking and keeping the mic keyed another split second at the end of transmission after talking. This seems to further reduce R2D2 as observed in testing on simplex on the repeater and on the gateway. A few local hams did some extensive "quick key" testing.

This newer technology requires us to expand our knowledge on how to operate the equipment. Maybe questions should be added to the licensing tests.

ANY observations you guys have had would be appreciated if shared. We learn more that way.

73
Steve KG8NN

430. Re: Re alleged 1.04 firmware problems

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 17:28:37 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 382 Message: 430

Thanks Steve for the other suggestions and IDEAS. I double checked my 92ad to see if busy lockout is on. It was always off. We also double checked the Time-out Timmer feature. feature and that is also off. We are still seeing the problem.

The strange thing is. It may take several long transmission for it to get into this state.

I honestly think it may be something do with the DVAP not having AGC and 100 MW s-low out running for more than a couple of minutes into the dvap may be causing the issue.

But thanks for the suggestions.

73
Ron

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kg8nn" <kg8nn@...> wrote:
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> There have been many assumptions that the firmware version 1.04 has problems. We have to be careful when making such claims and coming up with "fixes". This is a very intermittent problem on some DVAPs while other DVAPs have not had any problems. Trouble shooting these problems will be difficult due to the other possible causes. I will be listening to Robin as to how to proceed. All of the other ideas may lead us on a wild goose chase.
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> Steve KG8NN
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431. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re alleged 1.04 firmware problems

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-22 17:48:45 UTC
From: todd hartzel
Topic: 382 Message: 431

Greetings Steve,
Amen to that Steve. I hear this all of the time on REF001C. Hams assuming the problem always is the result of the other guy. When the problem could/would be the result of a problem with the station that is complaining about it. Your paragraph #2 is so true. I agree 100%. And I hear this result alot on REF001C.

They should not assume the problem is the other guy first. I do not talk much on REF001C, but I monitor alot. And this scenario plays out all of the time, thruout all of the week. If I am not connected in thru the DvDongle or DVAP, I am listening with the RadioReference.com scanner feed from the FL-Broward.

Again, you could not be more correct with parapraph #2. Thank you, for mentioning this. I was wondering if I was the only one hearing this too. 73 from n0vkg / todd.

--- On Tue, 6/22/10, kg8nn <kg8nn@...> wrote:

From: kg8nn <kg8nn@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re alleged 1.04 firmware problems
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Tuesday, June 22, 2010, 8:56 AM

There have been many assumptions that the firmware version 1.04 has problems. We have to be careful when making such claims and coming up with "fixes". This is a very intermittent problem on some DVAPs while other DVAPs have not had any problems. Trouble shooting these problems will be difficult due to the other possible causes. I will be listening to Robin as to how to proceed. All of the other ideas may lead us on a wild goose chase.

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73

Steve KG8NN

432. DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-23 00:31:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 432 Message: 432

Hi folks. This firmware release should resolve the TX issue that some folks have seen. Go to the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com to download the 1.05 firmware updater.

Thanks go to those that sent in their recordings and a special thanks goes to Moe (AE4JY) for finding and resolving the issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

433. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-23 01:44:56 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 432 Message: 433

Mahalo Robin!

Aloha, Wayne
Mobile

On Jun 22, 2010, at 2:31 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi folks. This firmware release should resolve the TX issue that
> some folks have seen. Go to the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com
> to download the 1.05 firmware updater.
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> Thanks go to those that sent in their recordings and a special
> thanks goes to Moe (AE4JY) for finding and resolving the issue.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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434. Re: Login Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-23 02:57:16 UTC
From: ve6mad
Topic: 426 Message: 434

Hi Robin, I've asked my system admin to unregister me from the gateway and put me back on tonight. I thought it maybe my call. So I should be in the system now.

73, Max, VE6MAD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi ????. Your callsign does not show up in the registration database in any form (at least on the systems here).
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > " state change 7 Disconnecting.. state change 7 Gateway login failed".
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> > Ive been having an issue with my call and I removed the A from the end and still no dice.
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435. Re: DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-23 21:30:05 UTC
From: kg8nn
Topic: 432 Message: 435

Thanks Robin and three big NYUCK, NYUCK, NYUCKs to Moe
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi folks. This firmware release should resolve the TX issue that some folks have seen. Go to the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com to download the 1.05 firmware updater.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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436. Re: DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-23 19:42:56 UTC
From: Jason Webb
Topic: 432 Message: 436

Good Job Guys :)

73 de Jason WX4JCW

437. Fwd: [DVAPDongle] DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 14:47:17 UTC
From: Dale Grant
Topic: 437 Message: 437

Good work guys!!! I played with this last night and it worked flawlessly.

Dale / VE6CPK

-------- Original Message --------

Subject:

[DVAPDongle] DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Date:

Wed, 23 Jun 2010 00:31:17 +0000

From:

aa4rc

Reply-To:

DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

To:

DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Hi folks. This firmware release should resolve the TX issue that some folks have seen. Go to the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com to download the 1.05 firmware updater.

Thanks go to those that sent in their recordings and a special thanks goes to Moe (AE4JY) for finding and resolving the issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

438. DVAP Firmware 1.05 working great!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 17:09:04 UTC
From: tbamberger
Topic: 438 Message: 438

I upgraded my DVAP firmware to 1.05 yesterday (06/23) and used it on Larry's (WW6USA) DVAP Net on REF014C last night. Not a single drop out, people said I sounded fine.

I was using DVAP Tool 1.02 on an iMac with OS-X as well.

Thanks to Robin and Moe for the quick turn around on the firmware update,

Tony, N6TYG

439. DVAP Apps on a Linux Live Flash USB key?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 18:31:38 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 439 Message: 439

I was just wondering if anyone has looked into or attempted to install the DVAP Tool Linux version on a USB Flash key with one of the Live versions of Linux.
If you have. I was wondering if you could pass along any tips or tricks and or instructions.
Such as which Live Linux version you used.
I'm currently looking at the Mandriva and Free Knoppix 6.2 disto's.
I have a couple of 1.8 and 2.0 GHZ broken lap tops. The only things that are broken are the CD Drive and Hardrives.
I was thinking. Instead of spending money on the HD and CD drives. Just buy a couple of 4 or 8GB flash drives and put a Live Linux version on the Flash. Plug that into one USB port and the DVAP dongle into a second usb port.
Boot off the LIVE LINUX USB FlasH drive and run everything from there.

73
Ron KA2HZO

440. Microsoft Discounts

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 14:35:58 UTC
From: kg8nn
Topic: 432 Message: 440

Microsoft offers substantial legal discounts to Students having a valid .edu email address. Currently Windows 7 can be purchased for $64.95 and Windows 7 Professional upgrade can be purchased for $29.95. Microsoft Office Professional Academic 2010 can be purchased for $79.95. Software purchases are through Digital River and are via computer online downloading. Just keep it legal folks.

Student Discount Main Page
http://www.win741.com/

Office 2010 and Win 7 Pro upgrade
http://www.microsoft.com/student/office/en-us/default.aspx

73,
Steve
KG8NN

441. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Apps on a Linux Live Flash USB key?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 21:42:03 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 439 Message: 441

It is not a hard task. I've built live USB sticks numerous times.

You'll want to look at something like Ubuntu and you'll want to create a live USB stick with a casper-rw partition. Once you boot it for the first time copy the dvdongle program to your home directory and it should end up in the casper-rw partition and usable during the next boot.

In this system you have partitioned your USB stick into 2 parts. One RO with a copy of the CD and the other RW (casper-rw). Any changes you make to the system (including updates) will be stored on the casper-rw

Any settings you configure for things like Evolution, Firefox, etc will be on the casper-rw. USB will be slower than disk but faster than CD and will work better since you'll end up with a place to store stuff, unlike a CD.

On Thu, 2010-06-24 at 18:31 +0000, ronchap@... wrote:
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442. Re: DVAP Apps on a Linux Live Flash USB key?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 23:17:19 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 439 Message: 442

I hate to reply to my own post.
i'M PRETTY SURE YOU CAN NOT PUT THE dvap TOOL on to a live CD or DVD version. Becuase it looks to me that it needs to create a couple of files on the storage device. So since it's working on my external USB HD it should work on a thumb drive too.
Your current version of Linux is not your father's LINUX ;-),
Wow! was this easy and fast too. I think this install went much faster than even my Windows Vista or Windows 7 installs.
After I posted the 1st message I decided to jump in and Install
ubuntu 10.04 LTS.
I installed it on an External USB hard drive.
It found and installed every device I had including the drivers for the DVAP dongle which i had plugged in at the time of installation of Linux.

I've already made 2 contacts using the DVAP Linux Tool.

very neet.

73
Ron KA2HZO

443. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Firmware 1.05 working great!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-24 21:47:17 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 438 Message: 443

So far, I have been unable to get the DVAPupdater 1.05 to work. It always says "USB device not found". But DVTool with the DVAP is working fine.

Mark

444. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Firmware 1.05 working great!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 13:23:32 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 438 Message: 444

Ditto here.

I did the update and from Lake Lanier I had a QSO using Verizon 3G with
no drops. It was perfect. I wa in a house and had a weak 3G signal but
I still had decent speed.

On Thu, 2010-06-24 at 17:09 +0000, tbamberger wrote:
> I upgraded my DVAP firmware to 1.05 yesterday (06/23) and
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445. Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 17:26:11 UTC
From: jeffwh
Topic: 445 Message: 445

Hello all,

I have no problems with the DVAP at work or using my 3G network with my laptop or any other network I have tried. At home I have a Verizon DSL line (3mb) configured (currently) to be completely open. The DSL modem does NAT using 192.168.0.x internal IP addresses.

The problem I am having is that on my home network I can only link to reflectors/repeaters about 1 out of 50 connect attempts. On rare occasions it will link normally and everything works perfectly until I unlink and try to link again.

The audio comes through from the reflector and I can listen to my heart's content. I cannot transmit however as the DVAP does not think I am connected. The "Connected to:" bit on the UI is blank and the "Force disconnect" button does nothing. If I attempt to unlink from the radio, it plays the "Not linked" message to me as you might expect. So, from all appearances, I am linked only the DVAP does not know it.

Perhaps a timing issue on a response coming back via the network? I only have this issue on my home network, which unfortunately is one of the main places I hoped to use the dongle.

Here is the output when I power up the device and connect to REF001 C:

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DVAPTool version 1.02
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=KO7M A
DVDevice=COM3
Frequency=146550000
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: Windows 7
FTDI serial device on VCP port COM3
FTDI serial device COM3 valid
Callsign set to KO7M A
Frequency set to 146550000
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
new frequency (146550000)
Callsign set to (KO7M A)
Opening DVAP device COM3
Opened device COM3
Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Device serial number (AP010369)
Device boot firmware version (1.02)
Device app firmware version (1.05)
Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 148000000)
Device receive frequency (146550000)
Device transmit frequency (146550000)
Finished reading from name server
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Device modulation mode (GMSK)
DStar name server text message received ->You are running the latest version of DVAPTool.
Please check the DVAPDongle yahoo group for future software updates

Ascp device started
Squelch open, device rss (-78)
rss (-68)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur REF001CL my KO7M /JEFF fc 88ed OK
Checking callsign (KO7M ) against station call (KO7M A)
Starting Link request (REF001CL)
rss (-61)
rss (-56)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF001
state change 2 Connecting to REF001
Squelch closed, device rss (-64) min (-78) max (-56)
state change 4 Authenticating...
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At this point I start hearing voice traffic from the reflector. This occurs on all reflectors and repeaters, not just 1C. If I attempt to transmit in this state, it fails to transmit my signal to the reflector and I get the following output further confirming the thought that the DVAP does not think it is connected.

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Squelch open, device rss (-67)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KO7M /JEFF fc 6f17 OK
Checking callsign (KO7M ) against station call (KO7M A)
Ignoring transmit while not connected (CQCQCQ )
rss (-61)
Local RF stream end
Squelch closed, device rss (-56) min (-67) max (-61)
Sent transmission response to radio
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
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I am running Windows 7 and have attempted this running as a normal user and as administrator with no change in symptoms.

Thoughts on this?

Kind regards,

Jeff Whitlatch KO7M

446. Re: DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 17:55:33 UTC
From: Nidge
Topic: 432 Message: 446

> This firmware release should resolve the TX issue

Well, I have abused it over this last day or so? Desperately trying to break it, but failing miserably ;-)

So far so good.

447. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 18:29:59 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 432 Message: 447

so far so good here too

Fran Signature
Fran, W1FJM

On Fri, Jun 25, 2010 at 1:55 PM, Nidge <g0wfs1@...> wrote:

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> break it, but failing miserably ;-)
>
> So far so good.
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448. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP firmware 1.05 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 19:16:21 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 432 Message: 448

Hello Nigel; nice to make you acquaintance on the radio this morning :-)

I've been experimenting with my DVAP since I received it yesterday afternoon, and have made a few contacts with my IC-92AD, both yesterday evening, and this morning. Quite a pleasant surprise so see how easy it has been to set up and complete my first digital contacts. I will still have a few questions to this group, but I'll just keep on working through my initial steps with this new technology, and enjoy how well it's going so far. The questions will come later, as I fine-tune what is required.

In order to stay on subject :-) I have install the latest firmware, and things are going well. Here at home, I've tried the DVAP on a desktop computer with Windows XP, an Apple laptop with Mac OSX, and a netbook with Windows 7 Ultimate. It works equally well (and installation was equally as simple) on all hardware. I've done the echo test (DVAP...I) from a few locations around the house and on our property, and as far as about 300 or 400 meters away. Wonderful work, my hat goes off to the developer of this hardware, and to the coder who has written the software - thanks.

Regards:

Jan Timmers VE7JBT - Penticton, B.C. Canada

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>From: Nidge <g0wfs1@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Fri, June 25, 2010 10:55:33 AM
>Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP firmware 1.05 released
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>>> This firmware release should resolve the TX issue
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>>Well, I have abused it over this last day or so? Desperately trying to break it, but failing miserably ;-)
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>>So far so good.
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449. Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 18:07:24 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 445 Message: 449

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450. Re: DVAP Apps on a Linux Live Flash USB key?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 20:27:45 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 439 Message: 450

One additional note.

The very 1st time you try to open the conection with the DVAP dongle.
You may get an error saying unable to establish a connection with the DVAP dongle.
Try a second time and then from there on it waill always find the DVAP when you click on open.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Chris Fowler <k4fh@...> wrote:
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> It is not a hard task. I've built live USB sticks numerous times.
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> You'll want to look at something like Ubuntu and you'll want to create a
> live USB stick with a casper-rw partition. Once you boot it for the
> first time copy the dvdongle program to your home directory and it
> should end up in the casper-rw partition and usable during the next
> boot.
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> In this system you have partitioned your USB stick into 2 parts. One RO
> with a copy of the CD and the other RW (casper-rw). Any changes you
> make to the system (including updates) will be stored on the casper-rw
>
> Any settings you configure for things like Evolution, Firefox, etc will
> be on the casper-rw. USB will be slower than disk but faster than CD
> and will work better since you'll end up with a place to store stuff,
> unlike a CD.
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> On Thu, 2010-06-24 at 18:31 +0000, ronchap@... wrote:
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451. Re: DVAP Apps on a Linux Live Flash USB key?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-25 20:08:52 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 439 Message: 451

Thanks Chris

Just a couple of added notes.

It looks like with version 10.04 LTS of ubuntu. You may get asked to install a "software modem driver". Do not install this. It will prevent DVAP from running.

Other wise follow the posted instructions exactly and you should not have any problem. ;-)

Drivers for the FTDI USB chip used by the DV Access Point Dongle are included in most Linux distributions. Plug in the DV Access Point Dongle and download the DVAPTool archive at http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-linux.tgz and extract to your Desktop. You can then proceed to the Using the DV Access Point Dongle page listed at the top of this page. Note that some distributions like Ubuntu include an accessibility package called brltty that must be uninstalled before DV Dongle use. Newer versions of Ubuntu may require disabling the Modem Manager

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452. dvaptool for Linux - scrolling log

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-27 08:13:15 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 452 Message: 452

Hi,

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I have a quick question, I've tried running the dvaptool on both Windows Vista and Ubuntu Linux.

On the Windows version I get 2 windows that open, one is the main dvaptool window showing the current status of the device, the other a scrolling log of activity, which is quite handy for looking up people's callsigns, and seeing which repeater they are connecting through.

On the Linux version I don't have this "scrolling log" window. Is there something I can do to enable it, or is this not available yet on the linux version?

Many thanks,

Chris - 2E0CTH

453. Re: dvaptool for Linux - scrolling log

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-27 16:22:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 452 Message: 453

Hi Chris. On Linux and MacOS, you can see those messages if you start the program from a terminal window.

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454. Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-27 23:53:34 UTC
From: jeffwh
Topic: 445 Message: 454

Thanks Robin for the reply. The "router" is a Westel 3500 DSL modem which has a built in WiFi/Wired ethernet router which was provided by Verizon when I signed up for DSL service. I will have to go back to Verizon I guess and see if we can try swapping it out or replacing it with a modem that has no router / NAT functionality, eh?

I did try the power cycle thing and it had no effect.

Can you point me to a complete list of TCP/UDP ports that you require?

Thanks,

Jeff - ko7m

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455. Re: dvaptool for Linux - scrolling log

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-27 21:44:11 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 452 Message: 455

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456. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvaptool for Linux - scrolling log

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-28 01:37:04 UTC
From: N2OJD
Topic: 452 Message: 456

How do you start the program from a terminal window for Mac OS x 10.6?
Sorry, its probably simple, just never used the terminal window.

Thanks

Mark
N2OJD

On Jun 27, 2010, at 5:44 PM, xscope2000 wrote:

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457. Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-28 02:06:20 UTC
From: jeffwh
Topic: 445 Message: 457

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458. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-28 12:32:49 UTC
From: Murray Pierce
Topic: 445 Message: 458

What happens when you put the router into GAME mode ?

Murray, VE3IFP

On Sun, Jun 27, 2010 at 10:06 PM, jeffwh <jeffwh@...> wrote:

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459. Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-28 18:58:59 UTC
From: jeffwh
Topic: 445 Message: 459

I don't have a single "Game mode" with the Westell 7500. There are 50-60 specific games that can be enabled by name. So, without knowing what ports DVAP requires, I am unable to make an intelligent choice as to which game would suffice.

Kind regards,

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460. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvaptool for Linux - scrolling log

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-28 13:57:14 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 452 Message: 460

That depends on where you've installed the application. I've installed mine just for my use, so it's here:

/Users/johnt/Applications/DVAPTool.app/Contents/MacOS/DVAPTool

(my user name in johnt - your's could be different :-)

And the terminal program (if you've never used it and don't know where it is) is /Applications/Utilities/Terminal.app - just start that once, and then select "Keep in dock" on it's icon in the dock to start it easier the next time you use it.

I've tried in on my Macbook Pro, with the same OS version as you have. It works just the same as described by Robin.

Regards:

Jan Timmers VE7JBT

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>From: N2OJD <n2ojdmark@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Sun, June 27, 2010 6:37:04 PM
>Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvaptool for Linux - scrolling log
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461. Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

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Date: 2010-06-28 20:04:47 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 445 Message: 461

Hi Jeff. Unlike echolink, there are no ports that you have to forward on your router. I've never had to adjust a router to make it work (which makes using it at hotels and public wifi spots easy).

For reference, however, DVAPTool currently uses TCP/UDP port 20001.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jeffwh" <jeffwh@...> wrote:
>
> I don't have a single "Game mode" with the Westell 7500. There are 50-60 specific games that can be enabled by name. So, without knowing what ports DVAP requires, I am unable to make an intelligent choice as to which game would suffice.
>
> Kind regards,
>
> Jeff - ko7m
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Murray Pierce <murray.pierce@> wrote:
> >
> > What happens when you put the router into GAME mode ?
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> > Murray, VE3IFP
> >
> > On Sun, Jun 27, 2010 at 10:06 PM, jeffwh <jeffwh@> wrote:
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> > >
> > > Update: I put the Westell 7500 DSL modem/router in Bridge mode and plugged
> > > my PC directly into it and temporarily set up the ethernet on the PC to the
> > > WAN static IP address and that eliminated the problem. So, it appears that
> > > something the DVAP needs to detect the link has been established is not
> > > passed by the Westell 7500.
> > >
> > > This is not a long term solution, so I tried my Linksys WRV54G router
> > > behind the Westel and unfortunately, DVAP was now no longer able to obtain a
> > > valid list of gateways.
> > >
> > > So, it is clear that I have a problem with the Westell and need to either
> > > replace it or find a router that I can use behind it as a NAT for my private
> > > network that is compatible with DVAPTool.exe.
> > >
> > > Sigh... :) Thanks for the help.
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> > > jeff ko7m
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> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "jeffwh"
> > > <jeffwh@> wrote:
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> > > > Thanks Robin for the reply. The "router" is a Westel 3500 DSL modem which
> > > has a built in WiFi/Wired ethernet router which was provided by Verizon when
> > > I signed up for DSL service. I will have to go back to Verizon I guess and
> > > see if we can try swapping it out or replacing it with a modem that has no
> > > router / NAT functionality, eh?
> > > >
> > > > I did try the power cycle thing and it had no effect.
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> > > > Can you point me to a complete list of TCP/UDP ports that you require?
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> > > > Thanks,
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> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>,
> > > "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > Hi Jeff. We've seen a handful of folks that had router issues. You
> > > might first try power cycling your internet router and if that does not
> > > work, you might try replacing it with another brand. I've personally seen
> > > two Netgear routers that just quit forwarding UDP port 20001 which is used
> > > by DVAPTool.
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> > > > > 73,
> > > > > Robin
> > > > > AA4RC
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> > > "jeffwh" <jeffwh@> wrote:
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> > > > > > Hello all,
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> > > > > > I have no problems with the DVAP at work or using my 3G network with
> > > my laptop or any other network I have tried. At home I have a Verizon DSL
> > > line (3mb) configured (currently) to be completely open. The DSL modem does
> > > NAT using 192.168.0.x internal IP addresses.
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462. Re: The DVAP is a beauty!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-28 23:34:12 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 329 Message: 462

I just passed the 72 hour mark 32 QSO's on various reflectors and repeaters running DVAPTool on my Linux box without a hitch. I have not turned off or had to reboot, reset or re-load anything during this time. Along with the latest FW 1.05 in the DVAP dongle, I think
currently this looks like set and forget hardware setup.
Since this now looks solid. I'm going to try and extend the range. At least to down town Elysburg 1 1/2 miles using both a X50 Dual band Vertical, and a SRH77CA 15 inch dual band HT antenna along with a tiger tail to the IC92AD HT. I also have an old Egg beater antenna in storage. I may try that too since it puts lobes out at the horizon.
I'll let you know.

As has been said before. This is a great mode and great product. IMOP. I think it's worth the extra money. I'm very glad I went with DSTAR rather than spending my limited money on something else.

73
Ron KA2HZO

463. Re: USB-Port connecting?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-06-29 05:45:05 UTC
From: db0df_freund
Topic: 389 Message: 463

Hello Robin!
So, I tested the dongle at my desktop computers (two) in my office
and I had no problem with the USB-Driver - no connection problem!
On my DELL-notebook I tested now all USB-ports include dogging
station. After boot my computer I connect the dongle (No dongle is
found - message) and disconnect it. New connection and then it works!
I saw at the FTDI device driver side a new driver!
My dongle installed automatically driver version 2.06.00!
Is the FTDI device driver 2.06.02 from 31st march 2010 tested?
Perhaps it will repair my problems!

73, Markus - DH7CW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "db0df_freund" <db0df_freund@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Robin!
> Yes, when I boot my notebook and the dongle is inside, it is the
> same like you.
> But I have the problem too, when I connect the DVAP after booting
> my notebook - minutes later! Disconnect and connect again, then is
> all okay.
> At the weekend I will test all USB-ports from the notebook and from
> the dogging station...(?)!
> This morning I forgot the DVAP for testing at my office computer.
>
> 73, Markus - DH7CW
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi Marcus. Are you using a netbook? I've seen this happen on my netbook when I boot. I
now plug in the DVAP after boot and it works fine. I don't think Windows always registers
the device correctly upon boot.
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
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464. New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-02 01:56:54 UTC
From: Cory
Topic: 464 Message: 464

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I would appreciate any/all help. Thank you!

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465. Re: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-02 13:21:32 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 464 Message: 465

I got my DVAP about a week ago, and set it up on 3 computers, one with Windows 7, another with Windows XP, and also on a MacBook Pro. And I followed the steps on the dvapdongle site. Worked for me right out of the box.
The settings on my IC-92AD were a little confusing to me, but I wasn't too familiar with either the DV process, or the radio itself. That took a couple hours with the manual on my lap, and some information on the dvapdongle site.

What is your problem specifically? Can't install the software, or can't program the radio?

Regards:

Jan Timmers - VE7JBT

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>From: Cory <spankymedic@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Thu, July 1, 2010 6:56:54 PM
>Subject: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP
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466. Re: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-02 12:49:02 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 464 Message: 466

It should be pretty straight forward, enter your gateway registered callsign, pick a simplex frequency, Click "OPEN".

Setup your radio to transmit on the frequency you picked. You need entries to link to whatever gateways you want, one with a "U in the 8th character to unlink and one with "cqcqcq".

All this is on the DVAPDONGLE website

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

HTML clipboard

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467. Re: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-02 13:06:20 UTC
From: Murray Pierce
Topic: 464 Message: 467

Did you download the updater program ?

Murray VE3IFP

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468. Re: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-02 13:59:16 UTC
From: Murray Pierce
Topic: 464 Message: 468

http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DvapUpdater105.zip

This is the updater I meant, it automatically updates the DV program, it solved my problems.

Murray

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469. RE: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-03 00:41:34 UTC
From: Cory Spankowski
Topic: 464 Message: 469

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Date: Fri, 2 Jul 2010 09:59:16 -0400
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470. RE: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-03 01:14:54 UTC
From: Cory Spankowski
Topic: 464 Message: 470

Hi to the group...

OK, my problem has been solved. I'm embarrased to say it, but I forgot the last step in the installation process, and that was to SAVE the actual application to my desktop. OK, now onto one more small issue. I get an audio prompt along the lines of "gateway unknown", and need to unplug the DVAP and replug it in, then it seems to work. However, once I link to a gateway, one of the following two things happens...

I can be heard coming across the repeater, but I can't HEAR anyone call me back
I canNOT be heard coming across the repeater, and still can't hear anyone call me

Any ideas? By the way, I really appreciate the replies I've gotten. Thank you very much!

Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, LP
Amateur Radio Operator WI9EMS
spankymedic@...

To: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
From: spankymedic@...
Date: Fri, 2 Jul 2010 20:41:34 -0400
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

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471. Re: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-03 11:35:10 UTC
From: Murray Pierce
Topic: 464 Message: 471

Hi Cory-

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send a shortcut to the desktop.

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DV Dongle.

That's about as far as I can help you, I'm still fighting with the
connection process, as well.

Good Luck,

Murray

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472. Re: New to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-03 23:36:25 UTC
From: Cory
Topic: 464 Message: 472

Hello,

Well, everything is loaded, and I can log onto various reflectors, but I can't seem to hear myself come through the local DSTAR repeater, nor can I hear anyone call me through the same repeater. I have no problem with anything else...using the echo test, ID, etc. The downfal is that I'm NOT computer savvy, so any tips/advice will need to be very basic.

I hope I get this fixed...it seems as if I'm just one step away...yet so far.

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-03 20:03:23 UTC
From: Cory Spankowski
Topic: 464 Message: 473

Hi Murray,

Well, I got that problem resolved. Now that it's up and running, I can link with any gateway, and everything appears to be working. However, I can not hear anyone. In other words, when my brother calls me (who is in the other room) via the repeater I'm linked up to, nothing comes through my DVAP. Am I missing something?

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The TWO times I have been able to get it going (and I cannot recall what I did to get it going), I was able to connect to various repeaters, and people can HEAR me, but for some reason, I canNOT hear them. All other functions appear to work (echo test, ID, etc.), but that's it. Any suggestions? I have read from the DVAP website that there is/may be a driver

that I may need to download, but I don't know which.

I'm not that computer savvy, so if there was something that I should be doing, let me know. When I downloaded the updater, my DVAP lights blinked (should they have?), don't know if this is a good sign or not. However, a window said that the download was "100% complete". Thanks!

Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, LP
Amateur Radio Operator WI9EMS
spankymedic@...

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: murray.pierce@...
Date: Fri, 2 Jul 2010 09:59:16 -0400
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] New to DVAP

http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DvapUpdater105.zip

This is the updater I meant, it automatically updates the DV program, it solved my problems.

Murray

On Thu, Jul 1, 2010 at 9:56 PM, Cory <spankymedic@...> wrote:

Hello to all,

I just got my DVAP, and am having trouble setting it up. For some reason, the directions posted on the dvapdongle.com site isn' quite what I'm seeing when I installed it. Can anyone give me any direction as to how to set this up? I wish I could list some more specific issues, but I'm not very PC savvy and don't know very much about this device.

I would appreciate any/all help. Thank you!

73-

WI9EMS

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Murray Pierce, VE3IFP ----
Secretary, Mississippi Lodge, No. 147, G. R. C.
Member, Almonte Amateur Radio Club
(http://www.almontearclub.ca)
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if for Mississippi Lodge 147, "Secretary" <pierce147@gmail.com>
Note "Mississippi" in subject line

I'm not on vacation, just 7 day weekends

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474. DVAP Refector Loses Connection After a While

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-04 11:08:37 UTC
From: markg
Topic: 474 Message: 474

I have a DVAP with version 1.05 Firmware. I sometimes turn on my IC-92ad and just leave it on connected to reflector 1C. I might go away for a couple of hours and come back and look at DVAP tool 1.02 and notice that I am no longer connected to the reflector. Does anyone know why this happens? Could it possibly be something with the internet connection which is FIOS or a bug in the DVAP software? Any insignts would be appreciated. Mark KB3Z

475. DVAP-need help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-04 13:16:27 UTC
From: duganman9
Topic: 475 Message: 475

First, thank you for all the help.

I have a 92AD and a DVAP. I use a Mac Book Pro running "boot camp" with Window 7. All works well, however, I am still learning. I run RT system software with Win 7.

One of my issues is connecting the DVAP to a reflector. Yesterday, I was able to connect to DVAP E and hear my message. I could not run DVAP I. I am not sure how I connected and did not hear the "connected" message. One test was on a simples freq.(145.600, and I could not duplicate the same test on 147.320.

I have a time using (remembering) the sequence of key selection to get me to the right places. Is their a written sequence for "key management" as I call it.

Finally, Your thoughts on using the DVAP on the Apple or Window 7 side of a computer. I must say the Apple view looks sharper.

Your answers may generate more question on this end. I appreciate your indulgence.

Charlie,

WB2CIC

476. RE: DVAP help!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-06 04:24:03 UTC
From: Cory Spankowski
Topic: 476 Message: 476

Hi Robin (and the group),

It appears as if the 2 repeaters that I thought I was having trouble getting into were, in fact, just inactive. I looked alot more closely on the D-STAR website and tracked my activity, and I was being registered on each gateway/reflector I connected to. So, I tried connecting to a gateway in San Francisco, and VIOLA! I not only heard, but I WAS HEARD! So, since, I've been connecting to reflectors/gateways and having a great time with it!

Thanks to all for tolerating my posts/questions, and a special thank you to those who responded with advice.

Take care and 73-

Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, LP
Amateur Radio Operator WI9EMS
spankymedic@...

> From: aa4rc@...
> To: spankymedic@...
> Subject: RE: DVAP help!!!
> Date: Fri, 2 Jul 2010 08:10:55 -0400
>
> Hi Cory. Sorry to hear you are having problems. The file you downloaded
> should be placed on the desktop. You can then click on it to run.
>
> Just select your Desktop folder when the download asks where to put it.
>
> Let me know...
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: notify@yahoogroups.com [mailto:notify@...m] On Behalf Of
> Cory
> Sent: Thursday, July 01, 2010 10:08 PM
> To: aa4rc
> Subject: DVAP help!!!
>
> Hi Robin,
>
> Ater reading some of the posts, it looks as if you're the go-to person on
> this device. I JUST got mine today, and am having trouble getting it going.
> First of all, after having loaded everything up, there is no icon on my

> desktop, and I end up having to reload some info via a website in order to
> get it working again. I know this can't be right. I thought that this
> should be a bit easier to use. The only thing I can imagine is that I need
> to download some type of driver (???). Can you please advise?
>
>
> Please email me at spankymedic@...
>
> Thank you and 73!
>
> Cory
> WI9EMS
>
>
>

477. Re: DVAP help!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-06 14:28:53 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 476 Message: 477

Hey,

also if im not Mistaken some repeaters will not allow DVAP/DVDONGLE's to connect and was frowned upon because of bandwidth issues.

Someone correct me if i am wrong

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Cory Spankowski <spankymedic@...> wrote:
>
>
> Hi Robin (and the group),
>
>
>
> It appears as if the 2 repeaters that I thought I was having trouble getting into were, in fact, just inactive. I looked alot more closely on the D-STAR website and tracked my activity, and I was being registered on each gateway/reflector I connected to. So, I tried connecting to a gateway in San Francisco, and VIOLA! I not only heard, but I WAS HEARD! So, since, I've been connecting to reflectors/gateways and having a great time with it!
>
>
>
> Thanks to all for tolerating my posts/questions, and a special thank you to those who responded with advice.
>
>
>
> Take care and 73-

478. Re: DVAP Refector Loses Connection After a While

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-06 12:53:42 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 474 Message: 478

Hi Mark;

This happens occasionally, when the DVAP misses a series of pings from the remote gateway or reflector, due to latency or bandwidth issues on either end, it disconnects itself. Check the DVAP log to be sure... but it's the most likely reason and probably happens to everybody.

Ken - KC4YOZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "markg" <pastormg2@...> wrote:
>
> .... and notice that I am no longer connected to the reflector. Does anyone know why this happens?
>

479. Re: DVAP help!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-06 21:56:54 UTC
From: Louis
Topic: 476 Message: 479

Funny,I have heard just the opposite. I have heard that the DVAP takes less bandwidth than the original dongle.

I have heard people have had great success with tethered cell phones. If true, that would tend to bear out the less bandwidth theory.

73
Louis
KG4QPQ

480. Re: DVAP help!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-06 23:49:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 476 Message: 480

The DV Dongle and DV Access Point Dongle use the same protocol for internet conversations and, as a result, use the same bandwidth.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Louis" <lcashmer@...> wrote:
>
>
> Funny,I have heard just the opposite. I have heard that the DVAP takes less bandwidth than the original dongle.
>
> I have heard people have had great success with tethered cell phones. If true, that would tend to bear out the less bandwidth theory.
>
> 73
> Louis
> KG4QPQ
>

481. Help from the start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-07 00:33:29 UTC
From: Scott Heath
Topic: 481 Message: 481
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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[ Attachment content not displayed ]
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482. Re: DVAP Refector Loses Connection After a While

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-07 00:22:58 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 474 Message: 482

markg,

Is your computer directly hard wired to the router or is it using a WIFI connection?

If you are using WIFI. If possible. Try to connect directly to one of the routers ports and see what happens.

73
Ron

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "markg" <pastormg2@...> wrote:
>
> I have a DVAP with version 1.05 Firmware. I sometimes turn on my IC-92ad and just leave it on connected to reflector 1C. I might go away for a couple of hours and come back and look at DVAP tool 1.02 and notice that I am no longer connected to the reflector. Does anyone know why this happens? Could it possibly be something with the internet connection which is FIOS or a bug in the DVAP software? Any insignts would be appreciated. Mark KB3Z
>

483. Re: Help from the start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-07 13:00:12 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 481 Message: 483

Hi Scott.

Did you follow the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com ?

That site tells you how to configure and use the DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Scott Heath" <radio-man1@...> wrote:
>
> Hello, all!
> I've bought the DVAP Dongle and it seems like a very cool idea! The only problem is that I can't decide how to get it going.
> I have the driver(s) loaded correctly because I can see the DEVICE NAME and the SERIAL # on the DVAP screen., I've also registered with the W4BUG D-Star repeater in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. What poarameters do I need to set and to what values? How will I know if it's working?
>
> I apologize if this topic has alreeady been covered but any help would be apprewciated! Thank you!!!
>

484. Linking to a Japanese D-Star Repeater with a IC-92ad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-07 18:03:41 UTC
From: markg
Topic: 484 Message: 484

I have a DVAP and a Icom IC-92ad. Does anyone know how to program and link onto the Japanese D-Star repeaters? Their gateways are as such, JP0YDP G, JP0YDR G and JP0YDT G. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Mark KB3Z

485. Re: The DVAP is a beauty!! Range Test Results

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-07 16:55:34 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 329 Message: 485

Amateur Radio Station KA2HZO'S
Consistent 1 Mile Plus (1.25 Miles) DVAP Connection Setup
No Amplifier is used.

Notes: 7/7/2010

I - Materials List:

1 ☐ DVAP with USB cable included.
The DV Access Point Dongle connects to your PC or Intel based Mac via a USB port and provides a 2 meter Access Point for use with a D-STAR radio. Using an Internet connection, a user may connect to and communicate with D-STAR gateways and reflectors around the world. The DVAPTool application used with the DV Access Point Dongle may be installed and run on Microsoft Windows XP/Vista/7, Mac OS X Leopard/Snow Leopard, or many flavors of Linux.
http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Home.html
The DVAP firmware version installed is 1.05. Corrected the drop out issue.

2 ☐ Computer 2GHZ AMD 64 Bit with 4GB of RAM Notebook PC Ruuning the Ubuntu LTS Linux with the DVAPTool 1.02 from the 8gb plugin FLASH drive. Set up a 1GB Persistent partition.
You can use the instructions here with the Universal Installer to put linux on a bootable USB stick with DVAP.
http://www.ubuntu.com/desktop/get-ubuntu/download
Or just install the DVAPTool on a MS Windows, Mac OS or Linux OS.
Don't forget to read the instructions at the DVAP web site.
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Home.html

The Computer is plugged into the Linksys 610N dual band Router's GB ports. Note. We found that we have less reflector disconnect issues with the computer network card plugged directly into the router.

3 ☐ Verizon Internet service 3 Down 1 Up service plan.
Speed test shows 2.68mbs down and 412kbs up and ping of .36.

4 ☐ IC-92AD
 VHF/UHF Dual Band Transceiver
http://www.icomamerica.com/en/products/amateur/handheld/92ad/default.aspx

Frequency set to 146.550 mHz Power settings High = 5W Mid = 2.5W
Low = .5W S-Low=.1W

5 ☐ Diamond SRH77CA Dualband HT/Scanner Antenna
High quality, high gain + receive 120 MHZ, 150 MHZ, 300 MHZ, 450 MHZ, 800 MHZ AND 900 MHz HT antenna.
Increase the performance on your handheld or wideband scanner with a Diamond® SRH Series antenna.

6 ☐ Dual band tiger tail (Counterpoise) wires 6.5 and 9.5 inches long attached to the belt clip screws of the ICOM92AD.
Here is an interesting Youtube video on making a tiger tail counter pose.
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ULynXY1Gq5g

7 - X50NA Dualband Base/Repeater Antenna
http://www.rfparts.com/diamond/x50na.html

The antenna is placed in my attic. I used an old tripod with a pole attached to attach the x50 to it with a couple of hose clamps. There is no insulation along the walls in the attic. But there are Asphalt Shingles and flashing on the roof.
The hight of the antenna is abut 15 feet at the base (ground plain elements)

8 ☐ 20 feet of LMR 240 Series SMA Male to N-Male Cable.
I highly suggest that if you plan on going longer than 20ft. You use the LMR 400 Series low loss cable instead of the 240.

That's pretty much all the materials.

II - Here are some calculated results:

1 -Line Loss Calculation

Line Type = LMR 240 Series
Line Length: = 20 Feet
Frequency: = 146.550 MHz
Load SWR: = 1:1
Power In From DVAP out = 0.010 W

Resulting Power out to base of X50 vertical antenna = 0.009W

2 - Pure ERP And EIRP Calculation

Actual Transmitter Power Output = 0.009W
X50 antenna gain at 146.550MHz = 4.5DB
Results:
Effective Radiated Power (ERP) = 0.01547 or about 15 MW
Effective Isotropic Radiated Power (EIRP) = 0.02537 or about 25 MW

III - Conclusion

My main goal in this test setup was to allow me to walk down town to both the park and stores while still maintaining access to the DSTAR world wide network from the DVAP located at my QTH with my HT.
I managed to meet this goal. I've determined though both the DVAP echo tests and live chats. That I can exceed the 1 mile range without much if any packet loss running both 2.5 and 5 watts at this range. (This is with obsticals such as brick buildings and fully covered trees blocking line of site to the DVAP antenna (X50).

I wish to thank the reflector 001C group for letting me run these range tests. Along with N3FO, KC2RXV, WX4JCW, N8QQ, KC8YQL and the many others I have spoken to in the past 3 weeks for their suggestions and help in getting this Going.
I also send Kudos to Robin AA4RC and Moe Wheatley
for getting the updated version 1.05 firmware out as fast as they did.

I hope you all find these notes of some use.
I may have left something out. So if you have any questions or suggestions please feel free to drop me a note.

DStar is a great mode. It's also great for HAMS living in retirement and assisted living homes. Where they can no longer have access to HF radios and antennas.

DSTAR is great! Love it. It brought some Ham radio fun back into my life

Best 73
Ron KA2HZO

486. Re: Unable to link to reflectors from home network

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-08 01:59:20 UTC
From: jeffwh
Topic: 445 Message: 486

My final solution to this issue was to configure the Westell 7500 to Bridge Mode and put a Cisco E3000 behind it. Problem solved. Thanks to all for the ideas and support. If anyone needs help with a similar problem, or wants the gory details of my solution, I am happy to dialog directly. I can be reached at ko7m@....

Kind regards,

Jeff - ko7m

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jeffwh" <jeffwh@...> wrote:
>
> Update: I put the Westell 7500 DSL modem/router in Bridge mode and plugged my PC directly into it and temporarily set up the ethernet on the PC to the WAN static IP address and that eliminated the problem. So, it appears that something the DVAP needs to detect the link has been established is not passed by the Westell 7500.
>
> This is not a long term solution, so I tried my Linksys WRV54G router behind the Westel and unfortunately, DVAP was now no longer able to obtain a valid list of gateways.
>
> So, it is clear that I have a problem with the Westell and need to either replace it or find a router that I can use behind it as a NAT for my private network that is compatible with DVAPTool.exe.
>
> Sigh... :) Thanks for the help.
>
> jeff ko7m
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jeffwh" <jeffwh@> wrote:
> >
> > Thanks Robin for the reply. The "router" is a Westel 3500 DSL modem which has a built in WiFi/Wired ethernet router which was provided by Verizon when I signed up for DSL service. I will have to go back to Verizon I guess and see if we can try swapping it out or replacing it with a modem that has no router / NAT functionality, eh?
> >
> > I did try the power cycle thing and it had no effect.
> >
> > Can you point me to a complete list of TCP/UDP ports that you require?
> >
> > Thanks,
> >
> > Jeff - ko7m
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Jeff. We've seen a handful of folks that had router issues. You might first try power cycling your internet router and if that does not work, you might try replacing it

with another brand. I've personally seen two Netgear routers that just quit forwarding UDP port 20001 which is used by DVAPTool.
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jeffwh" <jeffwh@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Hello all,
> > > >
> > > > I have no problems with the DVAP at work or using my 3G network with my laptop or any other network I have tried. At home I have a Verizon DSL line (3mb) configured (currently) to be completely open. The DSL modem does NAT using 192.168.0.x internal IP addresses.
> > > >
> > >
> >
>

487. Re: [DVAPDongle] Linking to a Japanese D-Star Repeater with a IC-92ad

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-08 00:23:01 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 484 Message: 487

I don't think they allow dvap connections

Sent from my iPhone
At least I think it's my iPhone.

On Jul 7, 2010, at 11:03 AM, "markg" <pastormg2@verizon.net> wrote:

> I have a DVAP and a Icom IC-92ad. Does anyone know how to program and link onto the Japanese D-Star repeaters? Their gateways are as such, JP0YDP G, JP0YDR G and JP0YDT G. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Mark KB3Z
>
>

488. New User, Connect to a gateway, message RX only?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-09 23:00:11 UTC
From: mm3cmq
Topic: 488 Message: 488

Hello, New to this unit.
I have a question, when I link to a gateway I get a message, "RX only listening mode"?

Is this a problem with the setup, or internet or gate problem.

Thanks Danny.

gm6cmq

489. Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-09 22:49:12 UTC
From: kd8lam
Topic: 489 Message: 489

When linking to local repeaters (W8HEQ or K8BIG)using my DVAP, I get a message telling me I am in Receive Only.

Any suggestions?

73
KD8LAM
Doug
Dayton, OH

490. No Gateways Found error...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-09 21:01:15 UTC
From: Keith Marang
Topic: 490 Message: 490

Hello all. I have just installed my DVAP, but keep getting the "No Gateways Found" error. I verified the internet connection. At first I had a wireless connection to my D-Link DIR-655 router. Then I removed the wireless connection, the router and used a direct connection to my cable modem. I still get the "No Gateways Found" error on startup. I tried disabling my Norton firewall and then the virus protection. I still get the error.

I have also updated the firmware to v1.05.

I have been a DStar user for a couple years, so being registered is not an issue.

Any help would be appreciated.

Keith Marang

WD8AFB

491. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 10:46:15 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 489 Message: 491

Hi Doug,
After we talked last night. I gave both those machines a try

I ended up having the same issue here with those 2 machines you listed.

Yet, I'm able to link to and have QSO's on many other repeaters. Including W8DIG which is in the same area.
Try W8DIG and see if that repeater works for you.

Ron

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd8lam" <kd8lam@...> wrote:
>
> When linking to local repeaters (W8HEQ or K8BIG)using my DVAP, I get a message telling me I am in Receive Only.
>
> Any suggestions?
>
> 73
> KD8LAM
> Doug
> Dayton, OH
>

492. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 04:43:09 UTC
From: mm3cmq
Topic: 489 Message: 492

Hello Doug,

I am having the same problem, allthough I can connect to REF001 CL with no problems.

Using a wireless router and IC92D.

Can you connect directly to a station?

Danny

gm6cmq

>>>>>>>>>>>>>

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd8lam" <kd8lam@...> wrote:
>
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>
> Any suggestions?
>
> 73
> KD8LAM
> Doug
> Dayton, OH
>

493. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 05:12:57 UTC
From: mm3cmq
Topic: 489 Message: 493

Hello Doug,

Try removing the "A" from your call sign in DVAPTool.

I can now access gateways like AK4EG and here myself on the Live TV stream.

Let me know how you get on.

73.

Danny

gm6cmq

>>>>>>>>>>>>>

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd8lam" <kd8lam@...> wrote:
>
> When linking to local repeaters (W8HEQ or K8BIG)using my DVAP, I get a message telling me I am in Receive Only.
>
> Any suggestions?
>
> 73
> KD8LAM
> Doug
> Dayton, OH
>

494. RE: [DVAPDongle] Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 10:56:53 UTC
From: Dave Foran
Topic: 489 Message: 494

Are you registered on any system??
Dave
WB8APD

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kd8lam
Sent: Friday, July 09, 2010 18:49
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Recieve Only message

When linking to local repeaters (W8HEQ or K8BIG)using my DVAP, I get a message telling me I am in Receive Only.

Any suggestions?

73
KD8LAM
Doug
Dayton, OH

Yahoo! Groups Links

495. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 13:02:11 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 489 Message: 495

The callsign on the DVAP (including the "A" initial, if any) needs to be registered with a gateway somewhere in the network... because that's what will connect to the gateway.... regardless of what's set in the radio. For example:

login request from 24.XXX.128.42:1183 KC4YOZ A:AP010152 RW passed 2010/07/10 08:52:22.148

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ
KI4WXS Gateway Admin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dave Foran" <dave@...> wrote:
>
> Are you registered on any system??
> Dave
> WB8APD
>
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of kd8lam
> Sent: Friday, July 09, 2010 18:49
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Recieve Only message
>
> When linking to local repeaters (W8HEQ or K8BIG)using my DVAP, I get a
> message telling me I am in Receive Only.
>
> Any suggestions?
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> 73
> KD8LAM
> Doug
> Dayton, OH
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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496. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 16:13:11 UTC
From: kd8lam
Topic: 489 Message: 496

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd8lam" <kd8lam@...> wrote:
>
> When linking to local repeaters (W8HEQ or K8BIG)using my DVAP, I get a message telling me I am in Receive Only.
>
> Any suggestions?
>
> 73
> KD8LAM
> Doug
> Dayton, OH
>

All,

I am registered thru W8HEQ gateway.
I can make direct contacts thru W8HEQ when NOT using the DVAP
Did remove the space A on the DVAP tool.

With those suggestions implimented, I did try connecting to W8HEQ and K8BIG again and received the "receive only" message. I tried making a QSL with other stations but no luck.

Keep the suggestions coming.

73
KD8LAM
Doug
Dayton, OH

497. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-10 13:29:42 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 489 Message: 497

Doug,

If you get the receive only message, that would indicate the call in the Station Callsign field of DVAPTool 1.02 is not registered. This would hold true for any gateway connection attempt. "KD8LAM" and "KD8LAM A" are registered callsigns that you can put in that field. Recheck your spelling and try again.

Regards,

James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd8lam" <kd8lam@...> wrote:
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> Any suggestions?
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> Doug
> Dayton, OH
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498. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-11 01:41:30 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 489 Message: 498

Something strange is going on. I don't think you or I are doing anything wrong.

I spent a couple of hours today connecting to many machines
Including AK4EG without having a problem or getting that receive only message.
The only thing stopping us from using those two machines is if it's not seeing our DVAPS as being registered on the network. But they are registered. Otherwise we would not be able to connect to all those other machines including AK4EG.
But the rest of the world does seem to at least have my dvap as being registered and letting me connect with no problems.
So far it's only W8HEQ or K8BIG that are not letting me transmit.
Maybe they didn't pick our call signs up for some reason. But then again why does AK4EG and others work fine?

Ron

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n0xia@..." <n0xia@...> wrote:
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499. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-11 01:44:59 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 489 Message: 499

Doug,

You are correct. It would appear that your callsign is not recognized as being registered at least on W8HEQ and K8BIG. There is nothing wrong with your DVAP. Your call is good according to http://query.ki4swy.org/. I am curious to know if you can do a dplus command like linking or unlinking on W8HEQ from one of the rf ports? This may require W8HEQ Admin help to see what gives. I take it the DVAP works connecting to other gateways and reflectors besides these two?

73's

James, N0XIA

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> Keep the suggestions coming.
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500. DVAPDongle-need some direction

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-11 11:26:59 UTC
From: Charles De Poalo
Topic: 489 Message: 500

Good Day to all:

My call sign (WB2CIC) is registered at W4DOC and is working with my 92AD. I do not understand the DVAP registration. My take: does the DVAP need a separate registration? If so, I am not sure how to enter the information.

Also, at the end is added "....login request from 24 XXX.128.42.....148", I do not understand if this is entered or a readout some where.

Thanks for helping me sort out this stuff.

Charlie
WB2CIC

On Jul 10, 2010, at 9:02 AM, Ken wrote:

>
>
> The callsign on the DVAP (including the "A" initial, if any) needs to be registered with a gateway somewhere in the network... because that's what will connect to the gateway.... regardless of what's set in the radio. For example:
>
> login request from 24.XXX.128.42:1183 KC4YOZ A:AP010152 RW passed 2010/07/10 08:52:22.148
>
> 73;
> Ken - KC4YOZ
> KI4WXS Gateway Admin
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dave Foran" <dave@...> wrote:
> >
> > Are you registered on any system??
> > Dave
> > WB8APD
> >
> >
> > -----Original Message-----
> > From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> > Behalf Of kd8lam
> > Sent: Friday, July 09, 2010 18:49
> > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> > Subject: [DVAPDongle] Recieve Only message
> >
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501. DVAP Tool question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-12 07:34:22 UTC
From: Graham Pemberton
Topic: 501 Message: 501

Hi all,

I have just become a member of this group and am waiting for my DVAP to arrive from the US, I already have a DV Dongle which is working great and I have to say that I am very impressed with it and the DV Tool software, I am currently running DVTool2 beta4 on a Macbook Pro.

Is there a beta version of DVAP Tool that will run natively on a Mac that I can download?

Regards
Graham Pemberton G7NEH
West Cheshire RAYNET Group
IARU Locator IO83OE
P Please consider your environmental responsibility before printing this e-mail

502. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-12 00:20:54 UTC
From: Phil Baldwin
Topic: 489 Message: 502

Are you still experiencing the same problems? I am the admin @ W8HEQ and from what I can tell your registration looks ok. I will look into this problem a little bit further, and will continue this off list with you unless I hit a snag that I need the other admins help resolving.

73

Phil

N8RVS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kd8lam
Sent: Saturday, July 10, 2010 12:13 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Recieve Only message

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All,

I am registered thru W8HEQ gateway.
I can make direct contacts thru W8HEQ when NOT using the DVAP
Did remove the space A on the DVAP tool.

With those suggestions implimented, I did try connecting to W8HEQ and K8BIG again and received the "receive only" message. I tried making a QSL with other stations but no luck.

Keep the suggestions coming.

73
KD8LAM
Doug
Dayton, OH

No virus found in this incoming message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 9.0.830 / Virus Database: 271.1.1/2996 - Release Date: 07/11/10
02:36:00

503. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-11 14:45:21 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 489 Message: 503

James,

I just went though a list of machines I had programmed in the 92ad via the DVAP.
They all worked but the same 2 that Dough is having problems with.

List of machines I just checked without the problem.
These all work fine.

AA1HD
AK4EG
K0HAM
K0MDG
K1HRO
W8DIG
K1RFI
K1RHF
K1XC

But when I try and link to W8HEQ or K8BIG.
The "Receive Only" message is sent.

It looks like it has something with those 2 machines.

Ron

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n0xia@..." <n0xia@...> wrote:
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504. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tool question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-12 13:07:33 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 501 Message: 504

Go here:

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Downloads.html

...dl the DVAPTool Mac software. To update your DVAP to the latest firmware, though, you might have to resort to a Windows OS computer, I don't think it's possible with the Mac. The latest version (1.05) is a windows file format.

Others may correct me, but this is what has worked for me on a Mac.

Regards:

Jan Timmers - VE7JBT

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>From: Graham Pemberton <grahampemberton312@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Mon, July 12, 2010 12:34:22 AM
>Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tool question
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505. Squelch options for next firmware update.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-12 22:35:04 UTC
From: Trevor
Topic: 505 Message: 505

If I could request anything to improve on for the next firmware release it would be a coded squelch option. I know it was probably not part of the initial build probably to discourage operators from altering the access points from it's original operation intent of covering only a small area of usage. However, I experience a quite a bit of RF interference from not only the computer it is attached to, but other electronic items around the house.
The interference is detected on my 92AD and the DVAP it self. The HT picks up the RF and causes it to activate it's standby beep constantly and the DVAP will sometimes transmit that the access point is already connected or disconnects and I have not sent any commands to it. (No I am not being kicked off because of "Missed Keep Alive Packets" Both the HT and the DVAP squelch bar indicators jump around constantly.
Yes, I know I can adjust the squelch sensitivity on both apparatus, but I shouldn't have to adjust them over 2/3 to reduce the interference. This also reduces the effective range for communication. I know that I can also move the AP to reduce RF interference. I have exercised the options to reduce the interference, but with a simple option to activate CTCSS or DCS these problems would not be so much anymore.
Just a thought.
Trevor (K9TVR)

506. DVAP Dongle capabilities

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-12 22:44:57 UTC
From: kf4var
Topic: 506 Message: 506

Hello to the group

I am new to D Star and although I own quite a bit of Icom equipment I do not currently own a D Star radio(awaiting the 9100).

Currently I am involved in volunteer disaster communications in Mobile Alabama. I operate both HF and VHF networks here on the Gulf Coast. We have a D Star repeater in this area. I consider the possibility that D Star might be a very valuable adjunct to traffic passing in the event of a disaster but want to evaluate the system before commitment to purchase a comparatively pricey radio that might prove of marginal usefulness.....

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Any advice or clarification anyone could offer would be deeply appreciated

Warmest Regards and 73
Carr McCormack III
KF4VAR

507. Re: Squelch options for next firmware update.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 02:23:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 505 Message: 507

Coded squelch (CTCSS/DCS) is an FM feature. It does not apply to DV mode.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Trevor" <k9heim@...> wrote:
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508. Re: DVAP Dongle capabilities

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 03:18:43 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 506 Message: 508

Aren't you just masking the problem of the interference. Wouldn't it be better to resolve the interference issue? Does the interference exist all across the 2m band? Surely, there are frequenccies that could be used at that location that are clear. If not, you really have a severe interference problem that needs to be resolved or it would be affecting all of your radios.

John WB4QDX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kf4var" <kf4var@...> wrote:
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> Carr McCormack III
> KF4VAR
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509. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 11:03:37 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 489 Message: 509

OK Phil,

I connected this morning to W8HEQ without receiving the receive only message.
So what ever you did looksl ike it fixed your machine.
I wonder if you could be so kind and pass what ever you did over to K8BIG which is still having the issue as of 7 AM tUESDAY MORNING.

Thanks so much for getting this fixed.

73
Ron

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510. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Squelch options for next firmware update.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 05:19:14 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 505 Message: 510

Perhaps he was referring to "igital code squelch" as described on page 91 of the 2820 manual. Or "digital call sign squelch".

Mark

On 7/12/2010 7:23 PM, aa4rc wrote:
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511. Re: Squelch options for next firmware update.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 05:07:01 UTC
From: Trevor
Topic: 505 Message: 511

I stand corrected. What I should have said was "DSQL" Digital Code Squelch. The squelch option specifically for DV.

512. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle capabilities - AND EmComm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 11:43:30 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 506 Message: 512

Hello Car (and the group),

Donald here (N2VU). As far as I know, the DVAP (RED) dongle is only to be used with a radio, and the other BLUE dongle is to work through your computer but doesn't work with a radio.

I do believe we're in the same position in that I volunteer with Warren County, NY. RACES, and I'm looking at D-Star as an option to pass emergency traffic faster than the current way we're doing it, which is the basic reading of messages to each other. I believe that we're quite fortunate in that the head of Emergency Services in this county is very suportive of our group but I also know that he would appreciate it if we'd be able to pick-up-the-pace a little when doing traffic handling as he's seen or heard during state or multi-county drills.

I'm anticipating the arrival of my DVAP dongle along with the IC-92AD (and accessories) that I ordered this weekend by later this week. I've never been into digital modes until now and I think its because of the benefits that I've seen demonstrated about D-Star (and P25) on youtube videos that I'm eager to try this. You're lucky in that there's already a D-Star repeater in your area, there isnt one for at least 100 miles from where I am, so as far as I know (and I've been asking around a lot) I'll be the first in the area with a D-Star radio. I'm sure there are those who'd like to see me regret it because of the negativity that a lot are projecting but then I suspect that others are interested to see what I'll be able to get out of it, though it'll be a little tougher just being one. Kind of like trying to demonstrate the telephone but with only ONE!

I'd like to ask you and any others in this group that are involved with any Emergency Services to please share what they've been able to accomplish with D-Star. Is there a program that works with D-Star that I can download that will send text, so that (assuming I get the right cable to marry my 92AD to laptop) would allow me to send messages. Please don't flame me for asking what must be a rhetorical question for many, like I said, I'm brand new to digital - and I've been a ham for more than 20 years. In fact, I guess it would be more appropraiet to start a D-Star EmComm thread for those who'd care to contribute.

Car, I'd be happy to share with you whatever I discover about D-Star for EmComm and ask you if you'd be so kind as to do the same with me.

73's for now ~ N2VU

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kf4var
Sent: Monday, July 12, 2010 6:45 PM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle capabilities

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KF4VAR

513. Re: DVAP Dongle capabilities

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 11:15:48 UTC
From: Louis
Topic: 506 Message: 513

Carr,

Put quite simply, the DVAP provides an interface between a D-STAR HT and the Internet through a computer. This allows you to wander your home or your yard or some say your neighborhood and still access D-STAR repeaters all over the world. I live in an area where there is no D-STAR repeater I can hit with mt HT. The DVAP acts as a mini repeater and gives me that access.

The original Dongle allows access to the D-STAR network by computer.

The two have very distinct functions and you may require both depending on your needs. Both require some type of internet connection.

If you want to sit at your computer and talk over the D-STAR network or your local repeater, the original Dongle is the right choice for you.

If you have a D-STAR HT and want to extend it's range with the D-STAR network or access local D-STAR repeaters you could not reach otherwise with you HT, then go for the DVAP.

Hope this helps. 73 Louis KG4QPQ

PS - On the value of D-STAR in emergency communications, I think others have already done that evaluation and found D-STAR to be an excellent tool. Check out the various D-STAR site, especially Georgia.

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> Any advice or clarification anyone could offer would be deeply appreciated
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> Warmest Regards and 73
> Carr McCormack III
> KF4VAR
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514. Re: DVAP Dongle capabilities

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 12:17:33 UTC
From: John
Topic: 506 Message: 514

The DVAP Dongle and the DV-Dongle are two different products. The DV-Dongle allows you to access the D-Star network from a computer using the computer's audio in/out. The DV-AP allows you to access the D-Star network from a VHF D-Star radio via the DV-AP that is connected to your computer.

I have one of each and am very happy with the products.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kf4var" <kf4var@...> wrote:
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515. Re: DVAP Dongle capabilities

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 17:08:23 UTC
From: kf4var
Topic: 506 Message: 515

I wold like to thank all of you for the input on D Star and DVAP. Particularly for clarification between the normal dongle and the one with the radio set in it. I currently dont see the need to set up a local wireless D Star access point here i.e. the DVAP since I am only in evaluation phase with this adn do not have a D Star radio yet..... However I can see quite a number of possibilities using the DVAP in local disaster communications, depending on the type of disaster and how far down the local infrastructure might be. I also think it might be valuable to have a separate thread here by and for people who anticipate using both the dongles, the radios and the D Star system in disaster scenarios and more particularly those that have used the equipment in disaster scenarios--- and what they found to be both the strong and weak points of the system.

Donald N2VU-- I am also a RACES member here in Mobile Al. I host one of the 2 M practice nets here as well as participate in a number of daily HF nets as well, primarily on 75 M. Like you I see the value of having the D Star capability to aid in traffic handling. What we are in process of here is teaching the people to use the ARRL message form and system to pass the info. I can see how valuable it would be to have a D Star station on frequency to be able to take traffic or even better depending on geography and coverage, have the D Star node station QSY to a simplex frequency to take traffic thereby not tying the rest of the net up. Particularly when there is a lot of traffic.

Another thing I can see happening is non integration of D Star with regular disaster voice networks without a LOT of work by area ARES co ordinators-- the newness of the technology and the price point may put D Star out of reach for many people at least for now and until the price of the radios comes down. The D Star group particularly if there is a D SStar machine in the area, may go off by themselves and not participate in the local voice group. If this happens in my opinion, it could be a huge detriment to the effectiveness of the area net. D Star even through a node station i.e someone with D Star capability participating in the voice nets.....and for that matter other modes should be "nodes" n the voice nets as well i.e. those with HF capability, and even more specifically those that are CW and those that may do HF digital modes like PSK, RTTY and MT 63....should be incorporated into the existing nets and moreover the participants, both D Star and non D Star should have practice with this integration, with passing traffic both into and out of the D Star system as well as others.....and in my opinion should practice passing traffic in simulation where there is no D Star repeater functional nor any functional internet in the area....i.e.passing traffic simplex to an HF node that could get on one of the HF nets to get the stuff out of the area---- much like what might happen here on the coast with the advent of a Category 2+ hurricane hitting the area,no electricity or internet and and many or most of the local VHF/UHF repeaters down..... I have even thought of and am working on trying to incorporate some of the CW guys in this type of scheme here because hurricanes are huge static machines, many times making the HF bands almost unusable for anything other than CW.

Thoughts??
Again thanks to all
Carr

516. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-13 18:51:19 UTC
From: Phil
Topic: 489 Message: 516

I cannot take credit for the repair, all I did was ask for help. Robin AA4RC fixed it. I called the owner of K8BIG and they are working on it as we speak.

73
Phil
N8RVS
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ronchap@..." <ronchap@...> wrote:
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> > Behalf Of kd8lam
> > Sent: Saturday, July 10, 2010 12:13 PM
> > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> > Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Recieve Only message
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517. Re: No Gateways Found error...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-14 13:55:02 UTC
From: keithmarang
Topic: 490 Message: 517

UPDATE: After contacting Robin, he found that my IP address was within a group of blocked IP's that were suspected to be used by hackers. He had to allow my IP to contact the name servers. Hopefully when my internet provider renews my IP address with a different one, it won't be blocked. :-)

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Keith Marang" <keithmarang@...> wrote:
>
> Hello all. I have just installed my DVAP, but keep getting the "No Gateways
> Found" error. I verified the internet connection. At first I had a wireless
> connection to my D-Link DIR-655 router. Then I removed the wireless
> connection, the router and used a direct connection to my cable modem. I
> still get the "No Gateways Found" error on startup. I tried disabling my
> Norton firewall and then the virus protection. I still get the error.
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> I have also updated the firmware to v1.05.
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> I have been a DStar user for a couple years, so being registered is not an
> issue.
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> Any help would be appreciated.
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> Keith Marang
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> WD8AFB
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518. Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-14 20:26:20 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 489 Message: 518

Thanks for your help.

As of Wednesday afternoon 4:00 PM. I just want to let the powers in charge at K8BIG that it's still not letting me access the machine without coming back in receive only mode. As suggested in an another post. I erased and re-programmed the K8BIG entry with no success. I also reset my router and modem.

I don't think the issue is on my end since Robin was able to fix it on Phil's machine.

Any ideas why K8BIG is not working for me but all the others are?

Could K8BIG be seeing my IP as a bad IP or a Blocked Ip for some reason?

Thanks
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> > > Behalf Of kd8lam
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> > > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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519. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Recieve Only message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-15 13:25:21 UTC
From: Phil Baldwin
Topic: 489 Message: 519

As I stated earlier they are working on it, I gave them the information needed to effect the repair. The "C" port of K8BIG is connected to REF001C so access to it is (and should be) through the reflector, if you need access to the "B" port I'm sure we can come up with a work around. Email me off list and I can set up a link on a schedule for you.

Dstar more. Worry less.

73

Phil

N8RVS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ronchap@...
Sent: Wednesday, July 14, 2010 4:26 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Recieve Only message

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520. Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-16 14:01:06 UTC
From: Noid Wilson-NM5I
Topic: 432 Message: 520

I know this was recently discussed, I looked over my details and don't see a problem. I recently changed my callsign and updated the data on the Gateway for the W4RNT D-Star group. How long does it take to have the system acknowledge an update and the changed callsign? I can hear conversations no problem and have the A designation on the dstar registration for the DVAP. I don't see anything different from my N9RLR callsign to my updated NM5I callsign.

Thanks in advance.

Noid Wilson

Semper Fi

813-532-9708 Primary Cell

918-935-7700 D's Cell

noid1037@...

The family is in Tulsa, we will be in contact. Thanks.

521. Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-16 19:50:49 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 432 Message: 521

Hello Noid,

You can check any call at this site: http://query.ki4swy.org/ (not real time, but hourly or less).
Some people will tell you that it takes a few hours to see terminal changes synchronize with the network. My testing shows that it takes about five minutes, ever since the G2 software was upgraded back in May by the trust server team.

73's

James, N0XIA

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522. Re: DVAP Feedback Another Wish List item.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-18 22:21:49 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 237 Message: 522

The 2 meter version is working great on my Linux Box.
I was wondering when you guys come out with a 70CM version if it could run along side the 2 meter version on the same PC. (Each plugged into a USB port on the computer at the same time.

In other words have 2 instances of the DVAPTool running. One for the 2 meter and one for the 70CM version at the same time.

Thanks
Ron

523. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Feedback Another Wish List item.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-19 08:42:02 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 237 Message: 523

That would be nice!!!!

Donald ~ N2VU

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ronchap@...
Sent: Sunday, July 18, 2010 6:22 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Feedback Another Wish List item.

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524. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Feedback Another Wish List item.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-19 00:54:37 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 237 Message: 524

Yes, I agree Ron, I'd love to see a 70cm version too. I've been annoying Robin about it a couple of times. I've managed to simultaneously run a HotSpot, DVAP and DV-Dongle on the same PC. Running two DVAP's at the same time would be interesting. Whilst the DVAP & DV-D are happy to run via a USB hub, often the HotSpot Node Adapter is not. But this issue has been discussed elsewhere.

As a side note, a few of us here in VK3 have upgraded the DVAP firmware to v1.05 and the improvements are obvious.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Australia

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525. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Feedback Another Wish List item.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-19 11:58:02 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 237 Message: 525

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Nik Presser
Sent: Sunday, July 18, 2010 8:55 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Feedback Another Wish List item.

Yes, I agree Ron, I'd love to see a 70cm version too. I've been annoying Robin about it a couple of times.

>>> Keep nudging!!!

Whilst the DVAP & DV-D are happy to run via a USB hub,.

>>> Great to know . so no problems or latency because of the hub?

As a side note, a few of us here in VK3 have upgraded the DVAP firmware to v1.05 and the improvements are obvious.

>>> Would you kindly share some of the improvements that you found obvious?

Thanks Nik.

73's de N2VU Donald

Cheers,

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Date: 2010-07-22 12:25:20 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 506 Message: 526

I would like to thank all of you for the input on D Star and DVAP. Particularly for clarification between the normal dongle and the one with the radio set in it. I currently don't see the need to set up a local wireless D Star access point here i.e. the DVAP since I am only in evaluation phase with this adn do not have a D Star radio yet..... However I can see quite a number of possibilities using the DVAP in local disaster communications, depending on the type of disaster and how far down the local infrastructure might be. I also think it might be valuable to have a separate thread here by and for people who anticipate using both, the dongles, the radios and the D Star system in disaster scenarios and more particularly those that have used the equipment in disaster scenarios--- and what they found to be both the strong and weak points of the system.

>>> Carr, Today is a week, full 7 days that I'm a D-Star "subscriber" as I like to put it and I have to say that I am enamored with it. I have been using a DVAP during this time and as of tomorrow, if plans work out, I'll have the chance to try out a 25 watt hot-spot. If 10 mw can give me the better part of a 1000' radius, the 25 watts will seem like a kilowatt. As for your thoughts about disaster situations, as long as you have some form of internet access during this disaster, a DVAP can be great but just note the vulnerability in this.

Donald N2VU-- I am also a RACES member here in Mobile Al. I host one of the 2 M practice nets here as well as participate in a number of daily HF nets as well, primarily on 75 M. Like you I see the value of having the D Star capability to aid in traffic handling. What we are in process of here is teaching the people to use the ARRL message form and system to pass the info. I can see how valuable it would be to have a D Star station on frequency to be able to take traffic or even better depending on geography and coverage, have the D Star node station QSY to a simplex frequency to take traffic thereby not tying the rest of the net up. Particularly when there is a lot of traffic.

>>> There is no doubt to me that if a community commits to D-Star, and really learns all that there is that you can do with it, you've got all the benefits of the digital modes consolidated. If anyone thinks I'm wrong then please correct me.

Another thing I can see happening is non integration of D Star with regular disaster voice networks without a LOT of work by area ARES co ordinators-- the newness of the technology and the price point may put D Star out of reach for many people at least for now and until the price of the radios comes down. The D Star group particularly if there is a D SStar machine in the area, may go off by themselves and not participate in the local voice group. If this happens in my opinion, it could be a huge detriment to the effectiveness of the area net.

>>> This is a very likely scenario. D-Star is obviously more expensive and today, people everywhere shop for price. The word "quality" has been redefined or incorporated with the term "most-inexpensive". So this will certainly create a divide with many. I love 220MHz, and I used to see that as a sort of private band as many don't care to spent whatever to get a 220 antenna and radio, D-Star in contrast (seemingly) makes 220 more attainable.

D Star even through a node station i.e someone with D Star capability participating in the voice nets.....and for that matter other modes should be "nodes" n the voice nets as well i.e. those with HF capability, and even more specifically those that are CW and those that may do HF digital modes like PSK, RTTY and MT 63....should be incorporated into the existing nets and moreover the participants, both D Star and non D Star should have practice with this integration, with passing traffic both into and out of the D Star system as well as others.....and in my opinion should practice passing traffic in simulation where there is no D Star repeater functional nor any functional internet in the area....i.e.passing traffic simplex to an HF node that could get on one of the HF nets to get the stuff out of the area---- much like what might happen here on the coast with the advent of a Category 2+ hurricane hitting the area,no electricity or internet and and many or most of the local VHF/UHF repeaters down..... I have even thought of and am working on trying to incorporate some of the CW guys in this type of scheme here because hurricanes are huge static machines, many times making the HF bands almost unusable for anything other than CW.

>>> As HAMs we have so, so much choice, but ironically with all the options we don't seem to be able to meet on the same page as far as passing traffic which is weird. Its because of this most nets wind up doing the very slow 2 meter voice, message handling where the words are spelled out phonetically and while at least we can get the message across when other systems are down or unreliable, we really should be able to just zip the traffic to whoever digitally from computer to computer . but we cant . or can we?

Donald ~ N2VU

Thoughts??
Again thanks to all
Carr

527. IC-880H MONI SETTING

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-22 16:30:45 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 527 Message: 527

Greetings,
I have been working hard to get my Icom set up for use
with the DVAP dongle and I am almost there. My last problem to solve
is that currently, to hear audio I must push the moni button. When I
transmit I have to push the moni buttom again to hear the audio.
I have tried various menu changes to no avail. I know it's operator error and I am missing
something. Any thoughts out there?
Thanks,
Wayne
KA1VRF

528. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-880H MONI SETTING

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-22 18:52:55 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 527 Message: 528

Is by chance your 880 programmed to respond only to a DV Digital Code Squelch?

Mark

---- Wayne <ka1vrf@...> wrote:
> Greetings,
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> with the DVAP dongle and I am almost there. My last problem to solve
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missing something. Any thoughts out there?
> Thanks,
> Wayne
> KA1VRF
>

529. Re: IC-880H MONI SETTING

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-23 22:08:09 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 527 Message: 529

Mark,
Thanks for your response. I have made sure that the dv code squelch is off and under squelch delay it is set short by default. My AR-=ATT is off as well. Now I have continual squelch after I push in the moni button to hear the dvap ID. I should think that I would not have to keep switching the moni button to hear transmissions each time I transmit.
I am currently only trying to solve this locally before I try any reflectors again.
Fortunately I saved the setting of the radio before I started to adjust the squelch functions...back to the drawing board.
Wayne

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mark Krotz <mkrotz@...> wrote:
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> Mark
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> > Wayne
> > KA1VRF
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530. Mobile

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-23 14:48:30 UTC
From: Dave Foran
Topic: 530 Message: 530

Group

I hear users running around using dvap mobile GREAT

I hear them all saying the have the Verizon air card

Is it a cost reason or does AT&T block it

Dave

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Dave Foran Internet ONLY: dave@...

Cruise Missile Coordinates 41.36.978N 81.25.867W

531. Re: IC-880H MONI SETTING

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-23 22:17:48 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 527 Message: 531

Mark,
As a follow up, I have reset the radio and I am back to my original config whereas the squelch is no longer open when I push the moni button.
However, I do have a D SQL showing on the top row of the display.
This must be what you are referring to.... back to the book :)
Wayne

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> > KA1VRF
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532. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-24 15:18:50 UTC
From: Wb5ugc
Topic: 530 Message: 532

Hello

I use a sprint card. I have heard brands being used. On our D-Star net here in Dallas last Sunday one person who checked in told about his trip from Texas into New Mexico using a satellite phone the whole trip with his DVAP.

What fun!

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 23, 2010, at 9:48 AM, "Dave Foran" <dave@...> wrote:

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> I hear users running around using dvap mobile GREAT
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533. RE: [DVAPDongle] Mobile

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-25 02:13:04 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 530 Message: 533
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I use a tethered AT&T phone with my DVAP and laptop while mobile. I think Verizon has broader G3 coverage than AT&T, but I'm having no problems with AT&T service. They don't block it. If I weren't contractually obligated to AT&T, I might consider trying Verizon.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Dave Foran
Sent: Friday, July 23, 2010 10:49 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Mobile

Group

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Is it a cost reason or does AT&T block it

Dave

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Dave Foran Internet ONLY: dave@...

Cruise Missile Coordinates 41.36.978N 81.25.867W

No virus found in this incoming message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 9.0.851 / Virus Database: 271.1.1/3025 - Release Date: 07/24/10 02:36:00

534. TX message not showing up on Dstar Dash boards

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-24 18:00:58 UTC
From: ka2ugz
Topic: 534 Message: 534

I have the IC-91AD and I usually have a TX message stored in the radio that shows where I am.

The message shows up on D-Dtar dashboards when I use other interfaces like Satoshi's board but not when I go thru DVAP.

Is this feature supported by DVAP?

Thanks de KA2UGZ Jay

535. Re: IC-880H MONI SETTING

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-25 20:37:12 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 527 Message: 535

Hello Wayne,

I have not heard from you on this group whether you are still struggling or not with the 880. What I would like to know is what frequency are you using with the DVAP? Is the radio on the same frequency when transmitting? Is the radio on the same frequency when receiving? Are there any indications above the frequency read-out on the 880 that you can tell us? If you have succeeded in making the 880 work, then you can ignore all of these questions.

73's

James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Wayne" <ka1vrf@...> wrote:
>
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> Wayne
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536. Re: TX message not showing up on Dstar Dash boards

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 04:15:17 UTC
From: vihlene@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 534 Message: 536

I have a 92AD using the DVAPDongle. Being able to connect when I am out of range of a D-Star repeater is wonderful. I do, however, have the same problem that you describe.

When I call the repeater with mt radio, my call sign and connection show up on the local dashboard as well as the D-Star site. When I go through the DVAPP however, nothing shows up on the dashboards even though I am contacting people worldwide through the Reflectors.

Vern, W6VDV

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ka2ugz" <whitejayp@...> wrote:
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> The message shows up on D-Dtar dashboards when I use other interfaces like Satoshi's board but not when I go thru DVAP.
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> Is this feature supported by DVAP?
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> Thanks de KA2UGZ Jay
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537. computer not recognizing dvap on power up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-26 16:00:56 UTC
From: kd4iez
Topic: 537 Message: 537

I use the dvap on com 8 and have the dvap tool on the desktop. When i finish using the computer i shut down and power off until the next day. I boot up the next day and after everything settles down, I double click the dvap tool and it always reports that the dvap is not found and verify that one is connected with the led blinking green. (It is connected and blinking green when i get this message) The only way I can get the dongle to work is to unplug it and reconnect to the usb port. sometimes I have to do this twice before it will communicate. Anybody got any ideas as to why it does this? Thanks... Clay KD4IEZ

538. Re: computer not recognizing dvap on power up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 12:09:29 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 537 Message: 538

Hi Clay. I've seen this happen on a netbook here. Try downloading the latest FTDI drivers from http://www.ftdichip.com and see if that makes a difference.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd4iez" <lclord@...> wrote:
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539. Re: TX message not showing up on Dstar Dash boards

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 12:08:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 534 Message: 539

Hi Vern. The gateway dashboards only show users in the last heard section that are transmitting on that gateway (both RF and directly connected DV Dongles/DVAPs/hotspots). If you transmit on a reflector, the users do not show up in all of the connected gateway dashboards.

Try connecting directly to a gateway and transmit. You should see yourself listed in the last heard list there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vihlene@..." <vihlene@...> wrote:
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540. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: computer not recognizing dvap on power up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 13:03:59 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 537 Message: 540

I already have the latest drivers and still have the reported problem about half the time. There doesn't seem to be a pattern to when the problem will happen. It just does sometimes, and sometimes it doesn't. I always plug the DVAP into the same USB port so port recognition should not be the problem.

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541. Re: computer not recognizing dvap on power up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 16:03:51 UTC
From: kd4iez
Topic: 537 Message: 541

Robin and Tim,
I updated the FTDI driver to ver 2.6.0.0 dated 10/22/2009 but the problem still exists. When I start the DVAP tool the script that runs tells me that no FTDI device found. If I unplug and replug the DVAP it will discover it...

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542. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: computer not recognizing dvap on power up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 19:43:17 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 537 Message: 542

Yep, that's what (sometimes) happens here, too.

73 de Tim, AF1G

---- kd4iez <lclord@...> wrote:

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543. Re: computer not recognizing dvap on power up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 19:52:18 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 537 Message: 543

Hi Clay. If you would, please download:

http://opendstar.org/tools/ftdireg.bat

and run it both when it is not showing up and after you unplug/plug back in. Please send the output directly to me (not to the list).

Thanks,
Robin
AA4RC

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544. Receive only - still a problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-27 23:38:44 UTC
From: Joey
Topic: 544 Message: 544

Hi Robin & the group,

On many repeaters I still can only connect in receive only for some reason with my dvap. Previously there were some DB issues but dstar-admins took care of that for me.

I'm correctly showing up, fwiw, on http://query.ki4swy.org/index.php

Any ideas?

Thanks,

Joey, NV0N

545. Re: Receive only - still a problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-28 12:11:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 544 Message: 545

Hi Joey. Your callsign is still problematic in the G2 database. Your entry is missing in the sync_rip table. Probably the best thing to do right now is to have the admin of your registered system delete your entry. Then wait a day and re-register.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Joey" <joey@...> wrote:
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> Any ideas?
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> Thanks,
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> Joey, NV0N
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546. Re: TX message not showing up on Dstar Dash boards

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-29 00:12:08 UTC
From: JAY WHITE
Topic: 534 Message: 546

Here is an update on TX message not passing through:

When I monitor the dashboards I don't initially see the TX message after I am connected to either a repeater or a reflector. I get the voice confirmation that the link has happened and I see my callsign on the dashboard too but the TX message is not shown until AFTER I switch to cqcqcq.

It's like the L command makes the contact but all the information is not sent until I change the radio over to cqcqcq, then the TX message is displayed on the dashboards.

73 de KA2UGZ - Jay

547. DVAP Dongle Functions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-30 19:50:08 UTC
From: mwt2004uk
Topic: 547 Message: 547

Hi All,

I am looking at getting into D-Star, but unable to access the local repeater from my house. I wonder if anyone can tell me the full funcionality of the NEW DVAP. I am happy that it has a Access Point and you need a D-Star handheld to access this, but if you do not have a D-Star handheld can u access the D-Star network by just using a PC Mic plugged into your soundcard

548. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle Functions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-30 21:10:38 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 547 Message: 548

you cannot use a pc mic, only via rf. and it works very well.

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Fran W1FJM

On Fri, Jul 30, 2010 at 3:50 PM, mwt2004uk <matthewwtaylor@...> wrote:

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549. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle Functions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-31 02:29:11 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 547 Message: 549

I think you'd be needing a DV Dongle for that, if you don't have the d-star capable radio.
I'm like you, I can't access a d-star repeater from my location, and I already had the Icom IC-92AD handheld (had purchased it to experiment with d-star). I almost did handstands when I realized that the DVAP would give me full access to the d-star network from the comfort of my easy chair (or out on the deck, or in my backyard, etc) using that handheld.

For example, right now I'm listing to the Canadian d-star Net, and have just heard the last two check-ins from Australia and England. And voice quality is fantastic.

Regards:

Jan Timmers - VE7JBT

>
>From: mwt2004uk <matthewwtaylor@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Fri, July 30, 2010 12:50:08 PM
>Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle Functions
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>Hi All,
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>I am looking at getting into D-Star, but unable to access the local repeater
>from my house. I wonder if anyone can tell me the full funcionality of the NEW
>DVAP. I am happy that it has a Access Point and you need a D-Star handheld to
>access this, but if you do not have a D-Star handheld can u access the D-Star
>network by just using a PC Mic plugged into your soundcard
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550. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle Functions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-31 09:24:08 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 547 Message: 550

To get into D-Star without a radio you would then use the blue DV-Dongle. We look forward to hearing you on D-Star.

Donald ~ N2VU

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mwt2004uk
Sent: Friday, July 30, 2010 3:50 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle Functions

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551. Re: DVAP Dongle Functions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-31 10:49:46 UTC
From: gi4fum2
Topic: 547 Message: 551

If you don't have a D-Star enabled transceiver the DVAP would be no use to you. You would be better getting yourself a DVdongle. That will give you access to the network (once you have registered on it) from your PC.

73
David GI4FUM/MB6OH

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552. Re: Receive only - still a problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-31 22:01:02 UTC
From: Joey
Topic: 544 Message: 552

Hi Robin,

Thanks. I wonder why the trust admins said it was fine. Well, I did this, again, and it actually worked this time. I'm able to connect to all the systems I couldn't before. Yeehaw. :-)

Thanks,

Joey

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Joey. Your callsign is still problematic in the G2 database. Your entry is missing in the sync_rip table. Probably the best thing to do right now is to have the admin of your registered system delete your entry. Then wait a day and re-register.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC

553. DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-07-31 22:51:48 UTC
From: richark
Topic: 553 Message: 553

I've searched past messages, but can't seem to find an answer to a problem I'm seeing. I'm trying to get my DVAP working on a Linux machine, running Centos 5.5. When I try to launch the DVAPTool, I get this error message:

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./DVAPTool: symbol lookup error:lib/libQtGui.so.4: undefined symbol: FcFreeTypeQueryFace
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I've put the DVAPTool folder on the desktop and it looks like it found the library files in the lib directory. But I'm at a loss as to why the error.

Thanks
Kenny, KU7M

554. Re: DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-01 00:35:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 553 Message: 554

Hi Kenny. You may not have installed freetype when you installed the O/S. Run:

```
rpm -q -a |grep freetype
```

and make sure you have the packages installed. To install, run:

```
yum install freetype
yum install freetype-devel
```

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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555. Re: DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-01 01:25:28 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 553 Message: 555

Hi Kenny. The other issue might be that you have an early version of the fontconfig libraries. I've placed a copy of mine at:

http://opendstar.org/tools/fc.tgz

for download. If the freetype install does not fix the problem, try the library files in that tarball. (cd /; tar xzvf /tmp/fc.tgz)

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>

557. Re: DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-01 02:11:28 UTC
From: richark
Topic: 553 Message: 557

Robin,

Replacing the default fontconfig libraries with the version you made available for me solved the problem. It is odd nobody has hit this before, since I did a standard install of Centos just a couple weeks ago on this box. I did have freetype installed, version freetype-2.2.1-21.e15_3.

I'm not on the next set of problems. :-)

When I launch the app from the command line, I get this error:
Fontconfig error: Cannot load default config file

That is probably nothing important, but DVAP is also having problems talking to the DVAP device. I haven't done any searching on this problem yet, so if there is a standard answer, I'm sure I'll find it.

73,
Kenny

Here is the output:

```
[kennyr@centos DVAPTool]$ ./DVAPTool
Fontconfig error: Cannot load default config file
DVAPTool version 1.02
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=KU7M
DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
Frequency=146550000
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: Linux
FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EXK)
new frequency (146550000)
Callsign set to KU7M
Frequency set to 146550000
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (KU7M)
Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
[kennyr@centos DVAPTool]$
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558. Re: DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-01 14:15:44 UTC
From: richark
Topic: 553 Message: 558

Just wanted to let people know that I figured out my second problem. The box has locked down access to /dev/ttyUSB0, if I run DVAP as root, it is able to access the device fine. I'm now trying to figure out why adding my user account to the UUCP group didn't solve this problem. (My knowledge of Centos is lacking, I doubt I would have this problem on Ubuntu)

Thanks again for the help!
Kenny

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> Fontconfig error: Cannot load default config file
>
> That is probably nothing important, but DVAP is also having problems talking to the DVAP device. I haven't done any searching on this problem yet, so if there is a standard answer, I'm sure I'll find it.
>
> 73,
> Kenny
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> Here is the output:
>
> [kennyr@centos DVAPTool]$ ./DVAPTool
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> DVAPTool version 1.02
> Restored parameters:
> UserCallsign=KU7M
> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
> Frequency=146550000
> SquelchLevel=-80
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Linux
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EXK)
> new frequency (146550000)
> Callsign set to KU7M
> Frequency set to 146550000

> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to (KU7M)
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
> [kennyr@centos DVAPTool]$
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>
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> > > Kenny, KU7M
> > >
> >
>

559. DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 00:08:27 UTC
From: kb2thd@bellsouth.net
Topic: 559 Message: 559

I have an ACER Aspire R1600 Mini Desktop.
Althogh my DVAP works on all of my computers,2 Desktops and 2 Notebooks, I can not get it to work on the R1600. The R1600 has an ATOM CPU so that is the reason for my question.
Maybe I have to get some special drivers.
Thanks for reading
73, Jim/KB2THD

560. Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 01:53:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 559 Message: 560

Hi Jim. The Atom based windows systems use the same drivers as the other PC's. Perhaps you did not have internet connectivity when you first plugged in the DVAP. You should be able to download/install the drivers from the http://www.ftdi.com web site.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kb2thd@..." <kb2thd@...> wrote:
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561. Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 06:13:20 UTC
From: Ian VK2HK
Topic: 561 Message: 561

I have loaded the DVAP application onto several PC's including Vista, Windows 7 and some Windows XP, without any issues, I do have a desktop and a Laptop both running XP that are experiencing the same problem. The application installs/runs fine except when I try to change the frequency. When I plug the DVAP into the computers they find the drivers and I have downloaded the latest drivers, I have rebooted each unit several times now and even removed and reinstalled the driver but no matter what frequency I try to add I keep getting "invalid frequency" coming up, as I said this has happened on only these 2 systems, but they both run the DVDongle software fine. The frequencies are between 145 and 146Mhz although I have tried many.

Thanks

Ian

73's & take care.

Ian (VK2HK)

562. Re: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 13:47:07 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 561 Message: 562

Are you inputting enough digits.

145615000

Is what I have entered.

Brian
WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: Ian VK2HK
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, August 07, 2010 11:13 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

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563. Re: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 14:13:48 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 561 Message: 563

Ian, please try 146.55. That's what mine is set to and it works fine.? Mark KB3Z

Aug 8, 2010 08:09:46 AM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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564. RE: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 15:47:29 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 561 Message: 564

Mark, I'm curious . do you actually have the decimal in there? Mine wont accept it but works fine - or I should say "will only work" without it.

Donald ~ N2VU

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@...m [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of pastormg2@...
Sent: Sunday, August 08, 2010 10:14 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

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565. RE: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 15:44:05 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 561 Message: 565

And make sure you didn't add a decimal by accident.

N2VU

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Frobisher
Sent: Sunday, August 08, 2010 9:47 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Are you inputting enough digits.

145615000

Is what I have entered.

Brian

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----- Original Message -----

From: Ian VK2HK <mailto:ian@...>

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogro <mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> ups.com

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566. Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 14:59:21 UTC
From: kh6mei
Topic: 559 Message: 566

I have two of these little guys, great little pc's. my dvap works fine on mine with one exception is occasionally I have to unplug the dvap and plug back in for it to recognize it. I've also had the same issue with my accer net books and different usb devices. seems to be something in the acer's as I've noted my asus netbook doesn't have this problem, so far.

Aloha
Wayne

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567. Re: RE: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-08 19:35:46 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 561 Message: 567

No, I didn't enter a decimal point.? Just entered 146550000

?

Mark KB3Z

Aug 8, 2010 12:12:58 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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N2VU

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568. RE: RE: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-09 00:28:37 UTC
From: Ian VK2HK
Topic: 561 Message: 568
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Thanks for the response everyone, these PC’s are at our club so next Saturday I will try again, all the others I have set up prior to these are all working fine and have been for a while. Trying to remember what I did, the entering of the decimal point just maybe the problem, I will let you know.

Thanks again

Ian

Ian (VK2HK)

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of pastormg2@...t
Sent: Monday, 9 August 2010 5:36 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: RE: [DVAPDongle] Strangle problem on Windows XP for DVAP

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569. New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 11:57:32 UTC
From: gi4fum2
Topic: 569 Message: 569

I have just purchased a DVAP from Waters and Stanton, Hockley, Essex in England. I downloaded the DVAPtool and am able to connect my DVAP but the tool software does not give me any options to connect to reflectors or access points. I also have a DVdongle and its tool software does give me options to connect to the various reflectors and repeaters. I would be grateful for some help.

73
David GI4FUM
Antrim, Northern Ireland
MB6OH hot spot manager

570. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 12:08:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 569 Message: 570

Hi David. As per the instructions, linking/unlinking is done using your radio. Did you read the "Using the DVAP" section at http://www.dvapdongle.com ? :)

Feel free to send a direct email if the instructions are not sufficiently clear.

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571. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 12:09:37 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 569 Message: 571

David,

Please read this

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

You connect to reflectors using your radio. For instance, when I use my
DVAP I typically use a 91AD and i have memory banks programmed
specifically for it. Good luck!

Chris

On Wed, 2010-08-18 at 11:57 +0000, gi4fum2 wrote:
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572. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 12:29:36 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 569 Message: 572

Make sure the call sign you are using is registered.

Fran Signature

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Fran, W1FJM

HTML clipboard

On Wed, Aug 18, 2010 at 7:57 AM, gi4fum2 <
william.hutchinson6@...> wrote:

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573. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 12:28:18 UTC
From: gi4fum2
Topic: 569 Message: 573

Thanks Chris

More complicated programming to get my head around - aaargh ;-) Why can't this mode be simple? I have an IC-E92D and an IC2820 in the car.

David GI4FUM/MB6OH

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574. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 14:44:37 UTC
From: gi4fum2
Topic: 569 Message: 574

My callsign GI4FUM should already be registered as I am running a hot spot MB6OH and am accessing the D-Star network through it. I also have a DVdongle and it too works fine via the network.

David GI4FUM/MB6OH

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Francis Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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575. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 14:51:56 UTC
From: gi4fum2
Topic: 569 Message: 575

No problem Robin. I have a printout of that in front of me as I type this. Can I take you to the paragraph starting "Once the DV Access Point Dongle is opened, the Device Name and Serial Number fields should show data specific to the hardware you have opened - they do so there is no problem there.

Moving to the next paragraph "DVAPTool then makes a request to an Internet based D-STAR gateway name server." This is where I come unstuck because the software does not request an Internet based D-STAR gateway name server. It just tells me that I am connected to the internet but not to where I am connected.

Where am I going wrong?

David GI4FUM/MB6OH

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576. Callsign + A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 15:58:45 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 576 Message: 576

Hi,

When I got my callsign registered for use with the DVAP, I was advised that I should use it with an A at the end - i.e. "2E0CTH A"

Is this just a convention or is there a technical reason for this?

Thanks,

73

Chris Howard 2E0CTH.

577. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 16:50:13 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 569 Message: 577

Hi David. The request to the name server is done automatically by DVAPTool. This retrieves the list of currently available gateways/reflectors. It does not display this list since the link/unlink request comes from the URCALL field of your radio.

Once you have requested a link via your radio, it will show up in the DVAPTool window. You then change your URCALL field to "CQCQCQ " and then you can transmit.

Remember that once you have clicked on "Open" and received the pop up box, you can walk away from your PC. Everything else is done from your radio.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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578. Re: Callsign + A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 17:00:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 576 Message: 578

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579. Fwd: D-STAR Forums at Huntsville Hamfest

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 18:08:41 UTC
From: Mark Thompson
Topic: 579 Message: 579

----- Forwarded Message ----
From: WB4QDX <wb4qdx@...>
To: ga_dstar@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wed, August 18, 2010 10:51:11 AM
Subject: [ga_dstar] D-STAR Forums at Huntsville Hamfest

If you are planning to got to the Huntsville Hamfest this weekend, the Hamfest organizers have dedicated three hours of forum time to D-STAR. Beginning at 10:00am in the Madison Room in the adjacent Embassy Suites Hotel, the agenda is as follows:

Hour 1: Part 1: "DVAP / DV Dongle / D-PLUS / software packages", Robin Cutshaw, AA4RC. This presentation will review the new DV Access Point Dongle (DVAP) and show DV Dongle improvements, capabilities and use. In addition, Robin will cover DPLUS updates, new hardware, software and advanced capabilities.
Part 2: "D-STAR basics and DV Dongle/DVAP", John Davis WB4QDX, Georgia D-STAR. John will take attendees through an introduction of D-STAR and cover practices, current happenings, nets, using the internet gateway network and more.

Hour 2: "D-RATS, D-STAR digital data software", Scott Hartlage KF4PWI and John Davis WB4QDX. This presentation will review D-RATS software for data communications usingD-STAR radios. D-RATS use within amateur radio especially in emergency communications is expanding. Scott and John will provide an explanation of use and features including file transfers, practical scenarios, messaging, mapping, e-mail
support and show a live demo.

Hour 3: "D-STAR Administrator and advanced topics", Ken Adkisson, WB4FAY. This presentation will enable D-STAR server system administrators to discuss features, maintenance and practices of the D-STAR system. The speaker will also answer advanced questions and moderate discussion of advanced topics concerning D-STAR systems set up, use and operation.

Join us for all or any part of the Forums between 10:00am and 1:00pm. The D-STAR Forum will be in the Madison Room in the Embassy Suites Hotel adjacent to the South Hall of the Von Braun Center. Take the connecting bridge over to the Embassy Suites for the Forum.

Don't forget that WB4HRO B will be operating from the Hamfest 0n 440.7125 +5.0 MHz and WB4HRO A on 1284.45 -12 MHz. WB4HRO will be linked to REF030 C and A respectiviely during the Hamfest. Huntsville is also home to two excellent D-STAR repeaters with KI4PPF and W4WBC. Check our the repeater listings on www.dstarinfo.com to get repeater information. See you in Huntsville.

John WB4QDX

580. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Callsign + A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 17:43:18 UTC
From: Chris Brown
Topic: 576 Message: 580

Roger - thanks Robin.

Chris Brown
From my AT&T iPhone

On Aug 18, 2010, at 9:00 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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581. Re: Callsign + A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-18 20:59:26 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 576 Message: 581

Thanks Robin

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582. Re: Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-19 16:43:40 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 582 Message: 582

Hello,

Further to my last post I should have said I'm using version 2.08.02
of the FTDI drivers, is there a newer version?

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Best regards,
John G8KVP mailto:kvp@...

583. Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-19 15:51:15 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 582 Message: 583

Hello,

Excellent DVAP arrived here today and is working very well, i.e.
DVtools works fine.

However if I try to run DVUpdater 1.05, DVapUtil 1.02 or
DVapFMSetup1.02 I get the following error:

The ordinal 80 could not be located in the dynamic link library
FTD2XX.dll

The .dll is installed, so does anyone know what the problem might be?

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584. Re: Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-19 18:44:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 582 Message: 584

Hi John. Please download/install the latest drivers from http://www.ftdichip.com/

This should fix your issue.

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Robin
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585. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-19 21:56:32 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 582 Message: 585

Hello Robin,

Those are the drivers I have installed.

Thursday, August 19, 2010, 7:44:32 PM, you wrote:

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586. Re: Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-19 23:43:56 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 582 Message: 586

The error you are receiving shows the library is old. Updating the drivers has fixed this for all of the other users that had that problem.

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587. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-20 09:17:22 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 582 Message: 587

Hello Robin and all,

Well I can now report that after a lot of messing about, hand installing .dll etc I have a set of drivers which now works. I don't know why they didn't install properly. I'm also a bit confused as there appears to be files with the same version number that are difference in both size and date.

Anyway problem over back to messing about with radios.

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Best regards,
John mailto:kvp@...

588. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-20 06:28:08 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 582 Message: 588

Hello Robin,

Well something strange is happening here. If I go to the USB/Serial port in hardware manager, I'm running Vista by the way, and click on the port the driver tab tells me the driver version is 2.8.2.0

I installed the drivers from a file called CDM20802_Setup.exe, which on the port tab information from above tells me it has a date of 12th July 2010.

I then took your direction and went to www.ftdichip.com and downloaded CDM20802 WHQL Certified.zip and tried to install that, but I'm told I already have the latest version. However the site says these files were dated 11th August 2010. So there seems to be some difference on the date of the 'latest' files.

My next move will be to try and un-install the drivers that are there and try the other set, even though they have the same version number if not the same date!

If you have any other ideas.....

Friday, August 20, 2010, 12:43:56 AM, you wrote:

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589. Unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 03:26:30 UTC
From: John
Topic: 589 Message: 589

I have DVAPTool 1.02 and have been running it for quite some time. Today when I try and connect to Reflector 001 it comes back with "Unknown Gateway". I can connect to the other reflectors with no issue. I have a icom 92AD and have made no changes to the programming. I never have had any issues with connecting to reflector 001 until today. Perhaps, are there any issues with the reflector? Any other suggestions?

John
N0MEQ

590. DVAP 1.02 Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 06:24:45 UTC
From: mwt2004uk
Topic: 590 Message: 590

Does anybody have DVAP 1.02 Firmware they can post. My DVAP is currently at this and I want to upgrade to 1.05, but will not do so unless have 1.02 firmaware

591. Wishlist for DVAPtool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 06:07:47 UTC
From: n5vrp
Topic: 591 Message: 591

This is a great tool and device where I live with no gateways within 100+ miles of me. I have two basic questions.

1. Would it be possible to incorporate features of the DVdongle into the DVAP tool application? Namely, bit error rate, History Log, Data w/message send box, Record/Playback with user slection for storing the media file on hard drive or flash stick drive, and lastly GET Links/Gateways attached to attached node (REF001 C, etc.)?

Boy that was a lot....

2. Would it or can a DVAP device hardware maybe with a 500mw transmit be developed for UHF Dstar use. In other words, a UHF Version of the DVAPdongle device.

Dennis, N5VRP
I am very interested in all above issues and plans to purchase another DVAPdongle in another month or two beaming outside to others in my area.

73's
Good Work, excellent design. Could use a little more power(10w or so) though.

592. Re: Unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 11:35:17 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 589 Message: 592

on the Dstar digital group there is talk of REF001C having serious issues, maybe it finally crashed? apparently there is a new server set to be installed but it hasn't been done yet.

is there a backup calling reflector apart from 1C

73 de Jason WX4JCW

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593. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 12:03:24 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 589 Message: 593

Hello John,

I do believe I read recently that REF001 was due for a machine change, maybe that is going on now. I am having the same problem.

Saturday, August 21, 2010, 4:26:30 AM, you wrote:

J> I have DVAPTool 1.02 and have been running it for quite some time.
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J> "Unknown Gateway". I can connect to the other reflectors with no
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J> John
J> N0MEQ

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Best regards,
John G8KVP mailto:kvp@...

594. Re: Unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 13:15:18 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 589 Message: 594

REF001 went down at 4:20 PM EDT, 4/20/2010. Until someone involved with that reflector says other wise, I am reading that a site visit may be required. Your DVAP is correct in stating "Unknown Gateway".

James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <n0meq@...> wrote:
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595. Re: [DVAPDongle] Wishlist for DVAPtool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 15:05:47 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 591 Message: 595

Robin is busy at the Huntsville hamfest this weekend. He has addressed some of the questions below either on the mailing list or at hamfest seminars, so I'll try to faithfully repeat his previous statements.

At 02:07 AM 8/21/2010, n5vrp wrote:
>1. Would it be possible to incorporate features of the DVdongle into the
>DVAP tool application? Namely, bit error rate, History Log, Data w/message
>send box, Record/Playback with user slection for storing the media file on
>hard drive or flash stick drive, and lastly GET Links/Gateways attached to
>attached node (REF001 C, etc.)?

Robin has playfully suggested that the device you're looking for already exists. It costs $450, and consists of:

1 - DV Dongle
1 - DVAP Dongle
1 - short piece of Duct Tape

Many of us already do that (without the duct tape). I usually have both plugged into my home computer. I'll take this to mean that he's not planning a combined single device.

>2. Would it or can a DVAP device hardware maybe with a 500mw transmit be
>developed for UHF Dstar use. In other words, a UHF Version of the
>DVAPdongle device....
>Good Work, excellent design. Could use a little more power(10w or so) though.

Robin carefully selected the 10mW spec to create a device that would give you coverage around your home, but have minimum impact on other spectrum users in your area. But if you can connect a rooftop antenna, you should see 1/2 mile or more coverage to a handheld.

For seriously higher power, you're looking at the HotSpot device, that can turn a regular FM radio into a D-STAR access point (not a D-STAR radio), running as much power as the radio can run (being aware that it may end up transmitting some long duty cycles).

It's not quite so plug-and-play, but there are a lot of them out there. Here are some links:
http://www.g7ltt.com/hotspot/
http://w9arp.com/hotspot/

As for UHF, Robin says "a lot of people have asked for that." I'm one of them - I'd much rather be operating the device on UHF. So that's probably on the list. Note that the HotSpot will work on any band radio you connect it to.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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596. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 19:28:40 UTC
From: Live Mail
Topic: 589 Message: 596

The server for reflector 001 is down. They were having problems with the server. They have a new server and will install it as soon as possible. Until then, it will be down.

Sent from my iPod

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597. Re: Unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 14:04:19 UTC
From: timmersbc
Topic: 589 Message: 597

I've got a similar thing, I think there's some problem with that reflector. There's more interesting traffic on 030C today anyways ;-) ;-)

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598. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unknown Gateway - REF 001 out of service

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-21 14:46:40 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 589 Message: 598

At 11:26 PM 8/20/2010, "John" <n0meq@...> wrote:
>I have DVAPTool 1.02 and have been running it for quite some time. Today
>when I try and connect to Reflector 001 it comes back with "Unknown Gateway"

Reflector 001 is temporarily out of service. It had a hardware/software
problem and the equipment is being replaced.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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599. Re: Wishlist for DVAPtool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-22 18:51:17 UTC
From: Nidge
Topic: 591 Message: 599

I'd quite like to see some sort of "reconnect if connection lost" option? (like in DVAR).

I have lost count how many times I have been monitoring a reflector (or so I thought).. only to eventually realise it actually timed out/disconnected some time back - DOH?

A tick box to replace endless mic keys would be real nice ;-)

600. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Wishlist for DVAPtool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-22 21:16:52 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 591 Message: 600

I second this man's fine request. If it's implementable through a software add-on, please and thanks.
Regards:

Jan Timmers - VE7JBT

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>From: Nidge <g0wfs1@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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601. Unable to query dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-22 21:20:15 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 601 Message: 601

Hi,

I'm running DVAPtool 1.02 on my Ubuntu netbook and I've noticed, fairly consistently that when I click on "open" to connect to the DVAP, I get the message "Unable to query dongle device". If I then click "open" again, it seems to then connect fine.

Does this happen to anyone else?

Thanks,

Chris Howard - 2E0CTH

602. automatic reconnect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 09:18:51 UTC
From: Urs Haechler
Topic: 602 Message: 602

I use the DVAP for several months. I would not miss the dongle anymore. Around the house QRV in d-star, great.

The DVAP has a small minus point for me. Missing an automatic reconnect. When the link will be interrupted due to bad internet connection or changing ip addresses on the repeater side. Most repeaters have a dynamic ip address which changes every 24 hours.
It would be great if in these cases, an automatic reconnect would be possible.

73 de Urs HB9DDE

603. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Wishlist for DVAPtool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 11:46:20 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 591 Message: 603

Count me in on that request as well.

Donald ~ N2VU

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From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jan Timmers
Sent: Sunday, August 22, 2010 5:17 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Wishlist for DVAPtool

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604. How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 20:17:51 UTC
From: n2vu911
Topic: 604 Message: 604

First, I looked for a thread about this here but couldn't find one.

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I look forward to your contributions.

Thanks, Donald ~ N2VU

605. Re: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 20:39:39 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 604 Message: 605

Here are some USB FAQs

http://www.usb.org/about/faq/ans5

Brian
Los Angeles
WA6JFK

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Thanks, Donald ~ N2VU

606. Re: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 20:37:27 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 604 Message: 606

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Fran,W1FJM

On Mon, Aug 23, 2010 at 4:17 PM, n2vu911 <Studionyc@...> wrote:

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607. Re: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 21:07:25 UTC
From: Pierre Thibaudeau
Topic: 604 Message: 607

Le 2010-08-23 16:17, n2vu911 a ?crit :
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Donald,

Not sure what's your goal, but have you considered keeping the DVAP close to the computer and instead extending the antenna connexion? I have connected mine to my roof top antenna and it works great. I will eventually test how far I can reach but a 10dBi antenna will certainly give me far greater reach than the supplied 2in. one.

'73 - Pierre

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Pierre Thibaudeau
VA2RKA/VA2RKB/VE2RIO/VE2RVR/VE2RQF/VE2RTO/VE2LKL/VE2FCT sysadmin

608. RE: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-23 22:40:16 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 604 Message: 608

Thnks Fran, and I assume you had no "issues" with one that long?

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Date: 2010-08-23 23:16:13 UTC
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Topic: 604 Message: 609

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610. Re: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-24 00:26:22 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 604 Message: 610

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-24 13:08:38 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 604 Message: 611

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Sent: Monday, August 23, 2010 8:26 PM
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612. RE: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-24 14:39:06 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 604 Message: 612

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-25 18:59:40 UTC
From: mwt2004uk
Topic: 604 Message: 613

I have a 5M USB Cable attached. No Problems.

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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of Francis Miele
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> Sent: Monday, August 23, 2010 4:37
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> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] How long
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614. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-25 19:46:42 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 604 Message: 614

THANK YOU! Aprreciate the reply and info.

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mwt2004uk
Sent: Wednesday, August 25, 2010 3:00 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?

I have a 5M USB Cable attached. No Problems.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , Brian Frobisher <froby@...> wrote:
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> That one I don't know...
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> -----Original Message-----
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> From: Donald James
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> Sent: Aug 24, 2010 6:08 AM
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> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
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> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] How long of a USB cable will work with the DVAP?
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615. Login fail

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-25 20:16:56 UTC
From: Robert L Spindle
Topic: 615 Message: 615

Anyone know why ref001 and 0030 are restricting access when using DV Dongle and DVAP?

73 Bob / W4YP

616. Re: Login fail

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-25 21:03:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 615 Message: 616

Hi Bob. Reflectors 001 and 030 are running a newer version of the reflector software. Your dongle/dvap connection cannot originate from the same IP address as a gateway. You tried to connect from the same IP as W3AGB.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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617. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Login fail

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-25 21:36:18 UTC
From: Robert L Spindle
Topic: 615 Message: 617

Robin,

Thanks.73

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Wednesday, August 25, 2010 17:04 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Login fail

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618. Re: Unable to query dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-26 13:27:02 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 601 Message: 618

Yup, happens to me all the time with my Ubuntu 10.04 workstation and the DVAP Tool 1.02. I've even gone as far as updating the DVAP firmware to 1.05, but it still fails to open the device the first time you click open. I've just grown accustomed to watching it fail and then clicking open again.

Maybe one of these days, I'll try running strace on the process.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "xscope2000" <yahoo@...> wrote:
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> Hi,
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> I'm running DVAPtool 1.02 on my Ubuntu netbook and I've noticed, fairly consistently that when I click on "open" to connect to the DVAP, I get the message "Unable to query dongle device". If I then click "open" again, it seems to then connect fine.
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> Does this happen to anyone else?
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> Thanks,
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> Chris Howard - 2E0CTH
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619. Re: Unable to query dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-27 17:33:08 UTC
From: Mike Heitmann
Topic: 601 Message: 619

It happens to me as well under Fedora 13, usually after I've connected or disconnected another USB <--> serial device.

Mike, N0SO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kb1obg" <kb1obg@...> wrote:
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620. Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-28 00:17:32 UTC
From: kb2thd@bellsouth.net
Topic: 559 Message: 620

Well I just purchased a new ACER Netbook and MY DVAP does not work with it either. Does anyone know how to make the DVAP work on an ACER netbook (ATOM CPU)?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kh6mei" <wgreenleaf@...> wrote:
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> I have two of these little guys, great little pc's. my dvap works fine on mine with one exception is occasionally I have to unplug the dvap and plug back in for it to recognize it. I've also had the same issue with my accer net books and different usb devices. seems to be something in the acer's as I've noted my asus netbook doesn't have this problem, so far.
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> Aloha
> Wayne
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kb2thd@" <kb2thd@> wrote:
> >
> > I have an ACER Aspire R1600 Mini Desktop.
> > Althogh my DVAP works on all of my computers,2 Desktops and 2 Notebooks, I can not get it to work on the R1600. The R1600 has an ATOM CPU so that is the reason for my question. Maybe I have to get some special drivers.
> > Thanks for reading
> > 73, Jim/KB2THD
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621. Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-28 02:28:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 559 Message: 621

I use mine on an Acer netbook all the time. Did you try unplugging the DVAP and plugging it back in? Make sure it is plugged in before you start DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kb2thd@..." <kb2thd@...> wrote:
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622. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-28 12:26:02 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 559 Message: 622

Same here - I've been using my DVAP on an ACER ONE netbook (Windows XP Home) for months. It installed easily following the instructions. There are no special tricks.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

At 10:28 PM 8/27/2010, aa4rc wrote:
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623. Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-28 14:38:27 UTC
From: kb2thd@bellsouth.net
Topic: 559 Message: 623

Thanks for all of the replies.
Downloading and installing the device drivers solved the problem.

72, Jim/KB2THD

624. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-28 21:54:32 UTC
From: Storer, Darren
Topic: 559 Message: 624

Hi,

Just a quick note to echo Gary's comments: DELL Mini 9 Intel Atom Netbook, running under Windows XP; the DV-AP worked first time out of the box...

73 de Darren
G7LWT

On 28 August 2010 13:26, Gary Pearce KN4AQ <kn4aq@arrl.net> wrote:

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625. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 01:12:54 UTC
From: wx4jim
Topic: 559 Message: 625

I have an E-Machine netbook with Windows Starter software and I can't get the DVAP software to load. Has anyone tried this operating system with DVAP?
73WX4JIM Jim

--- On Sat, 8/28/10, Storer, Darren <darren.storer@...> wrote:

From: Storer, Darren <darren.storer@...>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Saturday, August 28, 2010, 5:54 PM

Hi,
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73 de DarrenG7LWT

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626. Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 12:44:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 559 Message: 626

Hi Jim. When you say "to load", what do you mean? What problem are you having?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, wx4jim <wx4jim@...> wrote:
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627. dstarusers.org

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 18:43:12 UTC
From: Francis
Topic: 627 Message: 627

are stations transmitting through the dvap suppose to show up on dstarusers.org. I don't see them

Fran, W1FJM

628. DVAP not working since hooking up GPS mic

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 18:44:37 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 628 Message: 628

Yesterday I got a GPS mic for my 92AD and went through the process of setting it up and being able to transmit my position and see it on jfindu. Now that I have disconnected the GPS mic from and radio and gone back into VFO mode to connect to my DVAP, it's not working properly.

What happens is, I connect to a local repeater here with a gateway and my DVAP says remote system linked, but it won't show me on dstarusers.org on the repeater status page or on the last station heard listing. All this used to work before setting up the GPS mic.

The DVAP tool shows me connected to the repeater, but I'm not apparently getting out through the gateway. Also, it seems to time out and disconnect me within seconds. Again, I never had any issues with the DVAP until configuring and using the GPS mic. Has anyone seen this before?

629. Re: [DVAPDongle] on Netbook Windows 7 Starter

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 20:53:35 UTC
From: wx4jim
Topic: 559 Message: 629

OK, I got DVAPTools 1.02 loaded into the emachines netbook running Windows 7 starter.The problem I ran into that the Internet Explorer would come with a message that would say "Internet Expolre has stopped working" I was able to load DVAPTool 1.02 by saving the program onto a usb drive from my desktop running windows xp. Not sure why but it works great now on the netbook.
73JIm

--- On Sun, 8/29/10, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and the ATOM CPU
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, August 29, 2010, 8:44 AM

Hi Jim. When you say "to load", what do you mean? What problem are you having?

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> I use mine on an Acer netbook all the time.

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> 73,

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> Robin

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> AA4RC

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> <kb2thd@> wrote:

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> > Well I just purchased a new ACER Netbook and MY DVAP does not work

> with it either. Does anyone know how to make the DVAP work on an ACER

> netbook (ATOM CPU)?

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630. DVAP issues on the network today?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 21:21:32 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 630 Message: 630

As of today when using the DVAP, I am no longer showing up when I connect on the last heard page on dstarusers.org or the repeater directory page for the repeater I link to. Also, my connections keep timing out relatively quickly, sometimes within seconds.

631. RE: [DVAPDongle] dstarusers.org

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 21:28:50 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 627 Message: 631

I use a DVAP and a Hot-spot and I always show up through whichever one I choose.

Donald~N2VU

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis
Sent: Sunday, August 29, 2010 2:43 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dstarusers.org

are stations transmitting through the dvap suppose to show up on dstarusers.org. I don't see them

Fran, W1FJM

632. Re: DVAP issues on the network today?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 21:29:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 630 Message: 632

Two different users put garbage characters in their my callsign field (one used a single quote character and the other used a backslash character). This was causing problems for the reporting program. I've updated the system so things should be back to normal now.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kb1obg" <kb1obg@...> wrote:
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633. Re: DVAP issues on the network today?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 21:33:52 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 630 Message: 633

Thanks for the quick reply Robin. I'm still not seeing myself, but I'll give it a while to see if things clear up.

Kevin, KB1OBG

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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634. Re: DVAP not working since hooking up GPS mic

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-29 21:35:25 UTC
From: kb1obg
Topic: 628 Message: 634

I think my problem is related to the other post I have that Robin replied to. No need to follow up on this one, thanks!

Kevin, KB1OBG

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kb1obg" <kb1obg@...> wrote:
>
> Yesterday I got a GPS mic for my 92AD and went through the process of setting it up and being able to transmit my position and see it on jfindu. Now that I have disconnected the GPS mic from and radio and gone back into VFO mode to connect to my DVAP, it's not working properly.
>
> What happens is, I connect to a local repeater here with a gateway and my DVAP says remote system linked, but it won't show me on dstarusers.org on the repeater status page or on the last station heard listing. All this used to work before setting up the GPS mic.
>
> The DVAP tool shows me connected to the repeater, but I'm not apparently getting out through the gateway. Also, it seems to time out and disconnect me within seconds. Again, I never had any issues with the DVAP until configuring and using the GPS mic. Has anyone seen this before?
>

635. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP issues on the network today?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-30 00:59:04 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 630 Message: 635

it's working for me now. Thanks Robin

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Fran, W1FJM

On Sun, Aug 29, 2010 at 5:33 PM, kb1obg <kb1obg@...> wrote:

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> Thanks for the quick reply Robin. I'm still not seeing myself, but I'll
> give it a while to see if things clear up.
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> Kevin, KB1OBG
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636. Good D-Star/DVAP websites

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-08-31 16:04:22 UTC
From: kg8nn
Topic: 636 Message: 636

I am looking for good D-Star Websites that help D-Star/DVAP users observe whats happening.
I am aware of the following sites:

Wealth of info, repeater directories, last heard etc.
http://www.dstarusers.org/

D-Star Net Listing
http://www.dstarinfo.com/Nets/Nets.aspx

D-Star Reflector List
http://www.dstarinfo.com/Reflectors/Reflectors.aspx

See what repeaters,DVDongles/DVAPs are on any of the 34 reflectors
http://ref017.dstargateway.org/

Reflector List
http://www.dstarinfo.com/Reflectors/Reflectors.aspx

Live Feed currently on Reflector 1C
http://www.radioreference.com/apps/audio/?feedId=1647

FTDI drivers
http://www.ftdichip.com/

Our Source for DVAP
http://dvapdongle.com

Are there any other real-time sites that monitor the D-Star reflectors/network?

Thanks, 73
KG8NN Steve

637. getting read-only response on certain reflectors and all rptrs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-02 00:38:26 UTC
From: Scott
Topic: 637 Message: 637

I'm still new at this so pardon me if this is a dumb question. I don't understand it all yet.

I'm able to fully connect to certain reflectors (020, 034, 020, 002) but not to 001 (where I'm connected receive only).

With repeaters, the problem is simple - I can only connect R/O.

Has anyone else encountered this problem? Could this be an authentication issue? NOTE: It's been this way for at least a month.

638. Re: getting read-only response on certain reflectors and all rptrs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-02 01:21:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 637 Message: 638

Hi Scott.

You logged into ref001 using "AC5LT A". You have a "space" terminal registered but no "A" terminal. If you go to your registration page and add the "A" initial entry to the terminal list, you will be able to log in with transmit. Alternatively, you could use "AC5LT " to log into ref001.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Scott" <ac5lt@...> wrote:
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639. Re: getting read-only response on certain reflectors and all rptrs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-02 09:47:41 UTC
From: Scott
Topic: 637 Message: 639

Thanks, Robin

That was it. It worked without the A, but I'll add an "A" terminal to my registration anyway.

73, AC5LT

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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640. Re: getting read-only response on certain reflectors and all rptrs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-02 12:37:52 UTC
From: n9zmo
Topic: 637 Message: 640

I am also new having just gotten the DVAP this week as a gift from the XYL. I beleive i have set myself up properly according to what has been written in this thread.

I connect to REF001C and get R/O. I believe i've properly setup the terminal info.

Suggestions to look into?

73,
Kurt / N9ZMO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Scott" <ac5lt@...> wrote:
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641. Re: getting read-only response on certain reflectors and all rptrs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-02 12:47:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 637 Message: 641

Hi Kurt. You registered N9ZMO with a terminal "D". The "D" needs to be in the 8th character of the mycall field. You are currently placing the "D" in the 7th character. Also, it is good to register a "space" terminal as well. You can follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for adding the "space" entry.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "n9zmo" <kurt@...> wrote:
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> I am also new having just gotten the DVAP this week as a gift from the XYL. I beleive i have set myself up properly according to what has been written in this thread.
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> I connect to REF001C and get R/O. I believe i've properly setup the terminal info.
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> Suggestions to look into?
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> Kurt / N9ZMO
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642. Re: getting read-only response on certain reflectors and all rptrs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-02 13:02:16 UTC
From: n9zmo
Topic: 637 Message: 642

Thanks Robin, that was the culprit and i've also registered space. Funny how one can miss the simple stuff like counting spaces at 2am :)

73,
Kurt / N9ZMO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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643. Errors showing up on the TX message field

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-03 15:18:21 UTC
From: ka2ugz
Topic: 643 Message: 643

I am noticing a pattern which might hint at the actual problem. Sometimes my DVAP will stay connected for hours or days with no problems or issues. Other times the laptop will crash, display a full text screen of dump information then clear the screen before it can be read. All crashes happen when interacting with the IC91AD or the mouse on the laptop.

Often I will have open the dashboard for the repeater I have connected thru. It is on these occasions I have noticed that my TX message, the one that I have stored in the IC91AD, is improperly displayed on the dashboard. Whenever I have noticed this error it is not long before the DVAP application unlinks by itself or the laptop crashes. A few of the crashes have coincided when I clicked the "refresh" icon on IE to see if a repaint of the dashboard would correct the TX message.

The normal TX message is: JAY - LONG ISLAND NY

What I frequently see is: JAY - LoLG ISLAND NY

A change in both case and characters; nothing is changed in the IC91AD TX message.

I made a new TX message in a new location in the IC91AD (keeping the old one) and it now reads: Jay - Long Island NY

I am seeing the same errors in the same positions! Jay - LoLg Island NY

Another observation that is (so far) less coordinated with crashes is the recognition of the DVAP on the first insertion to the laptop USB port. On occasions that the DVAP is inserted and blinks green that I start DVTOOL but don't receive the "you are using the most recent version..." dialog box, connections can not be established. When this happens, I stop DVTOOL, remove/replace the USB cable and try again. Upon successful connection the second try I "feel" that I will experience a crash or reboot.

If the first attempt is successful I "feel" this is when the stability will last more than a day.

Like I said, the correlation is not as strong as when I see data errors in the TX message.

I am trying to determine if something on my network is preventing the DVTOOL from checking the revision.

de KA2UGZ - Jay

644. Errors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-04 11:55:59 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 644 Message: 644

Just a thought that crossed my mind as I was reading your post. Don't rule out a USB issue. If you are using a USB hub, try not using it.

73
Louis
KG4QPQ

645. Re:Errors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-05 13:27:19 UTC
From: JAY WHITE
Topic: 644 Message: 645

That is a good idea; I am not using a USB hub but I can't rule out USB errors just yet. I will try the DVAP on another laptop and see if the results are the same.

Yesterday I did see the same anomaly on the W1NLK dashboard on another users TX message that was displayed on the dashboard. I was too late to contact them to determine what they were running.

Another observation that maybe related to errors: I was half-listening to some lively conversations (while watching TV) and at one point the DVAP screen was showing the same call sign when both guys talked. There was no R2D2 in the audio and only after a third guy joined in did the call signs show up correctly. I have no way of knowing if this is a local problem to my set up or maybe a bug in the DVAP.

All in all it works well for what is still some pretty young software.

I have been running the system more often this week in preparation for a "9/11 Always Remember" Special Event station next weekend. Our club will be operating as N1Y on HF/VHF/UHF and DSTAR on REF010 C.

73 de KA2UGZ - Jay

646. Re:Errors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-05 13:52:21 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 644 Message: 646

Hi Jay. When a user keys up, the first thing that is sent is their stream header which includes their callsign info. If that header is somehow corrupted, the controller will substitute the last known good header. That will sometimes cause the header not to match the person talking. We see that here fairly frequently.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "JAY WHITE" <whitejayp@...> wrote:
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> 73 de KA2UGZ - Jay

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647. c'mon mr postman

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-11 05:44:52 UTC
From: jamie_a_lewis
Topic: 647 Message: 647

Hi there
Just sitting here imapatiently waiting for the postie to deliver my dvap. I am going to be using it with my ic-e91 which is loaded with the icf file from here http://www.gb3ok.com/gb7ok_downloads.html .
Is there anyone in the U.K. using this file on a 91 who can offer advice on setting it up to use the dvap, I, have read the getting started guide on the website and it looks pretty simple. But as it is not a ic-e92 which most people use, I, cant find much help out there and programming that radio without the lead and software is more complicated than a woman.
hope someone can help

Jamie
MW3ZKP

648. possible to auto connect reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-12 20:06:12 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 648 Message: 648

Hi all,

is there a possiblility to auto connect to a reflector
at startup of the dvap?

greetz

Robert (PD0PVL)

649. Re: [DVAPDongle] possible to auto connect reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-13 11:33:20 UTC
From: Storer, Darren
Topic: 648 Message: 649

Hi Robert,

I would also like to request this feature be considered for future software releases. Something like a command line parameter could allow a DV-AP system to be configured to auto connect in the event of power loss and restoration.

73 de Darren
G7LWT

On 12 September 2010 21:06, Robert <pd0pvl@...> wrote:

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> Hi all,
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> is there a possiblility to auto connect to a reflector
> at startup of the dvap?
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> greetz
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> Robert (PD0PVL)
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650. Re: possible to auto connect reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-13 15:21:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 648 Message: 650

Hi Robert. I'll take a look. It seems that I did not add it for a reason. You probably already know that there are some command line flags now. They are:

-open (automatically open the device)
-device XXX (use device XXX)
-nolock (uncheck the lock callsign checkbox)
-frequency MMMKKKHHH (set the frequency)

Using a batch/shell script, you can have the DVAP ready to accept commands from your HT.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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651. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: possible to auto connect reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-13 16:32:39 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 648 Message: 651

Robin, I think the one addition I would like to see especially since I'm on reflector 1C most of the time is that when the link drops that it automatically relinks on the last reflector it has in memory.? That would be the greatest to me.? Mark KB3Z

Sep 13, 2010 11:25:15 AM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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652. auto connect at statup to reflector in a batch-file

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-13 21:36:46 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 652 Message: 652

Hi Robin,

auto startup works in a batch-file, that helps a bit , but somehow it has to be possible to connect to a reflector don't you think?
whitout sending the string whith the ic-92d

Thanks in the beginning (:-)

73 ve

Robert PD0PVL

653. how to know what firmware i have

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-14 06:39:48 UTC
From: jamie_a_lewis
Topic: 653 Message: 653

on the dvap downloads page there are various firmware downloads, how can i find out what version my dvap is running and is it worth doing the update

cheers
jamie

654. Re: [DVAPDongle] how to know what firmware i have

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-14 11:43:39 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 653 Message: 654

G'day Jamie,

When you fire up the DVAPTool application, click the OPEN button and then look at the DOS/Command type window and you'll see, amongst other stuff, the Device App Firmware Version, which on mine is currently v1.05 which a most of us have found to work the best. I'm not sure what version the DVAP's are now shipping with, but this is easily checked as per above.

It is certainly worth doing the update. Others may correct me if I'm wrong. But I've found v1.05 to work really well, with no dropouts or issues.

Enjoy!!

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Australia

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From: jamie_a_lewis
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, September 14, 2010 4:39 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] how to know what firmware i have

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jamie

655. Re: how to know what firmware i have

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-14 13:28:25 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 653 Message: 655

You can also click Help->About from the toolbar in the main window for version information (after clicking Open).

You should be running version 1.05 of the firmware.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...> wrote:
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656. Re: how to know what firmware i have

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-14 14:40:27 UTC
From: jamie_a_lewis
Topic: 653 Message: 656

Many thanks for the replies, I have now updated the firmware to the latest version. Loving the dvap its nice to be able to use d-star in my local area, when all the other hams are still bemoaning the loss of marconi's spark gap transmitter as a means of communication and are still hoping this new fangled fm repeater thingy doesnt take off :D

now off to find a laptop with a serial port and a lan adaptor in my junkroom so i can try this d-rats software a chap i was in qso with earlier mentioned

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657. Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 03:19:35 UTC
From: Rob
Topic: 657 Message: 657

What is the current version number for Mac software?

Thanks

658. Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 11:43:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 657 Message: 658

Hi Rob. Your subject says "Firmware" and your message says "software". These are two different things.

The current DVAP firmware version is 1.05.

The current DVAPTool software version for all platforms including the Mac is 1.02.

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659. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 21:01:54 UTC
From: Rob Giebel
Topic: 657 Message: 659

Robin,
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So, therefore, it must be current, eh?

Thanks
Rob

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Date: 2010-09-15 21:09:45 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 657 Message: 660

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661. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 21:26:37 UTC
From: Rob Giebel
Topic: 657 Message: 661

Can you tell me where to find the latest version? Thanks.

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662. Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 21:29:40 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 657 Message: 662

Hi Rob. Go to http://www.dvapdongle.com for both software and firmware.

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663. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 22:01:54 UTC
From: Rob Giebel
Topic: 657 Message: 663

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664. Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 22:55:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 657 Message: 664

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665. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Current Mac Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-15 23:27:12 UTC
From: Rob Giebel
Topic: 657 Message: 665

Thanks. Keep up the good work.
Rob

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666. Realistic Linux/Hardware requirements for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-16 21:10:19 UTC
From: ian_73wine
Topic: 666 Message: 666

Hello All-

Basic background:

I have a HP Pavilion, 1.3GHZ Celeron, 225MB Ram.

I would like to blow this laptop up and install/run linux, install DVAP at some point. This laptop only other function will be to do heavy internet surfing and emailing resumes in MS Word.

Question:

Is this dream scenario possible?

If "yes", then:

Which Distribution of Linux?
How will I get MS word on there?
Will I be able to install hp printer, and view pics with my digital camera?
Which frequency is commonly used with DVAP?

Thanks for all your help!!

-Ian

667. Realistic

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-16 23:20:32 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 667 Message: 667

Well, it is certainly possible.

Sounds like this laptop may be a bit long in the tooth, but it will likely run some flavor of Linux. Just about all, if not all Linux distributions these days have what is called a live CD. You can boot from this CD and take a test drive to see what works best for you and on your hardware before you actually blow up your laptop. If you do a search on Linux distributions, you will find hundreds of places you can download the live CD ISO or the full release. Most distros are based on Red Hat or Fedora. Fedora is free as are most of the others. You might look at Ubuntu, it's very popular with beginners.

The fact that you ask what frequency the DVAP uses causes me to tell you that you will need a D-STAR HT. It runs anywhere in the 2 meter band.

Always like to someone wanting to get started with Linux. If you are serious about those MS Word resumes, you will need Open Office (free). The OO suite also saves as a PDF which is the way to go for your resume these days.

Good luck. Don't give up. I have Linux running on an old iBook with the Power PC chip.

73
Louis
KG4QPQ

668. Re: Realistic Linux/Hardware requirements for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-18 03:40:43 UTC
From: steve.w9mcu
Topic: 666 Message: 668

Ian,

I run Ubuntu 10.04. You can create a CD and run Ubuntu from the CD to try it without installing it to your hard disk first. It will leave your hard drive and any Windows install untouched. http://www.ubuntu.com/desktop/get-ubuntu/download

Ubuntu will run with the 225MB RAM but 512MB would work better. Find the model number of your Pavilion and you should be able find out if you can add RAM and how much.

OpenOffice may come with Ubuntu or you can download it, but either way it is free and compatible with MS Word documents. With OpenOffice (not MS Word) you can export your resume as a PDF file. A much better (read only) way of sending your resume. Your HP printer should work fine but you didn't mention what model or how you plan to attach it.

I'm not familiar with a common DVAP 2 meter frequency. I would suggest you refer to the band plan for the simplex range and channel spacing. I use 147.585 Mhz, it is in the simplex range and not commonly used in my area.

You can down load the linux software for the DVAP at:
http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-linux.tgz

Good luck,
Steve

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> Thanks for all your help!!
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> -Ian
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669. Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-24 22:53:02 UTC
From: peter@petertasker.co.uk
Topic: 432 Message: 669

Hi,

Anyone know why when I connect to ref001C I get the announcement "remote system linked, receive only"

Thanks

Peter

G6VBJ

670. Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-25 00:48:58 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 432 Message: 670

Hi Peter. It is because you are using "G6VBJ A" and you have not registered an "A" terminal in the Icom G2 gateway software. Either register the "A" or remove it from your station callsign.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <peter@...> wrote:
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> Hi,
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> Peter
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671. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-25 13:27:44 UTC
From: peter@petertasker.co.uk
Topic: 432 Message: 671

Thanks Robin, that worked a treat.

Best regards

Peter

G6VBJ

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: 25 September 2010 01:49
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

Hi Peter. It is because you are using "G6VBJ A" and you have not registered an "A" terminal in the Icom G2 gateway software. Either register the "A" or remove it from your station callsign.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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672. Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-26 10:06:31 UTC
From: g0jnt
Topic: 672 Message: 672

I am having difficulty setting up my 92D.
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Being new to d-star, the radio and the DVAP, i am at a loss with settings.
Sorry for being dumb.

Regards

Les.

673. Re: Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-26 13:16:43 UTC
From: kevindanks
Topic: 672 Message: 673

Hi Les

I have the same setup as you. I used this guide, which covers the basics much better than the IC-E92 manual:

http://www.ladstar.org/dvap.htm

Once I'd saved the UR and RPT settings I needed, I then set up a memory channel for each combination - one for CQCQCQ via the DVAP, one for linking to REF005A, the next for unlinking from REF005A, and so on. That will probably make more sense when you've looked at the guide on ladstar.org.

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674. Re: Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-26 14:22:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 672 Message: 674

Hi Les. Did you take a look at the installation instructions at dvapdongle.com? There are screenshots of programming examples there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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675. DVAP keepalive problem with repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-27 09:45:41 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 675 Message: 675

I know a Ham with a DVAP who can connect to REF001 and REF014 for many hours, but when he connects to repeaters (examples: K0HAM B, W0CW B, K6MDD C), initially he can listen and talk ok, but after about a minute he gets the message "missed keepalive from gateway, count 1" and it keeps showing this message as it increments the count. When it gets to 16, he is disconnected from the repeater.

He has tested this using a wired internet connection (not wifi) from two different locations that use two different ISPs.

I've been told typically the keepalive message is caused by internet connection problems. The testing he's done suggest that's not the case here, but of course it's possible both locations and ISPs suffer from poor or unreliable throughput, or testing was done at both locations when other devices in the house were soaking up the bandwidth.

I find it interesting the reflectors are not giving him this message, but repeaters are. Anyone have any ideas?

Jim - K6JM

676. Re: DVAP keepalive problem with repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-27 11:42:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 675 Message: 676

Hi Jim. Have the ham you know send me an email so I can walk him through downloading and running wireshark. This will allow monitoring of packets to help determine his problem.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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677. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-27 19:33:59 UTC
From: Les G0JNT
Topic: 672 Message: 677

Hi Kevin,

All sorted now.....had a few " stellas " and all became clear " hi ".
Many tnx.

73,s
Les
G0JNT.

----- Original Message -----
From: kevindanks
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, September 26, 2010 2:16 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Help setting up IC-E92D

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678. IC-91AD Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-29 14:38:28 UTC
From: stewwm25
Topic: 678 Message: 678

All;

What is exact steps to setup this radio to use the DV Dongle? Where do I put ths info into the radio.
Thanks;
Stew
AE5AI

679. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-29 20:16:53 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 678 Message: 679

You don't really use a D-Star radio with the DV Dongle. The Dongle and it's software DVTool allow you to connect your computer via the internet to DPlus-enabled repeaters and reflectors, and using the PC's mike and speakers, you can listen and talk on those repeaters/reflectors without the need of a D-Star radio.

With your 91-AD, if you are close enough to a repeater, you can talk directly to it over RF. In this case you don't need the Dongle.

Some people purchase the DVAP (Digital Voice Access Point), which is a 10mw transceiver connected to the PC, plus a program called DVAPTool that connects via the internet to repeaters or reflectors, and they operate with a D-Star radio like the 91-AD. You could have your 91-AD tell the DVAPTool to link to some repeater, then talk to it via your 91AD In that case, you would need some configuration and memories set up in the 91AD.

But your note says you have a Dongle, not a DVAP. So, as I said, your 91-AD and Dongle have no need of each other.

It's easier to configure the 91-AD using a PC program and an appropriate cable. I have both the RS-91 program from ICOM, and the program of RT Systems. The ICOM program is connected to your Data port and allows both updating of memories and configuation settings, but also lets you operate the radio from the PC, including sending data over the slow speed data channel. The RT Systems program uses cloning mode, with their cable plugged into the radio's earphone jack. I understand there are some other programs now, one of them being CHIRP, but I have no experience with those.

Jim - K6JM

----- Original Message -----
From: stewwm25
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, September 29, 2010 7:38 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup
All;

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Thanks;
Stew
AE5AI

680. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-29 20:42:30 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 678 Message: 680

the instructions are on the dvapdongle.com website

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Wed, Sep 29, 2010 at 10:38 AM, stewwm25 <stew535@...> wrote:

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681. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-30 04:28:30 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 678 Message: 681

Again, Stew AE5AI asked about the DV Dongle, not the DVAP. Could be he mis-typed, though.

Jim - K6JM

----- Original Message -----
From: Francis Miele
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, September 29, 2010 1:42 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup
the instructions are on the dvapdongle.com website

--Fran, W1FJM

682. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-01 00:50:28 UTC
From: stew535@aol.com
Topic: 678 Message: 682

I did mean to say the DVAP Dongle for setting up the IC-91AD menus.
Thank
Stew
AE5AI

In a message dated 9/30/2010 6:02:51 A.M. Central Daylight Time,
jmm@... writes:

Again, Stew AE5AI asked about the DV Dongle, not the DVAP. Could be he
mis-typed, though.

Jim - K6JM

----- Original Message -----
From: _Francis Miele_ (mailto:fran@miele-family.com)
To: _DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com_ (mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com)
Sent: Wednesday, September 29, 2010 1:42 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

the instructions are on the _dvapdongle.com_ (http://dvapdongle.com/)
website

--Fran, W1FJM

683. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-01 02:30:49 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 678 Message: 683

OK, good. As Francis W1FJM pointed out, you can get the key info at
http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

A few months ago I helped a friend program up a 91AD for use with his new DVAP. Here is what I suggested to him. When you want to link, change to the memory that has the link to the desired repeater or reflector, then press PTT briefly. After it links, change the memory back to the one with Your Callsign = CQCQCQ. Othewise everytime you transmit, you'll be asking it to re-link.

Jim - K6JM

Suggest you add something like the following memories to your 91AD. All of them will have the following set the same:
a.. Receive Frequency = the chosen 2 meter frequency for the DVAP
b.. Transmit Frequency = the same
c.. No offset
d.. Offset Direction = Simplex
e.. Operating Mode = DV
f.. RPT1 and RPT2 don't need to be filled in when you are using Simplex mode
g.. Name of memory position can be anything -- the following are just suggestions.
1. Name = DVAP
a.. Your Callsign = CQCQCQ
2. Name = Info
a.. Your Callsign = DVAP□□□I (□ means a space, so the command goes into position 8)
3. Name = Echo
a.. Your Callsign = DVAP□□□E
4. Name = Unlink
a.. Your Callsign = □□□□□□□U (that's 7 spaces, with a "U" in the 8th position)
5. Name = LnkRpt1B (xxxxxx port B) (where xxxxxx is the repeater's callsign)
a.. Your Callsign = xxxxxxBL (port is always position 7, "L" always position 8)
6. Name = LnkRpt2C (xxxxxx port C)
a.. Your Callsign = xxxxxxCL
7. Name = LinkR001C (Reflector 001C)
a.. Your Callsign = REF001CL
8. Name = LinkR014C (Reflector 014C)
a.. Your Callsign = REF014CL
----- Original Message -----
From: stew535@aol.com
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, September 30, 2010 5:50 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-91AD Setup

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684. New HTC EVO 4G Android phone(new application) and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-02 15:24:18 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 675 Message: 684

Robin,
I have the DVAP and like it alot. Have used it on laptop when on travel.

I recently got an Android phone that the dvap can plug into its usb interface
the new HTC EVO 4G phone. I can use this phone to connect my laptop to
Wi-FIhot spots or via my Sprint carrier.

The HTC EVO 4G smart phone is great, most of the time I do not use the laptop
for internet access.

Be great if the was an application for the Android phones, since most now have
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interfaces which the DVAP could plug into.

Since I can use my laptop thru the usb interfaces between HTC EVO 4G
and my laptop, thought it would be a natural to just have a Andriod Smart phone
with the DVAP (no laptop).

It would be a super small package and a super feature for the DVAP!

Mike
WB6DJI

685. Re: New HTC EVO 4G Android phone(new application) and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-02 15:33:37 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 675 Message: 685

Also
website to test applications for new Android phones
http://developer.android.com/guide/developing/device.html
Mike WB6DJI

From: Michael Aust <ava622@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sat, October 2, 2010 8:24:18 AM
Subject: New HTC EVO 4G Android phone(new application) and DVAP

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686. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New HTC EVO 4G Android phone(new application) and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-02 17:22:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 675 Message: 686

Free download for SDK kit
for Android phones

http://developer.android.com/sdk/index.html

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687. Macintosh Support?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-03 12:17:48 UTC
From: spere1ra
Topic: 687 Message: 687

All,
This is only my opinion, but as a Macintosh user, I would certainly like to see all those utilities that are now only available to run on Windows, become available for the Mac before going off to support another platform like Android.
smp
- - -
Stephen Pereira
KB1SXE

688. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-09-26 14:31:56 UTC
From: KRZBRIT
Topic: 672 Message: 688

I also am new to Dstar and had the same issues, the setup on the 92D created a little confusion at first for me. I found it easier to work with the radio setup via the RS-92 SW. I also bought a book called the Nifty E-Z guide to D-Start Operation. (www.niftyaccessories.com). The book has specific instructions for the linking our radio type.

73's

W7BRT

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of g0jnt
Sent: Sunday, September 26, 2010 3:07 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Help setting up IC-E92D

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Les.

689. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-03 20:15:47 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 672 Message: 689

Les,

Welcome to D-Star. Don't let the learning curve frustrate you. It'll all work out, there are many here who will help.

Do you have the SW, and if not, get it. The programming software makes all the difference in that it makes it so, so much easier to set up. Give us more details with regards to what you've done and what isnt working and (trusting that I can speak for several here) "we'll help you out"!

Donald ~ N2VU

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From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of KRZBRIT
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690. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-03 20:39:08 UTC
From: Les G0JNT
Topic: 672 Message: 690

Hi,
Thanks for your reply, i have now managed to sort things out with my 92D, but still on a learning curve with D-STAR.
Best 73 and good luck with your 92D.....maybe we might hook up on this very interesting mode some time !
Les
G0JNT.

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Les.

691. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help setting up IC-E92D

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-03 22:31:09 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 672 Message: 691

On Sun, 2010-10-03 at 16:15 -0400, Donald James wrote:
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> all the difference in that it makes it so, so much easier to set up

It also makes it much easier to understand the routing stuff.

Chris

692. DV Access Point Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-04 00:22:19 UTC
From: Del
Topic: 692 Message: 692

I purchased my DV Access Point at Dayton this year. Its been fun and have had no problems until today.
Then I click to open device the Tool software thinks everything is find, when I look at the window that tells me everything thats going one it just says
Ascp Device Stopped
Over and over again. Even if I have the software shut down the DV Access Point is going Nuts! The green led is almost always on flashing fast, thje red and yellow ones are on a lot but not solid I would say 80 % of the time just flashing and flashing.

Anyone have any ideas? I did try booting the computer (XP Pro 32 Bit) it had no effect.

Thanks for any help you can pass along.

Delbert McCord KA8OCN

693. Re: DV Access Point Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-04 11:41:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 692 Message: 693

Hi Del. It sounds like you have gone into firmware update mode. Try downloading the latest firmware from dvapdongle.com and run the updater to see if that solves your problem.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Del" <dmccord253@...> wrote:
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694. Re: DV Access Point Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-08 03:09:12 UTC
From: Del
Topic: 692 Message: 694

Robin,
Thanks for the idea, I will do that.
Del

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi Del. It sounds like you have gone into firmware update mode. Try downloading the latest firmware from dvapdongle.com and run the updater to see if that solves your problem.
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> > Delbert McCord KA8OCN
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695. Keep Alive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-12 01:35:58 UTC
From: apollomaker
Topic: 695 Message: 695

Hello All ---

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"missed keep alive from gateway, count = 1"

Sometimes this appears more than once, maybe two or three times in sequence. Any clues as to what is causing this? Anything in my setup or is this a network/gateway/reflector issue?

Many Thanks for any help and info --- Bob / K6WL

696. Re: [DVAPDongle] Keep Alive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-12 07:02:51 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 695 Message: 696

When I posted this problem, Robin gave me the following info (quoting him):

The "missed keepalive" messages are normal as long as the count is low, 1 to 3. Larger numbers show that your internet connection is having problems.

Both DVTool and DVAPTool send a keepalive "I'm here" message every second to the connected system. The connected system also sends them back to you. If you miss a large number of these, you are disconnected.

If you are using wifi, you might try a wired connection. Also, some folks have remedied this by power cycling their internet router.

----- Original Message -----
From: apollomaker
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, October 11, 2010 6:35 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Keep Alive Message
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697. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] Keep Alive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-12 12:11:43 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 695 Message: 697

Bob, I can relate to your problem.? I think what needs to be developed is a DVAP that has all the software loaded as firmware? on the DVAP itself, and doing that would mean no need for a computer.? Thus you could connect your dvap directly to your router and thus eliminate or hope to eliminate the loss of the reflector.? Oh and by the way, my reflector losses are 99 % on reflector 1C. Cause that is the only one that has the most worldwide traffic.? Mark KB3Z

Oct 12, 2010 06:33:52 AM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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698. Re: Keep Alive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-12 14:22:53 UTC
From: apollomaker
Topic: 695 Message: 698

Hello All ------

Thanks for the replies. This is as I suspected. It is the result (apparently) of missed polling attempts. I did some more experimenting following my post. There was a bad run of it, then it went away totally so for the time being, I am just going to write it off as a connection issue on the Internet. I am NOT using WIFI on my DVAP setup --- hard wire all the way. Yes, WIFI could cause more delay problems, especially shared WIFI. I am on fast cable, which is very reliable and high speed 99% of the time. I have also run high-speed games (interactive) with heavy data exchange on top of the DVAP with no problems or missed polling as well.

Thanks again for the comments --- Regards, Bob, K6WL

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699. Re: [DVAPDongle] Keep Alive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-12 15:26:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 695 Message: 699

I don't think it is the computer. It is most likely the internet connection between your computer and the reflector. I go for days connected to REF001 module C with no dropouts.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

700. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] Keep Alive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-12 16:21:03 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 695 Message: 700

I should rephrase my comment.? No, I know it's not the computer but most people using a laptop with a dvap probably use WIFI.? So that makes it more likely to have a problem with the DVAP connected to a laptop then to a router.? Mark KB3Z

Oct 12, 2010 11:27:30 AM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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701. Mobile broadband 3G DV AP operation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-19 00:09:07 UTC
From: skycom291980
Topic: 701 Message: 701

Group i was just wondering how well or if using my mobile broadband 3G in my car would work good with this DV AP. I will be using it mostly on my home network but when i go mobile it would be nice if i was able to use it while going down the road so i could get into the links using my mobile radio. Any insight on this product would be appreciated. i have a more than enough of a fast computer using dualcore and 2 gig of ram. My processor speed is 2.4ghz dualcore.

Thanks

Dean Meredith

702. Mobile broadband 3G DV AP operation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-19 02:37:26 UTC
From: N2OJD
Topic: 702 Message: 702

It has been done with success quite a bit.
Give it a try.
YMMV ;)

Mark
N2OJD

703. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile broadband 3G DV AP operation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-19 06:13:41 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 701 Message: 703

G'day Dean,

It should work fine as long as you keep a lid on RF levels. Keep the RF levels of your rig low and keep the DVAP and your laptop away from the vehicle Engine Control Unit and Body Control Module if fitted. The only thing that will kill your DVAP is stray RF from these things, otherwise you should be ok.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Australia
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA

----- Original Message -----
From: skycom291980
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, October 19, 2010 11:09 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Mobile broadband 3G DV AP operation

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704. Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-19 22:54:33 UTC
From: skycom291980
Topic: 704 Message: 704

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Thanks

Dean Meredith

705. Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-20 03:10:18 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 704 Message: 705

Hi Dean. Check out http://www.dstargateway.org

73,
Robin
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706. Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-20 22:00:51 UTC
From: skycom291980
Topic: 704 Message: 706

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707. Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 00:51:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 704 Message: 707

RTFM. http://www.dvapdongle.com

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Robin
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708. DVAP with Mac osx 10.6

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 03:03:50 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 708 Message: 708

One of my computers is a Mac OSX 10.6 Snow Leopard.

I am having difficulties down loading DVAP Tool.

Any suggestions would be appreciated.

73,
Robert/ki6ft

709. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile broadband 3G DV AP operation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 03:21:37 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 701 Message: 709

I use my DVAP on an Acer Netbook with a Verizon air card MiFi device. I have the DVAP connected to an external antenna on the roof of the car.

It works well when I'm using my HT in and around the car. If I use my 2820 mobile on 5 watts (antenna on the other side of the roof) I get reports that I'm breaking up or disappearing sometimes. That seems to be because I'm overloading the DVAP (the manual warns about that). Using the HT inside the car works better.

When in motion, the signal you get to and from the cell network will obviously affect your operation. If the cell signal drops, the DVAP will disconnect within about 20 seconds (watch the "keepalive" count in the "DOS" window). If the cell signal comes and goes, the DVAP will try to maintain the connection, but your signal will break up on the network.

I see data rates of about 29 kbps when actively transmitting or receiving on the DVAP. That's fairly low, so the air card can usually handle it even with a weak cell signal.

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Gary KN4AQ

At 08:09 PM 10/18/2010, skycom291980 wrote:
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710. Re: DVAP with Mac osx 10.6

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 03:28:57 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 708 Message: 710

Hi Robert. What difficulties are you having?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Robert" <r.lyman@...> wrote:
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711. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 12:44:45 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 704 Message: 711

Dean,

As I understand the current protocol (or suggested way of doing things), you may want to also register your call followed by three spaces and an "A" (without the quotes). If you are using D-Star through a local repeater to a Reflector, you use your callsign without any supplemental letter. When you are on your DVAP, you then use your callsign with the supplemental "A". I don't know the rationale for this, but that's what was suggested to me when I bought my DVAP and I've seen a lot of other people doing it when on their DVAP.

73 de Tim, AF1G

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712. Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 12:58:30 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 704 Message: 712

Dean, it looks to me like you're all set. You have a KF9L terminal set up, as well as a KF9L...A so you should be good to go. The only decision remaining is whether you set up the "A" call in your DVAP or stay with the KF9L in both the DVAP and radio.

I tried it both ways back when I obtained my DVAP, and for some reason (perhaps the DV message text in the radio wasn't getting through to the remote gateway, don't really remember), I settled on setting the DVAP up with the "A" callsign. The thing to remember is that if you configure a callsign in the DVAP that isn't registered on your home gateway, every connection you make will be read-only.

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

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713. Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 14:21:55 UTC
From: mikemassell
Topic: 704 Message: 713

Dean:

I only have my call sign registered with the D-Star network. Unfortunately, I live about a 100 miles or more to the closest D-Star repeater so I am using the DVAP such as you will be doing. I contacted Milt Forsberg K9QZI. He set up the D-Star repeater W9YR for the Champaign/Urbana IL area. He was very helpful getting me going. I asked him about registering with the additional letters after the call sign and he said that nobody was doing that anymore. Although I see that online in the latest heard it really makes it a lot easier on programming your radio and getting linked to a reflector or a repeater. I have to watch my terminology as I am still learning about linking and connecting and such. I also see where W9UVI the Peoria Amateur Radio Club is having an open house on with seminars on D-Star, D-Star for Dummies. It was set for Friday November 12th but I see that they have changed it on their website to December now. I am planning on trying to attend that to see what I can learn. There are is also quite a bit regarding programming the radio on You Tube: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7-_MK_TKMfg

I hope that this helps. Feel free to contact me if I can be of any assistance.

Mike KD0LMB

714. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 14:38:22 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 704 Message: 714

The "A" must be in the 8th position. Not necessarily 3 spaces. The rational is to let people know that you are on a device that doesn't allow callsign routing. Therefore, people could not find you, via callsign routing, if you are on a DVAP or DVDongle. I recommend using a "D" in the 8th position of the callsign for the DVDongle.

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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715. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 15:19:00 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 704 Message: 715

Thanks for the clarification. You are correct -- the suffix letter goes in the eighth position. I gave him the specifics of three spaces as his callsign is only four characters.

Warmest regards,

Tim, AF1G

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716. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 16:21:30 UTC
From: w1agw@cox.net
Topic: 704 Message: 716

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Date: Thu, 21 Oct 2010 10:38:22
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 17:23:41 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 704 Message: 717

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 17:25:04 UTC
From: mwbesemer@cox.net
Topic: 704 Message: 718
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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719. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 17:35:58 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 704 Message: 719

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720. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New HTC EVO 4G Android phone(new application) and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 18:13:56 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 675 Message: 720

Hi,

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Thanks!

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WY8E

721. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New HTC EVO 4G Android phone(new application) and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-21 21:03:13 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 675 Message: 721

Most mobile phones do not support USB powered attachments. Unless you have
some information that is contrary to this I would believe the same to be
true for the EVO.

73
Phil
N8RVS

On Thu, Oct 21, 2010 at 2:13 PM, Matt <mchatting@...> wrote:

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> laptop
> for internet access.
>
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Date: 2010-10-21 21:02:22 UTC
From: Mike Besemer (WM4B)
Topic: 704 Message: 722

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I've always wanted not only to know HOW, but also WHY. It seems that DSTAR info is scattered to the winds and the info you can find seems to vary widely depending on the 'expert' who compiled the info.

FWIW, I have RTFM and the FM ain't all that and a bag of chips. I don't mind reading TFM, but I don't want to read ALL TFMs and I don't want the information in TFMs to be different.

Perhaps the Internet is partly to blame. it's too easy for everyone with an opinion to chime in and express their ideas as though they were facts. At any rate, it's frustrating the heck out of a lot of people and it's no surprise to me that folks (especially the ones who take time to research it before they take the plunge)are turned off by DSTAR.

My 2-cents worth.

Mike

WM4B

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis Miele
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Topic: 704 Message: 723

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WM4B

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Francis

Miele

Sent: Thursday, October 21, 2010 1:36 PM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

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Art W1AGW

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: Francis Miele <fran@...>

Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Date: Thu, 21 Oct 2010 10:38:22 -0400

To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>

ReplyTo: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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Dean Meredith

KF9L

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724. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-22 13:20:16 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 704 Message: 724

Mike,
using your example there will NOT be a problem. The system knows where you LAST transmitted. Being linked has no bearing. The whole thing is about call sign routing. You cannot callsign to a user on a DVDONGLE nor DVAP. It doesn't work. If you use the same call on your dongle type devices and someone looks at DSTARUSERS.org, sees you on and tries to callsign route to you the system won't find you. If you use the "A" or "D" with your call, that will give them an indication that you can't be routed to.

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725. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-23 16:53:24 UTC
From: Bob McCormick W1QA
Topic: 704 Message: 725

Fran W1FJM wrote:

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726. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-24 00:15:59 UTC
From: Mike Besemer (WM4B)
Topic: 704 Message: 726

AMEN!

Mike

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From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bob McCormick W1QA
Sent: Saturday, October 23, 2010 12:53 PM
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727. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Registration clarification

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-24 15:51:23 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 704 Message: 727
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Well..

It's still a new mode and we're all learning what works and what doesn't. The Dongles are even newer than D-Star itself. As these things filter down and out, hopefully a recommended standard will evolve. Some things already have been standardized. In the meantime, keep experimenting and have fun. To use a common "dog-Latin" expression, "Illegitimus non carborundum." The correct Latin for that expression, in case you've ever wondered, is "Noli sinere te ab improbis opprimi."

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Mike Besemer (WM4B)
Sent: Saturday, October 23, 2010 8:16 PM
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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1144 / Virus Database: 422/3216 - Release Date: 10/24/10

728. Re: Mobile broadband 3G DV AP operation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-26 06:20:04 UTC
From: horst_vk2hl
Topic: 701 Message: 728

Hi,
It works great!
I have used it in the Australian Outback, about 80km from the nearest phone tower and an old Pentium Mobile 1.2Ghz Laptop computer.
No issues at all.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "skycom291980" <skycom291980@...> wrote:
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> Group i was just wondering how well or if using my mobile broadband 3G in my car would work good with this DV AP. I will be using it mostly on my home network but when i go mobile it would be nice if i was able to use it while going down the road so i could get into the links using my mobile radio. Any insight on this product would be appreciated. i have a more than enough of a fast computer using dualcore and 2 gig of ram. My processor speed is 2.4ghz dualcore.
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> Dean Meredith
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729. Windows7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 10:13:57 UTC
From: grwin
Topic: 729 Message: 729

Will the DVAP dongle work with Windows7?

730. DVAP log file exists?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 10:34:01 UTC
From: kz1o
Topic: 730 Message: 730

While monitoring one of the reflectors here, using the DVAP and my IC-91, I noticed that often people will ID and say "listening" but I didn't exactly get their callsign. I look at the display on the radio and their call is gone, and the applet onscreen is empty as well. This is because a second or two has passed since they let up on their PTT.

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I can also see how it would be handy for a net control station to have, too.

Does such a file exist somewhere? For example, I could:

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and run that in a separate teeny window.

Thanks, 73,
Dave
kz1o

731. Re: DVAP log file exists?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 13:11:10 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 730 Message: 731

Hi Dave,

It sounds like you are using your DVAP with linux.

By starting the application from a shell prompt, rather than from a desktop shortcut, the DVAPTool graphical window will appear, with a scrolling log of messages, including call signs, displayed within the shell window.

Kind regards and 73

Chris - 2E0CTH

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kz1o" <bushong@...> wrote:
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732. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 13:22:16 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 729 Message: 732

Yes, it works fine

--Fran, W1FJM

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733. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 13:21:19 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 729 Message: 733

Yes, just follow the directions on the dvapdongle site, related to USB driver that may be required.

Regards:

Jan Timmers - VE7JBT

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734. Re: DVAP with Mac osx 10.6

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 15:50:39 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 708 Message: 734

Link is here:

http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-mac.tgz

It should be in your Downloads folder. The OS should unpack it automatically...

I got mine up in a few clicks. {;-)

David
KC2WNW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Robert" <r.lyman@...> wrote:
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> One of my computers is a Mac OSX 10.6 Snow Leopard.
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> I am having difficulties down loading DVAP Tool.
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> Any suggestions would be appreciated.
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> 73,
> Robert/ki6ft
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735. Re: DVAP log file exists?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 18:22:26 UTC
From: Mike Heitmann
Topic: 730 Message: 735

Also, from a shell prompt you can add:
| tee dvaplog.txt

to the end of the command and it will output what goes to the shell screen to the file "dvaplog.txt".

73,
Mike, N0SO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "xscope2000" <yahoo@...> wrote:
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> Hi Dave,
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> It sounds like you are using your DVAP with linux.
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> By starting the application from a shell prompt, rather than from a desktop shortcut, the DVAPTool graphical window will appear, with a scrolling log of messages, including call signs, displayed within the shell window.
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> Kind regards and 73
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> Chris - 2E0CTH
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736. RE: [DVAPDongle] Windows7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-27 23:08:40 UTC
From: Bob McCormick W1QA
Topic: 729 Message: 736

> Will the DVAP dongle work with Windows7?

Works just fine - both 32-bit and 64-bit. Make sure you have
the latest FTDI USB drivers. In the last week or so there have
been some FTDI driver updates provided through Windows Update.

Here's the source from the mfgr:
http://www.ftdichip.com/

Bob W1QA

737. Re: DVAP log file exists?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-28 09:40:58 UTC
From: kz1o
Topic: 730 Message: 737

Hi Chris,

That'll do it. Thanks!

73,
Dave
KZ1O

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> Hi Dave,
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> It sounds like you are using your DVAP with linux.
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738. DVAP and Mac OSX 10.6

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-30 03:40:13 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 738 Message: 738

I have the DVAP tool working on my Macbook Pro laptop OSX 10.6.

I enjoy the system very much.

The problem I have is at times (quite frequently) my transmit will drop off after approx. 10 seconds. And, sometimes it will stay up for several minutes.

I have tried moving the unit about four feet further away from the laptop, There are no other devices running off the USB ports.

Any ideas?

73,
Robert/ki6ft

739. Re: DVAP and Mac OSX 10.6

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-10-31 10:20:40 UTC
From: kz1o
Topic: 738 Message: 739

Hi Robert,

Have you determined if you are dealing with a radio problem or a computer problem?

One easy first step in troubleshooting DVAP-related issues is using a regular (analog) receiver, even a police scanner, tuned to 146.55 (or whatever freq you are using) just to see if everything is transmitting when you think they should be.

It would be good to know that you were not wasting time looking for a USB driver version mismatch when the problem was a low battery in your HT.

Also, may I ask how do you know that your "transmit will drop off"? Is it output power measured, or transmit LED, or did the receiving station say you are R2D2, or did receive audio come out of your radio while you were still talking? I'm not being a wise-guy here... I am only trying to identify the problem before trying to identify the solution.

All the best, and 73,
Dave
KZ1O

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Robert" <r.lyman@...> wrote:
>
> I have the DVAP tool working [...]
>
> The problem I have is at times (quite frequently) my transmit will drop off after approx. 10 seconds.

740. L SMA adapter for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-07 00:26:38 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 740 Message: 740

Anyone know where I can get the L shape adapter for my DVAP? unfortunately mine fell off the book case it was on and broke. DVAP still works fine only it's now in the horizontal postion

741. Re: [DVAPDongle] L SMA adapter for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-07 15:12:04 UTC
From: Robert Magill
Topic: 740 Message: 741

Hi Mark -- these are pretty common now -- SMA fittings --- available at many large electronic stores like Fry's (if you have them where you live) or order from distributors like Mouser or Digi-Key.

Good Luck -- Bob -- K6WL

On 11/6/2010 5:26 PM, Mark wrote:
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742. L SMA adapter for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-07 15:35:10 UTC
From: N2OJD
Topic: 740 Message: 742

Check Radio Shack part number 278-010 for a right angle SMA connector, I have purchased them there about $7.
You can get them cheaper elsewhere but if that is all you get, you will spend more with shipping.

Mark
N2OJD

743. DVAPTool wish - Call finding / routing / echolink info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-15 17:10:46 UTC
From: chris_spencer1
Topic: 743 Message: 743

Hi,

I'm new to DVAP and enjoying every bit of it. However there is a feature I would like to request if not already flagged for a future release.

Callsign query / routing?

Is it possible to have a feature that queries and reports a callsigns last heard or currently present connection on the dstar network e.g.
UR:callsign set on radio returns MSG 'callsign found REF???? /DVAP' or something or even just routes to where that callsign is connected or last heard, similair to repeater callsign routing via RF to a dstar repeater.

Also one more thing. I heard a rumour that it will eventually interface with Echolink. Is this true? How will it work and when is it scheduled?

I hope this is the right place to post...

73'

Chris Spencer
G8HCB

744. Re: DVAPTool wish - Call finding / routing / echolink info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-16 15:02:22 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 743 Message: 744

Hi Chris;

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> UR:callsign set on radio returns MSG 'callsign found REF???? /DVAP' or something or even just routes to where that callsign is connected or last heard, similair to repeater callsign routing via RF to a dstar repeater.

While I am not opposed to feature-creep on the DVAP -- I personally would like to see script-execution on a DVAP host like what we can do with DPLUS on a gateway -- I'm wondering about the feasibility of a last-heard function on DVAP.

The function is already available on the last-heard pages on dstarusers.org with individual callsign information provided by the dstarmonitor process running on the gateways. If script-execution were implemented on the DVAP host, one could write a script to query DSU for a particular callsign. For those callsigns directly connected to reflectors, one could script a query to the reflectors themselves (refXXX.dstargateway.org) for the requested callsign.

Implementing this lookup on the DVAP host itself would require at least the MNG table to be imported from the postgres database of any particular Icom gateway, and the table would need to be updated in real-time, and there is currently no provision to do this.

And even this wouldn't get the reflector activity, there would need to be a separate process for that.

> Also one more thing. I heard a rumour that it will eventually interface with Echolink. Is this true? How will it work and when is it scheduled?

Oh, I certainly hope not... LOL.

73;
Ken
KC4YOZ
KI4WXS Gateway Admin

745. Linked Receive Mode Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-17 15:53:39 UTC
From: Carl
Topic: 745 Message: 745

I am on vacation in Las Vegas and have my DVAP running but when ever I try to link to any repeater or reflector I am told it is linked but in Receive Mode Only. Can anyone tell me why that is happening? I am trying to link to my home repeater in Cleveland.

Thanks

73,

Carl W8KRF

746. Re: Linked Receive Mode Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-17 16:09:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 745 Message: 746

Hi Carl. I just looked at the logs and the problem is your callsign. You are using "W8KRF C " (with the C in the 7th position) and should be using "W8KRF C" (the C goes in the 8th position).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Carl" <w8krf@...> wrote:
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> Thanks
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> 73,
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> Carl W8KRF
>

747. Re: Linked Receive Mode Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-17 16:57:25 UTC
From: Carl
Topic: 745 Message: 747

Have no idea how that has happened. I've been using it this way for ever. I did reprogram it before leaving home so maybe it got changed somehow. Thanks for the superb response. I will fix it.

73,

Carl;
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi Carl. I just looked at the logs and the problem is your callsign. You are using "W8KRF C " (with the C in the 7th position) and should be using "W8KRF C" (the C goes in the 8th position).
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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748. No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-18 06:04:27 UTC
From: ychingola
Topic: 748 Message: 748

I installed the dvap on my netbok. Received msg "your device installed and ready for use"
No sign of device on PC. Shut down and restarted still no sign in programs or icon on desktop.
Dvap Green glows on and off. Blue flashes.
Now what
Bill

749. Re: No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-18 19:18:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 748 Message: 749

Hi Bill. It sounds like you stopped with the driver installation. Did you follow the rest of the installation instructions on www.dvapdongle.com?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ychingola" <ychingola@...> wrote:
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750. RE: [DVAPDongle] No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-18 19:17:24 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 748 Message: 750

The "your device installed..." is from when the communications drivers got loaded when you plugged in the device. The actual software for running the DVAP is available from www.DVAPDongle.com<http://www.DVAPDongle.com> - Downloads - DVAPTool - Windows

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ychingola
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2010 1:04 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] No Icons

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Now what
Bill

751. Re: No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-18 23:26:46 UTC
From: ychingola
Topic: 748 Message: 751

Hi Robin Correct I stopped at the driver install. Then went to next install and the msg on my Vista Netbook read File is not a valid Win 32 app.
So moved over to my intel OS Mac and set to WIN XP. Everything went fine I brought up the DV Tool Filled in call sign com port and frequency. When I close it It disapperas. The the only way to bring it back is by reloading the file. Still no Icon.
Bill

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752. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-19 12:08:15 UTC
From: eperlan
Topic: 748 Message: 752

Does it work on your Mac? If so, why not stay on that platform? The DVAP won't care {;-)

David KC2WNW

On Nov 18, 2010, at 6:26 PM, "ychingola" <ychingola@...> wrote:

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753. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-19 15:31:10 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 748 Message: 753

Bill,

If you are getting an invalid application app, then it sounds as if you might have a corrupted download. I'd suggest trying again. I know that the app runs on XP, Vista, Windows 7, both 32 and 64 bit versions.
There is no "Shortcut Icon" as many applications create. The application itself is the icon. So wherever you download it to is where you will have to run it from. You can create a shortcut or pin it to the start menu if you desire.
Also, there is no installation of the application, you just run it.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ychingola
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2010 6:27 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Icons

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754. DVAP to W6HHD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-20 16:26:11 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 754 Message: 754

Anyone had any luck connecting to W6HHD ?

I put in W6HHD BL in the UR area and I get Gateway Unknown response back from the DVAP

It appears to be a repeater and gateway in operation.

Thanks
WA6JFK

755. Re: DVAP to W6HHD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-20 16:40:03 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 754 Message: 755

Hi Brian. W6HHD is not currently responding to queries. The admin there probably needs to check routing/firewall rules/connectivity.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:
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> Thanks
> WA6JFK
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756. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to W6HHD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-21 22:40:49 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 754 Message: 756

Thanks, I emailed them and they had made some recent changes to switch gear and are aware of the issue.

WA6JFK

----- Original Message -----
From: aa4rc
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, November 20, 2010 8:40 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to W6HHD

Hi Brian. W6HHD is not currently responding to queries. The admin there probably needs to check routing/firewall rules/connectivity.

73,
Robin
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757. New User / Member DV-AP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-23 16:45:10 UTC
From: py2vr
Topic: 757 Message: 757

Hello Everyone,

I bought a DV-AP last week at AES Las Vegas. This morning I installed the DVAPtool and it's working very well, I didn't make tests at DSTAR Network yet but I think that will work. I am understanding how it work and how I need to configure it, but I imagine that I need to do like if I would be connecting direct a repeater, I think that.

Also it's a big pleasure to be a member at this group.

Best regards and 73s,

Eduardo - PY2VR
Sao Paulo - Brazil

758. DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-23 20:38:51 UTC
From: grwin
Topic: 758 Message: 758

Is there any consensus/recomendation regarding a simplex frequency for use when using the DVAP? And is the answer to that question the same on both sides of the Atlantic?
Regards Graham

759. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-23 22:24:16 UTC
From: David Korchin
Topic: 758 Message: 759

I use 146.550, and at lowest power on my 92AD, but only after careful listening in the neighborhood {:-) You might try www.radioreference.combrowsing your area to double check.

David, KC2WNW

On Tue, Nov 23, 2010 at 3:38 PM, grwin <aros21@...> wrote:

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> when using the DVAP? And is the answer to that question the same on both
> sides of the Atlantic?
> Regards Graham
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david korchin | onecameraonelens.com | 347.469.0712

760. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-23 22:28:11 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 758 Message: 760

I think most of us use the frequency that comes out of the box. I would simply keep away from nearby repeater frequencies or frequencies known to be heavily used for calling or rag chewing. As far as those across the pond - don't violate any local regulations.

It really doesn't matter it only affects your ability to communicate with your DVAP.

73
Louis
KG4QPQ

From: grwin <aros21@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, November 23, 2010 3:38:51 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

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761. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-23 23:46:23 UTC
From: DALE
Topic: 758 Message: 761

I use the 145.670 DV smiplex frequency. There is very little if any activity there.
Lets you monitor the frequency in case it does become active.
Dale

----- Original Message -----
From: "grwin" <aros21@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2010 12:38:51 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

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762. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-24 04:33:42 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU]
Topic: 758 Message: 762

Hello to all of you reading this thread,

I bought my DVAP last October and I am very happy with it. However I would prefer some more features/updates. But that is not the issue here.
In my country (The Netherlands, Europe) there are no 'consensus/recomendation' for using the DVAP. And to be honest with 10mW it is not very likely that anybody will be complaining about you causing QRN on whatever frequency, unless your nextdoor Naber also is a happy DVAP user ;-)
Because we are restricted to the use of 144-146 MHz on the Two meter band, the 'out of the box' frequency setting is no option for us over here.
Most of the NL-DVAP Dongles are at +/- 144.900 MHz. This also is the part of the band where our Packet Radio and APRS stations are sitting.
Until today I have not experienced any interference or lost D-Star packets on my frequency (144.83750 MHz)
To prevent this from happening I have sent out an email to our D-Star-union and asked them to agree with a couple of 'fixed' frequencies for DVAP Dongle users.

Just my 50cents

Regards,
Bert, PE1KZU (PA-region)

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Op 23-11-10 23:28, LC34747 schreef:

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763. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-24 12:52:12 UTC
From: Storer, Darren
Topic: 758 Message: 763

Hi Graham,

the agreed 2m simplex frequency for DV/D-Star in the UK (at variance with the rest of IARU R1) is 144.6125 MHz. Although this frequency is intended for simplex (back to back) QSOs, you'd be unlikely to cause problems with your DVAP if you live remotely and limit your handheld to super low/100mW, if possible. You may even hear occasional passing stations if you monitor 144.6125 routinely.

If 144.6125 MHz is in local use, the convention is to listen to the [largely] defunct 2m packet frequencies for a quiet channel.

Be sure to use the lock callsign function (default setting), so as to comply with the UK license regulations regarding the carriage of 3rd party traffic without a notice of variation (NoV) to your license.

73 de Darren
G7LWT

On 23 November 2010 20:38, grwin <aros21@...> wrote:

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764. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-24 13:05:35 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 758 Message: 764

I bought my DVAP last October and I am very happy with it. However I would prefer some more features/updates. But that is not the issue here.
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>>> Even then, you can set your DVAP to ONLY respond to your call sign, so even if you were in a building with a few users, it shouldn't be a problem.

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>>> I suppose that eventually this will be addressed but I suspect that it hasn't because it hasn't been enough of an issue. Not to seem recalcitrant but especially if you're using the stock little antenna that came with the DVAP, you can pretty much park yourself wherever you want. I wonder if everyone with a DVAP uses the DVAP tool that you can download from the site, that gives you a band scope, where you can see the noise floor on the band so you can choose a quiet part of the band to assign the DVAP.

My range from the house with mine is about 800' feet (+/-) no one within that range is an issue.

Just my 50cents

>>> Wow, we really are in a new economy! :-)

Donald ~ N2VU

Regards,
Bert, PE1KZU (PA-region)

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Is there any consensus/recomendation regarding a simplex frequency for use when using the DVAP? And is the answer to that question the same on both sides of the Atlantic?
Regards Graham

765. DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-24 13:24:13 UTC
From: bob
Topic: 765 Message: 765

Hi to all.
'm a new DVAP user. The question is:
is there any possible presetup configuration, a .ini file, to config permanently on the PC parameters like
connection to dstar node/ref and
start recording?
Thanks a lot for any suggestion.
73 de I1YRB
http://radio.it

766. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Icons

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-24 19:49:35 UTC
From: bill
Topic: 748 Message: 766

Thanks everyone. Third time lucky. Loaded DVAP on my MAC works well!
Question. My activity does not show up on D-Star Users.
thanks bill VA7ZBL

From: eperlan <eperlan@...>
To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Cc: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Fri, November 19, 2010 4:08:15 AM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Icons

Does it work on your Mac? If so, why not stay on that platform? The DVAP won't care {;-)

David KC2WNW

On Nov 18, 2010, at 6:26 PM, "ychingola" <ychingola@...> wrote:

>Hi Robin Correct I stopped at the driver install. Then went to next install and
>the msg on my Vista Netbook read File is not a valid Win 32 app.
>So moved over to my intel OS Mac and set to WIN XP. Everything went fine I
>brought up the DV Tool Filled in call sign com port and frequency. When I close
>it It disapperas. The the only way to bring it back is by reloading the file.
>Still no Icon.
>Bill
>
>--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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>> Hi Bill. It sounds like you stopped with the driver installation. Did you
>>follow the rest of the installation instructions on www.dvapdongle.com?
>>
>> 73,
>> Robin
>> AA4RC
>>
>> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ychingola" <ychingola@> wrote:
>> >
>> > I installed the dvap on my netbok. Received msg "your device installed and
>>ready for use"
>> > No sign of device on PC. Shut down and restarted still no sign in programs or
>>icon on desktop.
>> > Dvap Green glows on and off. Blue flashes.
>> > Now what
>> > Bill
>> >
>>

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767. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-25 23:51:16 UTC
From: Bob K0NR - email list
Topic: 758 Message: 767

Hi all,
First off, recognize that VHF usage and band plans are regional in nature. So don't expect one frequency that will work worldwide....or even across one continent. Second, the DVAP is designed to be a local hotspot, so choosing a frequency is more about avoiding interference in your (very) local area than having a standard frequency.

I agree with Dale's recommendation for the US (145.67 MHz) ....the freq is in the misc & experimental subband in the US.
It this frequency is actively used, you can move down to something like 145.60 MHz

73, Bob K0NR

On 11/23/2010 4:46 PM, DALE wrote:
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> I use the 145.670 DV smiplex frequency. There is very little if any activity
> there.
> Lets you monitor the frequency in case it does become active.
> Dale
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> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "grwin" <aros21@...>
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2010 12:38:51 PM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency
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768. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-26 02:42:05 UTC
From: Mark West
Topic: 758 Message: 768

I use 148.000 flat at the top of the band I never have
Any prob there

Thanks,
Mark West
417-942-2011

On Nov 25, 2010, at 5:51 PM, Bob K0NR - email list <list@...> wrote:

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769. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-26 02:54:01 UTC
From: DALE
Topic: 758 Message: 769

145.670 is the unofficial/official DV simplex frequency.
Dale

----- Original Message -----
From: "Bob K0NR - email list" <list@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, November 25, 2010 3:51:16 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

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770. Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-26 15:02:37 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 765 Message: 770

Greetings;

The DVAPTool parms are stored in the system registry, under:

HKCU\Software\DVDongle.com\DVAPTool\defaults

Hope that helps.

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

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771. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-26 16:13:28 UTC
From: Bob K0NR - email list
Topic: 758 Message: 771

If you are in the US, setting the DVAP frequency to 148.000 MHz actually puts
you out of band.
That is, the signal has some bandwidth to it, about 6 to 10 kHz, depending on
how you define it.

Bob K0NR

On 11/25/2010 7:42 PM, Mark West wrote:
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772. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP User Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-26 17:26:23 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 758 Message: 772

At 09:42 PM 11/25/2010, Mark West wrote:
>I use 148.000 flat at the top of the band I never have any prob there
>
>Thanks,
>Mark West

Two things about that, Mark, assuming you're in the USA.

First, by using 148.000, you will be putting some energy outside the ham band so it's illegal). The D-STAR signal is about 7 kHz wide, and you put the center of that at 148.0. So about half your energy - 3.5 kHz worth, is outside the band. And it's not just for the 10 mW signal of the DVAP, it's your HT or mobile that you use to talk into it.

Second, 148.0 is within the passband of any 147.39 MHz repeater's input frequency (147.99 MHz). Maybe there is no 147.39 repeater around you, but you might tote the DVAP on a trip, keep using it there, and cause a problem. In general, it's "good amateur practice" to avoid using repeater inputs for any other use unless you really know what you're doing.

I shy away from any spectrum used for analog operation, since the D-STAR signal appears as "noise" to an analog user.

The spectrum between 145.51 and 145.79 is kind "no man's land," or maybe better said "any man's land." Here in the Southeast, SERA's band plan calls for packet, and there are packet systems here and there. Other regions of the country have specified other uses there, and a handful of groups have chosen one frequency or another in that spectrum for specialized activities on a local or regional basis.

Note that 145.79 was abandoned by the APRS network because it was within the passband of the ISS station on 145.800, so I'd avoid that worldwide.

I have my DVAP set for 145.65, 20 kHz down from the "D-STAR simplex channel" 145.67. When I'm on the road, I keep an ear on that for other incumbent activity before I use it.

Other channels to look at are those between 144.9 and 145.1 (again, packet in many areas, and some D-STAR repeater activity now), and 144.3 to 144.5. There are some entrenched users on some of those channels, like APRS on 144.39 and the ISS uplink on 144.49.

Again, the 10 mW output of the DVAP isn't likely to cause many problems, except when you connect it to a base station antenna - then it's good for many miles to a mobile, and maybe 20 miles to a good repeater. Your higher power HT or mobile signal is more likely to cause a problem to other spectrum users.

The FCC rule about "first come, first served" frequency usage is a minimum criterion. It's not enough to keep the various modes and users in our VHF/UHF spectrum working happily together. Our voluntary band plans bring us closer to that goal, but they also can't be so specific that every instance of use is accounted for. When individual users learn about the RF "landscape" they occupy, locally and globally, and make an effort to select their spectrum intelligently, we can all have fun.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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773. DVAP & D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-27 18:00:43 UTC
From: mikeb_onsite
Topic: 773 Message: 773

Has anyone had any luck getting the DVAP & D-PRS to work together? I have used the same settings in D-PRS as with my Dutch D-star hot spot, but the DVAP does not seem to like the values. I can connect to the APRS server OK, but no data is being passed. Any ideas, anyone, please?

Mike, G4JBI

774. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP & D-PRS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-27 20:17:33 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 773 Message: 774

the dvap doesn't do dprs

--Fran,W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Sat, Nov 27, 2010 at 1:00 PM, mikeb_onsite <mikeb_onsite@yahoo.com>wrote:

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775. Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-27 23:34:02 UTC
From: bob
Topic: 765 Message: 775

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I opened regedit to access the parameters. In effect they were recorded, but unfortunately only the same as provided from the user interface. COM num, Frequency, call, squelch, pwr. Does this mean that the software can't be configured to support "auto link" to destination node/ref at startup and other kindly functions like reconnect if for network reason switch in unlinked mode..... and so?

thanks for any further confidential info about it and/or next product "roadmap".

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776. DVAP for sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-28 19:33:26 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 776 Message: 776

I have a DVAP for sale that has only been used once. Condition is like new in original box. Please contact by email if interested.

73

Jim
WB4HYY
jstratigos@...

777. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-30 20:21:36 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 765 Message: 777

At this point, the DVAP software does not have the ability to automatically link or relink.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of bob
Sent: Saturday, November 27, 2010 6:34 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

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778. Re: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-11-30 21:30:39 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 765 Message: 778

Ed, so I guess my question would be whether this option will become a upgrade in the future?? Mark KB3Z

Nov 30, 2010 04:10:18 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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At this point, the DVAP software does not have the ability to automatically link or relink.

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Ed WA4YIH

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779. DvapTool.dvrec file

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-01 11:58:38 UTC
From: Bob
Topic: 779 Message: 779

My Dvapdongle works well and is all that I expected.

Can anyone please tell me how to erase previous recordings

or does the record eventually becomed overwritten by subsequent

conversations.

Thank in advance for your replies

Bob vk4rt

780. Re: DvapTool.dvrec file

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-01 14:24:12 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 779 Message: 780

Hi Bob. That file is overwritten each time you start a new recording.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Bob" <vk4rt@...> wrote:
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> Bob vk4rt
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781. Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-01 16:56:23 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 765 Message: 781

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>
> thanks for any further confidential info about it and/or next product "roadmap".
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> bob
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Hi Bob;

I'm not the developer, so I have no insights on future features.

As the software is closed-source and cannot be modified, only Robin (AA4RC) is able to answer your requests.

Ken - KC4YOZ

782. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DvapTool.dvrec file

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-01 20:00:27 UTC
From: Eduardo Freitas - PY2VR
Topic: 782 Message: 782

Hello everyone,

Please I would like to understand one thing:? That recordings are the messages when we do link connection, unlink connection, for example? "- Link current estabilished" among others messages regarding connections status or not ??

Thanks

73s,
Eduardo - PY2VR

---------- Segue mensagem original! ----------

De: "aa4rc"
Data: Wed, 01 Dec 2010 14:24:12 -0000
Para: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Assunto: [DVAPDongle] Re: DvapTool.dvrec file

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783. DVAP tcp/ip/udp question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-01 21:30:03 UTC
From: djhuff@rockwellcollins.com
Topic: 783 Message: 783

Does anybody know the internet details of the DVAP or DV dongle. I am looking for ports sockets, and protocol (TCP or UDP)

Thanks,
Dave

784. Re: DvapTool.dvrec file

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-01 23:18:37 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 782 Message: 784

Hello Eduardo,

I think you are asking about messages that indicate the status of a connection. The DVAP has both voice and text messages when you do a command such as linking or unlinking (among others). Each time you unkey with CQCQCQ in the UR field, there will be a text message of the link status. There is no voice message, which would not be practical, especially when in a qso.

73

James, N0XIA

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785. Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-02 08:35:33 UTC
From: bob
Topic: 765 Message: 785

Hi Ken!

Thanks for the suggestion.
In my opinion, i appreciate the "personal" use of DVAP that i think is the reason to have linited configurations dynamics on PC side.
But i think that any communication equipment should be stress the potential the technology is able to set, giving contribution by the way to system growth.

So i hope Robin will read this note and take care of needs and suggestions.
Any way my compliments for the good job done.

All the best,
73 de I1YRB

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786. New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 01:31:58 UTC
From: Kelvin
Topic: 786 Message: 786

I'm pretty sure I'm registered on NU7TS however when I connect I'm in receive-only mode, unable to transmit.

It's a little unclear to me how to register a terminal with the initial "A" too if someone can give me a quick start I can perform...

Otherwise everything seems to be working fine, radio, DVAP but I'm stuck, can anyone help?

K7KHA

787. Re: [DVAPDongle] New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 03:30:20 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 786 Message: 787

Not sure why people think they must register a terminal with the initial "A", even for DVAP. Just registering a terminal with your callsign should suffice just fine for most people, and is less confusing when you are beginning. You really only need multiple terminals registered if you plan to have multiple radios on the air simultaneously.

That said, here's a page that tells you all you need to know about registering.

http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html

n7mk
SysAdmin, KE7JFH & N7CI D-Star

On 12/2/2010 6:31 PM, Kelvin wrote:
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788. Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 04:31:19 UTC
From: Kelvin
Topic: 786 Message: 788

Hi Mark,

Thanks for the information. Very helpful, I had 'registered' with a local gateway but neglected the important part of specifying terminal information and I updated that tonight. I assume it will take some time to get pushed out to other gateways and until then any connects will be receive only. I specified the initial "A" because it's recommended in the dvap dongle setup instructions online it is confusing but nothing major.

Thanks again.

73 K7KHA

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> should suffice just fine for most people, and is less confusing when you
> are beginning. You really only need multiple terminals registered if
> you plan to have multiple radios on the air simultaneously.
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> That said, here's a page that tells you all you need to know about
> registering.
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> http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html
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> n7mk
> SysAdmin, KE7JFH & N7CI D-Star
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> On 12/2/2010 6:31 PM, Kelvin wrote:
> > It's a little unclear to me how to register a terminal with the initial "A" too if
someone can give me a quick start I can perform...
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789. Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 12:41:57 UTC
From: n0xia@ymail.com
Topic: 786 Message: 789

Using the letter "A" in the 8th position with your call-sign for DVAP's was merely a designator that was recommended. Mark, N7MK, is correct in that your base call with a "space" for the 8th character is all that is really needed. For G2 call-sign routing purposes, you should always have your basic call registered. Adding other 8th position characters to your call is for personal preference.

73, James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Kelvin" <nonstoptwo@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mark,
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> Thanks for the information. Very helpful, I had 'registered' with a local gateway but neglected the important part of specifying terminal information and I updated that tonight. I assume it will take some time to get pushed out to other gateways and until then any connects will be receive only. I specified the initial "A" because it's recommended in the dvap dongle setup instructions online it is confusing but nothing major.
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> Thanks again.
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> 73 K7KHA
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mark Krotz <mkrotz@> wrote:
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790. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 14:00:12 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 786 Message: 790

On 12/3/2010 5:41 AM, n0xia@... wrote:
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But then, how many people use, or even know how to use D-Star protocol callsign routing these days.

n7mk

791. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 14:24:18 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 786 Message: 791

Hello Mark,

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Best regards,
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792. Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 18:11:13 UTC
From: Kelvin
Topic: 786 Message: 792

It is easier to manage without the suffix or Initial "A" the consensus seems to be if you're running more than one station/radio it's useful almost desired if not just enter "spaces" in the terminal registration fields. The confusion I had stems from Gateway not displaying the actual character in the initial field, seems to be a common issue across some posts, nevertheless thanks very much for the tips I've managed to connect and and I'm able to transmit.

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793. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 18:58:38 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 786 Message: 793

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to you.

--Fran, W1FJM

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794. Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 19:10:30 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 786 Message: 794

Hey folks. I think we've beaten this one to death now... :)

73,
Robin
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795. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New to the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-03 23:09:26 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 786 Message: 795

Oh, Robin, you know this group would never do that!

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Fri, December 3, 2010 2:10:30 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: New to the DVAP

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796. DVAP with Linux command line

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-07 14:14:41 UTC
From: pedro-y-pinacolada
Topic: 796 Message: 796

Hello,

I plan to use my DVAP with busybox linux.

My question is how to configure DVAP in command line, or conf file.

797. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Linux command line

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-07 22:19:44 UTC
From: eperlan
Topic: 796 Message: 797

Hi there, don't know that install, but I run an HP mininote on Fedora core 7 and I run DVAP from the file manager. Works a charm. Just need the files suggested by dvapdongle.com for Linux and you should be set.

Best, David KC2WNW

On Dec 7, 2010, at 9:14 AM, "pedro-y-pinacolada" <pedro_y_pinacolada@...> wrote:

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798. Having problems installing the DVAP Tool on my mac book pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-08 15:29:28 UTC
From: Aaron
Topic: 798 Message: 798

I download the DVAP Tool on my mac and it does not show up in my applications folder. Where else could it be? Please help. Thanks, Aaron

799. Need help Setting up my Icom 92AD For DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-08 17:46:08 UTC
From: Aaron
Topic: 799 Message: 799

Hello all. I could use some help setting up my Icom 92AD radio for the use with the DVAP Dongle. Thanks, Aaron

800. Re: [DVAPDongle] Having problems installing the DVAP Tool on my mac book pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-08 19:57:22 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 798 Message: 800

It should be where you downloaded it to. The installer is inside the archive according to the install instructions on the web site http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html

On Wed, Dec 8, 2010 at 10:29 AM, Aaron <aford_man@...> wrote:

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801. Re: [DVAPDongle] Need help Setting up my Icom 92AD For DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-08 19:58:45 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 799 Message: 801

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

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> with the DVAP Dongle. Thanks, Aaron
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802. Re: [DVAPDongle] Need help Setting up my Icom 92AD For DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-08 21:26:29 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 799 Message: 802

Aaron it's not really that hard. It's basically putting into memory the different reflectors which are accessible? to all on Dstar. Of course you need to pick a transmit and receive frequency which for example mine is 146.550. And in the memory channel you will set it for digital and then perhaps you can give a name to the particular channel such as Ill. Ref. 1c.? After that I would just follow what is in your manual.? Mark KB3Z

Dec 8, 2010 02:51:56 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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803. Re: [DVAPDongle] Having problems installing the DVAP Tool on my mac book pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-09 04:48:12 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 798 Message: 803

Aaron,

To just download the DVAP Tool is not enough ;-) . You have to install it by double clicking the DVAPTool Icon in your Downloads Folder.
After installation has finished you will find 'DVAPTool' under PLACES in the Applications Folder.

Bert, PE1KZU

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Op 08-12-10 16:29, Aaron schreef:

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804. Re: [DVAPDongle] Having problems installing the DVAP Tool on my mac book pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-09 14:35:34 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 798 Message: 804

Aaron, I've got the DVAP installed on a Windows XP computer, a Windows 7 computer, and also my Macbook Pro laptop. It works on every piece of hardware I've tried (I'm the mad scientist, experimenting, don't you know....). On your Mac, look in the following area (not in the main Applications folder, it's in your own user account Application folder):

/Macintosh HD/Users/"your user account"/Applications

In "your user account" put your own account name. In the Application folder in your user account, you'll find - ta-da! - DVAPTool.app. Just double click on that and you'll be in business.

Regards:

Jan Timmers - VE7JBT

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>From: Bert van der Zwaan <bert.vanderzwaan@...>
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805. RE: [DVAPDongle] Need help Setting up my Icom 92AD For DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-09 17:30:03 UTC
From: Chris Brown
Topic: 799 Message: 805

Aaron, Another thought borne of my experience with the 92AD and DVAP – I found the use of the programming/operating software for the IC-92D made the programming extremely simple and moreover, when the 92AD is left connected to your computer with the software running, you see a good deal of information about the stations/nodes being heard. If you are not portable you may find, as I did, that the information displayed by the software while operating is very instructive!

73,

Chris

KL4C

Anchorage, AK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of pastormg2@...
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2010 12:26 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Need help Setting up my Icom 92AD For DVAP

Aaron it's not really that hard. It's basically putting into memory the different reflectors which are accessible to all on Dstar. Of course you need to pick a transmit and receive frequency which for example mine is 146.550. And in the memory channel you will set it for digital and then perhaps you can give a name to the particular channel such as Ill. Ref. 1c. After that I would just follow what is in your manual. Mark KB3Z

Dec 8, 2010 02:51:56 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

Hello all. I could use some help setting up my Icom 92AD radio for the use with the DVAP Dongle. Thanks, Aaron

806. Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-10 16:22:35 UTC
From: rgv_gringo
Topic: 806 Message: 806

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N5ZZA
Mission, TX

807. 92AD programing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-11 11:09:11 UTC
From: Ti-Michelle Connelly
Topic: 807 Message: 807

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MAC users
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73, Ti-Michelle Connelly, NJ6T

808. Re: 92AD programing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-13 01:36:44 UTC
From: azstefano186
Topic: 807 Message: 808

Hi Ti-Michelle:

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809. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-14 01:23:00 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 806 Message: 809

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From: rgv_gringo
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Sent: Friday, December 10, 2010 8:22 AM
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810. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 92AD programing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-14 05:00:20 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 807 Message: 810

If you like Virtual Machines, get Virtual Box @ http://www.virtualbox.org/
It's free fast and easy!

73,
Bert, PE1KZU

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-14 15:21:24 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 806 Message: 811

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812. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-14 18:56:03 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 806 Message: 812

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I have an AT&T wireless 3G card that I can try.

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813. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-15 12:50:23 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 806 Message: 813

I have successfully used my DVAP/mobile laptop tethered to my cellphone as well.

73 de Tim, AF1G

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814. Re: Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-15 14:56:57 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 806 Message: 814

I have operated mobile DVAP with great success. On trips over the last year from Atlanta to Tallahassee, Orlando and Dayton, as long as there was cellular service, the DVAP worked great.

On the Tallahassee and Orlando trips, I was using an AT&T modem. AT&T's 3G coverage is limited to the major metro areas and some interstate corridors so getting off the beaten path usually means their slower EDGE and GPRS services. On the Tallahassee trip, I even encounter no AT&T service in parts of SW GA and north Florida.

Once my contract was up and with all the frustration of the lousy AT&T network, I moved over to Verizon. Because of the technology Verizon uses, their 3G service is integrated into all of their cell sites, so the "red" map is real and you get 3G service almost everywhere. It's not quite as fast as AT&T's HSPA 33G service, but plenty fast for DVAP operation and most everything else you would want to do.

I haven't tried or heard reports with Sprint, but they use the same CDMA/EV-DO technology as Verizon, it will just be coverage limitations of the smaller Sprint network. T-mobile 3G is the same techology as AT&T with limited 3G coverage and smaller footprint overall.

I'm anxious to try Verizon's new LTE service which blows everything away on speed, but it will be limited to major cities initially reverting back to 3G outside of these areas. Right now, Verizon is, IMHO, the choise for mobile data service.

John WB4QDX

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815. Re: Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-15 17:53:45 UTC
From: rgv_gringo
Topic: 806 Message: 815

So far my longest single journey using DVAP is approximately 150 miles, one-way. Next week I will have a 10.5 hour drive for Christmas vacation. I didn't have an issue with having to restart DVAP (maybe an advantage of using Linux). I did experience an issue on the return trip with r2d2 on REF001C, but when I switched to REF004B I had a clear qso with NU5D. My guess is that it had more to do with network congestion caused by multiple DVAPs and Dongles on 1C.

Another suggestion is to use a MiFi (with WiFi connectivity to the netbook) rather than plugging a USB broadband card into the netbook. This puts less current drain on the netbook's USB ports and allows me to position the broadband device in an optimal place in the vehicle.

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> From: rgv_gringo
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Friday, December 10, 2010 8:22 AM
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816. Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-15 17:36:41 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 816 Message: 816

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Jim

817. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile DVAP Success!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 03:54:50 UTC
From: Larry Whited
Topic: 806 Message: 817

I have a 9db antenna up on my truck that really helps. Verizon is the only way to go if you want wide-ranging coverage. Best I can tell all the new cards are 4g. Mine is a 3g with unlimited minutes. As you can imagine I'm hanging on as long as possible.Larry WB4FGF

--- On Tue, 12/14/10, Brian Frobisher <froby@...> wrote:

From: Brian Frobisher <froby@...>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Mobile DVAP Success!
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Tuesday, December 14, 2010, 1:56 PM

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Sent: Dec 14, 2010 7:21 AM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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818. Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 14:36:24 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 816 Message: 818

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Hi Jim;

My theory -- and it is only that, since I haven't yet seen any real good technical specs (nor even a block diagram) of the DVAP -- is that the packet header from the radio is mangled enough that the DVAP just uses the last known good header from the buffer. I've seen this on the gateways too, where one user will key up and the header info will be that of the previous radio heard.

Not much you can do about this except to make sure that your DVAP is hearing you well, keep the radio antenna in the same plane as the DVAP antenna, use adequate power to get in, key up about half a second before you talk, etc.

Robin or Moe or someone with intimate knowledge of the technology will have to comment on whether the header buffer is implemented in firmware or in the client software, and/or if that's what the problem really is / can be fixed, etc., but that's just my theory.

73;

Ken - KC4YOZ

819. Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 19:48:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 816 Message: 819

Hi Jim. When the header is corrupted in transit to the DVAP via RF, the DVAP will use the last known good header, just like a repeater. We decided it was better to use the last header than to completely drop the stream until you unkey (just like the repeater).

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820. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 20:05:16 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 816 Message: 820
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

And you might want to make sure that you aren't too close (or too far) from the DVAP. If you are too close, you can overdrive the front end and cause issues.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@...m] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Thursday, December 16, 2010 2:48 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

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821. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 20:47:02 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 816 Message: 821

That would make perfect sense if I were transmitting and getting a poor signal to the DVAP, but the radio is about 5 feet from the DVAP, and I'm not transmitting. I'm simply sitting here monitoring the repeater that I'm administrating.

Jim

Sent from my iPhone.

On 2010-12-16, at 12:48, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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822. Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 22:47:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 816 Message: 822

If you have sufficient noise, you will get what looks like voice packet sync patterns. Try changing the frequency you use up/down a megahertz or so.

Robin

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823. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 22:52:07 UTC
From: Storer, Darren
Topic: 816 Message: 823

Hi Jim,

take a look at the red bar graph under the squelch control, as per the image below:

http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP_files/shapeimage_2.png

You make need to raise the squelch level (move the slider to the right).

Vy 73 de Darren
G7LWT/AK4DB

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824. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 23:05:59 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 816 Message: 824

Read the part again where I state that I'm not transmitting. It's pretty tough to overload a receiver when the transmitter is turned off!

Jim

Sent from my iPhone.

On 2010-12-16, at 13:05, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@ed-com.com> wrote:

> And you might want to make sure that you aren’t too close (or too far) from the DVAP. If you are too close, you can overdrive the front end and cause issues.
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Thursday, December 16, 2010 2:48 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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825. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-16 23:06:54 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 816 Message: 825

I'll give that a try, thanks Robin.

Jim

Sent from my iPhone.

On 2010-12-16, at 15:47, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

826. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Strange thing with my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-17 03:16:11 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 816 Message: 826

It seems to be well below the threshold, but that's a pretty good idea and simple to try. I'll give that a shot as I was thinking if it was interference that could help

Jim

Sent from my iPhone.

On 2010-12-16, at 15:52, "Storer, Darren" <darren.storer@...> wrote:

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> Hi Jim,
>
> take a look at the red bar graph under the squelch control, as per the image below:
>
> http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP_files/shapeimage_2.png
>
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827. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tool config file available?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-18 13:56:16 UTC
From: Gary Ives Tapner
Topic: 765 Message: 827

Gary Ives Tapner

On Nov 26, 2010, at 10:02 AM, "Ken" <kc4yoz@...> wrote:

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> Greetings;
>
> The DVAPTool parms are stored in the system registry, under:
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> HKCU\Software\DVDongle.com\DVAPTool\defaults
>
> Hope that helps.
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> 73;
> Ken - KC4YOZ
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bob" <i1yrb@...> wrote:
> >
> > Hi to all.
> > 'm a new DVAP user. The question is:
> > is there any possible presetup configuration, a .ini file, to config permanently on the PC parameters like
> > connection to dstar node/ref and
> > start recording?
> > Thanks a lot for any suggestion.
> > 73 de I1YRB
> > http://radio.it
> >
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828. Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-20 10:50:52 UTC
From: pennyrewob
Topic: 828 Message: 828

Hi all,

New to the DV world, but not to ham radio (licensed since '93).
I'm pretty confused by the 'registration' procedure, which seems to assume that anyone wanting registration, is within the capture area of a Dstar repeater!
I'm based out in SE Asia, working in air traffic control, but there is NO Dstar network anywhere in this country.

Unless I'm missing something, I can see no provision for a single entity, using a DV Dongle (my only link to Dstar along with my IC92AD).

Has anyone else managed to get registered, without needing to specify a repeater nearby, or is this going to be a 'private' aspect of the hobby (not what I got into the hobby for) ;-)

Working in government and military areas, I'm not really keen to share my personal details, other then name and callsign, so is that going to also present a problem?

I'm sorry to be appearing to moan for my first post, but if this registration procedure is going to be more trouble than it's worth, then I don't see much point in spending on a DV Dongle, if I can't use it for anything other than to listen.

Any help in getting 'on the system', will be greatly appreciated.

Have a great Xmas and 2011'

Paul
XU7AEJ

829. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-20 11:49:41 UTC
From: Storer, Darren
Topic: 828 Message: 829

Hi Paul,

registering is straight forward enough once you have located the nearest repeater administrator; take a look here:

http://dstarusers.org/repeaters.php

To place your concerns in context: The registration requirements for EchoLink are FAR more intrusive/onerous (regardless of how you value your privacy) than the simple process for registration on the D-Star network.

73 de Darren
G7LWT

On 20 December 2010 10:50, pennyrewob <pennyrewob@yahoo.com> wrote:

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> Paul
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830. RE: [DVAPDongle] Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-20 13:04:29 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 828 Message: 830

Paul,

I see and understand your point, though I don't know what to suggest as far as you registering "locally", however, with a DVAP or Hot-Spot you're able to enjoy D-Star more than those who just have a local repeater or two. Once you get registered and you have your HT and DVAP, you'll be able to connect to the many reflectors and repeaters around the world. It'll be like visiting any community you want (within reason) without leaving home. While I'll still get on some of the local repeaters to say hellow to some of the guys, and participate in our RACES drills, I can imagine evenr havin got give up D-Star!

Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of pennyrewob
Sent: Monday, December 20, 2010 5:51 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Getting Registered

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XU7AEJ

831. Re: Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-20 21:18:28 UTC
From: James
Topic: 828 Message: 831

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832. RE: [DVAPDongle] Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-21 05:24:10 UTC
From: Bruce Barnhart
Topic: 828 Message: 832

Maybe you can register on a repeater close to your home in the USA where you would be when you are out of the service or your old home town.

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: pennyrewob@...
Date: Mon, 20 Dec 2010 10:50:52 +0000
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Paul
XU7AEJ

833. Re: Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-21 12:18:14 UTC
From: tom.w1tg
Topic: 828 Message: 833

Hi Paul,

DStar the intriguing and the unknown...coming to a radio near you.

The DVap is a great tool for what you're looking to do. You can register with ANY repeater and that gets you into the DStar system. Once you've been registered in the trust nothing else required and the network is open to your call. Think of it as a vetting process to only allow licensed operators use of the system.

Check this site for a listing of repeaters around the world. It defaults to the US machines but there's a pull down to select other countries.
<http://dstarusers.org/repeaters.php>

Here's another site that gives you the low down on the registration process. You only need your call, name and an email address for the process. so it's not like you're giving away the keys...
<http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html>

Good luck!

Merry XMas...Happy 2011 to all!

Tom - W1TG

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834. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-21 18:53:08 UTC
From: Doug Ferrell
Topic: 828 Message: 834

----- Original Message -----
From: "James" <n0xia@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, December 20, 2010 4:18:28 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Getting Registered

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...DOUG
KD4MOJ
K4WAK Admin

835. So what□s with the constant disconnects with DVAP□s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-22 18:37:58 UTC
From: n2vu911
Topic: 835 Message: 835

I have two DVAP's and I really appreciate what they do, such simplicity and convenience, HOWEVER, my issue with them is that they constantly disconnect. Not immediately after establishing a connection but within hours they always seem to drop the connection. I've tried them on several computers, each using different operating systems and still the same result. I also know its not just me because I've heard the same gripe from other DVAP users. So, my question to the group is: Has anyone found a way to make them stay connected? Or, at the very least, can someone explain what it is that always causes them to drop the connection? I'd really appreciate any input.

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I look forward to any contributions to this query and I also wish all of you a great Holiday (whatever you celebrate).

Donald James ~ N2VU

836. Re: [DVAPDongle] So what□s with th e constant disconnects with DVAP□s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 04:45:06 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 836 Message: 836

Don, you are not the only one with the disconnect problems. It is the internet connection.? It seems that if you are running internet explorer or another program that draws from your internet connection it might cause a disconnect. Or if your internet connection has a bug for some reason that can cause an issue. The only solution I see is that if the software would reconnect you once a disconnect occurs that would be the best.? But we might wait a very long time before that will happen.? Mark KB3Z

Dec 22, 2010 10:38:13 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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837. Re: [DVAPDongle] So what’s with the con stant disconnects with DVAP’s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 06:40:01 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 835 Message: 837

Hi Donald,

I experienced the same over here and started to investigate what's wrong.
Because I am running DVAPTool on Linux it gives me the possibility to create some scripts to help me with my investigation.
After a couple of days I found my internet link (ADSL) to drop frequently.
Knowing this I called my provider and raised a ticket.
The next day the problem was solved and now I am fully enjoying my DVAP again.
But I keep my scripts running ;-)

You write that you tried the tool on several computers but I assume it's always the same internet connection?

73,
Bert [PE1KZU]

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Op 22-12-10 19:37, n2vu911 schreef:
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838. Re: Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 10:45:45 UTC
From: pennyrewob
Topic: 828 Message: 838

Hi all,

Just a note to thank EVERYONE who responded to my appeal, and the speed at which I have been inducted into the 'brethren' (the paddling kinda hurt, but the stinging is going away now :-)).

To all that took the time to personally get in touch via email, another big thank you.

I've spent some time with my IC-E92D now, and programmed a few items into the Dstar side of things.

Contacted Universal Radio for a quote on shipping for the DVAP, and got a reply from 'Rick', who tells me that they no longer ship overseas - darn!
HRO have a minimum $75 shipping fee, so that went out the window too.

I just bid on a DVAP on Ebay, and after placing my $150 bid, read the item more carefully and find that the seller doesn't ship outside the lower 48!

Gonna keep searching, and I'm really looking forward to catching you on 'the air' when something actually comes up in the DVAP dept. at the right price.

Meanwhile, I'll wish everyone a very happy and peaceful Xmas, and a very productive and happy New Year for 2011.

Thanks again
Paul
XU7AEJ (prev. XU7ADQ)

Oh yeah...
As regards Tallahassee, I never got over that way, only went north on US95 as far as Savannah in the nine visits I've had.
But I agree with the Florida friendliness, and would like to pop over there again some time (it'll be cheaper now the kids aren't in tow with DisneyWorld at $66 each per day!!).

TTFN

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839. RE: [DVAPDongle] So what's with the constant disconnects with DVAP's?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 12:20:51 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 835 Message: 839

Thanks for your input Bert. Yes, the three computers where o the same internet connection. Please tell me what your internet provider did to help you resolve the issue.

Donald ~ N2VU

From: Bert van der Zwaan [mailto:bert.vanderzwaan@...]
Sent: Thursday, December 23, 2010 1:40 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc: n2vu911
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Hi Donald,

I experienced the same over here and started to investigate what's wrong. Because I am running DVAPTool on Linux it gives me the possibility to create some scripts to help me with my investigation.
After a couple of days I found my internet link (ADSL) to drop frequently. Knowing this I called my provider and raised a ticket.
The next day the problem was solved and now I am fully enjoying my DVAP again.
But I keep my scripts running ;-)

You write that you tried the tool on several computers but I assume it's always the same internet connection?

73,
Bert [PE1KZU]

-sk-

Op 22-12-10 19:37, n2vu911 schreef:

I have two DVAP's and I really appreciate what they do, such simplicity and convenience, HOWEVER, my issue with them is that they constantly disconnect. Not immediately after establishing a connection but within hours they always seem to drop the connection. I've tried them on several computers, each using different operating systems and still the same result. I also know its not just me because I've heard the same gripe from other DVAP users. So, my question to the group is: Has anyone found a way to make them stay connected? Or, at the very least, can someone explain what it is that always causes them to drop the connection? I'd really appreciate any input.

I'll add that I have 3 hot spot boards from Mark Phillips, and I use them with the DVAR software, and I can declare that they never drop. When a

connection is established, they stay-reliably-connected! If only the DVAP could do that too!

I look forward to any contributions to this query and I also wish all of you a great Holiday (whatever you celebrate).

Donald James ~ N2VU

840. Re: So what□s with the constant disconnects with DVAP□s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 14:39:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 835 Message: 840

Hi Donald. The hotspot software drops at the same rate as the dvaptool software. They have an "auto reconnect" feature built in so you don't really notice it as much.

There is a downside to the auto reconnect. Most drops are due to internet problems between you and the connected system, usually closer to your end. If your connection is sufficiently flaky that you often drop, that will probably impact your audio quality when you transmit. This can cause dropped packets and choppy audio. You've probably heard folks that sounded like that.

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I'm considering a solution somewhere in between "always" and "never" reconnect. If you just drop the connection every now and then, it would auto reconnect. If it is a constant problem, it would not auto reconnect. In that way, most users would stay connected while problematic users would not.

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AA4RC

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841. advice / opinions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 16:10:46 UTC
From: brucebarn
Topic: 841 Message: 841

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Amy suggestions, comments and advice would be appreciated.

Thank You

Bruce Barnhart AJ4WA

842. dvap transmitting off frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 23:01:22 UTC
From: kc0ldy
Topic: 842 Message: 842

My dvap is transmitting 5kHz below the frequency that I have it programed to transmit and recive on. For example I put in the frequency 146.400 it responds to commands on that frequency, however it is actualy transmitting on 145.395. Same when i put it on 146.415, then it transmits on 146.410. Weird right? My friend Barry suggested i set up an offset for transmit and recive, however i am not fond of that idea. Anyway enough said for now lets see if we can get this darn thing fixed.
Thnaks in Advance for you help.
Mark Bickford
KC0LDY
Thornton, Colorado

843. Re: dvap transmitting off frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 04:26:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 842 Message: 843

Hi Mark.

A tool was created that allows you to fine tune the frequency of the DVAP. As discussed on this list, go to http://www.dvapdongle.com and select DvapUtil from the Downloads tab.

73,
Robin
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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kc0ldy" <kc0ldy@...> wrote:
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844. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: So what’s with the constant disconnects with DVAP’s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 15:26:15 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU]
Topic: 835 Message: 844

Hello Donald and Robin,

First things first; I am sorry Robin the only message I got from my provider is that they have reset the link. However very often they don't tell you what exactly went wrong. So to me this is a message like: "We've rebooted Windows"...
That's why I keep my monitoring script running ;-)

Robin: I understand and respect your reasons to not auto reconnect the DVAPTool software. But would it be possible to add a "reconnect button" to the Tool?
I own a IC92D and it really is frustrating when you have to use the [9] [6] [Control Dial] [5] and [PTT] key over and over again to reconnect when you're faceing a flaky connection. Also a button to connect and a pick-list would be very welcome 8-)

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845. RE: [DVAPDongle] So what?s with the constant disconnects with DVAP?s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-23 15:59:26 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 836 Message: 845

Yeah, I realize it□s got to be the internet connection.

It would be great if the DVAPs would do that the way the DVAR software does BUT its doesn□t so it means having to always check the connection and that□s a chore I don□t care for.

Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of pastormg2@verizon.net
Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2010 11:45 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] So what?s with the constant disconnects with DVAP?s?

Don, you are not the only one with the disconnect problems. It is the internet connection. It seems that if you are running internet explorer or another program that draws from your internet connection it might cause a disconnect. Or if your internet connection has a bug for some reason that can cause an issue. The only solution I see is that if the software would reconnect you once a disconnect occurs that would be the best. But we might wait a very long time before that will happen. Mark KB3Z

Dec 22, 2010 10:38:13 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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846. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: So what’s with t he constant disconnects with DVAP’s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 04:34:27 UTC
From: Tim Barrett
Topic: 835 Message: 846

Hello Bert:

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Tim
On Dec 23, 2010, at 7:26 AM, Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU] wrote:

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847. Cannot fully register my dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 05:04:36 UTC
From: David Warner
Topic: 847 Message: 847

Dear Sir,
Thank you for your reply.
when I try to login it said that my ID or password was wrong. When I tried to reregister it said that I was already registered. I cannot get access to my registration details so that I can correct them or add add to second registration .registration. Could I cancel everything so that I can start a fresh new registration?
David Warner VK2MDW
davidawarner@...

848. RE: [DVAPDongle] advice / opinions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 12:10:25 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 841 Message: 848

Hi Bruce,

I have three hot-spots and two DVAP's, which is to say I have "experience" with both options. The DVAP is the easiest way to enjoy the world of D-Star - as in plug and play! Though as easy as the DVAP is, as you can imagine, your range will be limited with only 10 mw out, however don't underestimate what you can accomplish with that much power. There are many who have their DVAp's connected to a high-gain, outdoor antenna and get as much as 5 to 7 miles out of their DVAP! Thos are extreme examples but they exist. The front end of the DVAP's are as hot as any radio, its just a matter of getting the signal out.

If you want rage and want to snub that guys that are excluding YOU from their repeater, then I'd suggest a hot-spot, which will use an actual radio with anywhere from 10 to 25 to whatever number of watts you establish as part of the system you put together. This way you'll be able to drive around town, aside from be at home and connect to the systems (reflectors and/or repeaters) of your choice. Just know in advance that Hot-spot boards can be temperamental. Either way, I suggest to anyone who's into D-Star to get a DVAP or Hot-Spot to really get to know the D-Star experience. To just know it through the local repeater is not to know it at all. I'll analogize by saying that it's the difference between knowing just the 2 or 3 local channels, Vs someone having the 500 channels from Cable or Satellite - get the picture??

I sincerely wish everyone here a great Holiday!

Donald James ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of brucebarn
Sent: Thursday, December 23, 2010 11:11 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] advice / opinions

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Amy suggestions, comments and advice would be appreciated.

Thank You

Bruce Barnhart AJ4WA

849. Re: [DVAPDongle] advice / opinions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 13:48:20 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 841 Message: 849

I would buy the DVAP! It works great and is easy to use. You would need an radio connected to the GMSK board if you go the Dutchstar route

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Thu, Dec 23, 2010 at 11:10 AM, brucebarn <bruce_barnhart@...>wrote:

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850. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: So what's with the constant disconn ects with DVAP's?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 11:51:12 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 835 Message: 850

My replies follow the ">>>" Below.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Thursday, December 23, 2010 9:40 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: So what's with the constant disconnects with DVAP's?

Hi Donald. The hotspot software drops at the same rate as the dvaptool software. They have an "auto reconnect" feature built in so you don't really notice it as much.

>>> I have three Hot-Spot boards and they're the same in that with the DVAR software they seem rock solid as far as the connections go in contrast to the DVAP's. Yes, I do have the reconnect feature set in the DVAR software but if/when it happens that it needs to do that I've literally never seen it have to. As for the DVAP, I'll wonder why there's no traffic on the repeater or reflector that I'm on and then come to realize that it's no longer connected.

There is a downside to the auto reconnect. Most drops are due to internet problems between you and the connected system, usually closer to your end. If your connection is sufficiently flaky that you often drop, that will probably impact your audio quality when you transmit. This can cause dropped packets and choppy audio. You've probably heard folks that sounded like that.

>>> Yeah, though there are so many reasons why someone drops out. Its often on one side where there are what seems to be packet loss or other examples of latency or phase cancellation in the signal and meanwhile EVERYONE ELSE is hearing both sides of the conversation perfectly. As I was saying to a few on the REF020A yesterday, its amazing how problematic and vulnerable D-Star is. I've certainly embraced it, like I said, I have three hot-spots and two DVAPs, but I can also tell you that P25 pisses all over D-Star as far as a reliable mode of digital radio is concerned!! Yeah, I know, it's another league but in contrast the difference is HUGE!

I elected to not auto reconnect so that users with problematic internet would not make the rest of the connected users suffer. This prompts users to try to work with their internet providers and try to resolve the problem.

>>> If only our issues and complaints got real reactions from our providers and not generic responses. I used to call them and then realized how naive I was being.

I'm considering a solution somewhere in between "always" and "never" reconnect. If you just drop the connection every now and then, it would auto reconnect. If it is a constant problem, it would not auto reconnect. In that way, most users would stay connected while problematic users would not.

>>> No, it's not as though I loose the connection a couple of times an hour, it's better than that but either way, it would be such a plus if the DVAP would have auto connect. Thanks for your reply Robin.

Donald ~ N2VU

851. Re: Cannot fully register my dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 13:54:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 847 Message: 851

Hi David. According to the database, you are fully registered. What problem are you having with the DVAP?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "David Warner" <davidawarner@...> wrote:
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852. Re: [DVAPDongle] advice / opinions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 14:05:47 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 841 Message: 852

At 11:10 AM 12/23/2010, brucebarn wrote:
>...I also would like to avoid tieing up a repeater linking to
>reflectors so I am considering to buy a DVAP to connect to repeaters
>and reflectors with the computer and then use the HT any where in the
>house or yard.

For this short range, the DVAP is ideal. It's 10 milliwatt transmitter gives you a few hundred feet coverage. Add a bigger external antenna (it has an SMA connector) for a little more range - about a mile with a house-mounted base station antenna.

The DVDongle is an alternative. It ties you to operating from your computer, but you can bop between repeaters/reflectors faster, and it gives you more information/feedback on what the repeater/reflectors are doing.

If you find you really like D-STAR, you'll eventually want both. One PC can run both devices at the same time.

>I also wonder if the Dutch Star board is the same...

It connects your computer to an FM radio thru the 9600 baud packet port of the radio, and lets you use that radio as a "relay" for your HT or mobile D-STAR signal into the Internet. In operation, it's the same as the DVAP, but gives you the greater range and better receive selectivity of a full-power mobile radio.

Don't leave the radio in full power, though. It can end up making extended transmissions when connected to a busy reflector, and the radios aren't designed for full-power, continuous transmitting. BTW, it does NOT turn your FM radio into a D-STAR radio - you still need a D-STAR radio to generate the digital data. The FM radio is only a pass-thru device from RF to the Internet.

>or would I need to use a Cross Band Repeat Radio to do the same ?
>Any suggestions, comments and advice would be appreciated.

The ICOM IC-2820 will do crossband repeat of D-STAR signals. Other radios may - I know my Yaesu 8900 does NOT.

Crossband repeat requires being in range of a D-STAR repeater, and as you mentioned, it ties up the repeater. It these days of low usage on most repeaters, that may not be such a bad thing, as most repeater owners would like to see more activity.

Crossband repeat is the most expensive, least flexible option, but the radio has many other uses, of course.

I have all three alternatives, and pick the one that will best do whatever
I want to do at the time.

>Thank You
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73,
Gary KN4AQ

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853. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: So what’s with the constant disconnects with DVAP’s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 14:20:20 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU]
Topic: 835 Message: 853

Thanks for your tip and thinking with me Tim,

I also have 'link' and 'unlink' memory channels in my E92D. But still....
There is a much more convenient way -> the DVAPTool.
Hopefully Robin will consider this option.

73,
Bert PE1KZU

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Op 24-12-10 05:34, Tim Barrett schreef:
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854. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Cannot fully register my dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-24 14:26:12 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 847 Message: 854

Hi David,

Also of note, you should be able to use your call sign without any suffix
letter in the my call box of the DVAP software without any negative effects.
That is how my setup is currently and I have no issue with connectivity.

73, Phil
N8RVS

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> Hi David. According to the database, you are fully registered. What problem
> are you having with the DVAP?
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> 73,
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> > davidawarner@...
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855. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Cannot fully register my dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-25 07:10:56 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 847 Message: 855

Hello David,

You are right. Using the DVAP without a suffix letter has no negative effects.
But here in PA-country we agreed to use a suffix letter to show the band we're operating in.
Amateurs that own a Repeater, Hotspot or DVAP add A, B, C or D to their callsign.
A for 23cm, B for 70cm and C for 2mtr band.
We are still arguing about using the letter D.
Some of us are adding the letter D to show that they are 'Dongle users' others say that the letter D does not represent the band the dongle is operating in.
Also they say that the DVAP strips the "/TEXT" and replaces it by "/DVAP" which makes using the "D" futile.
I have registrerd both "PE1KZU C" and "PE1KZU D". Currently I use the latter because "everybody" knows that dongles only operate in the 2mtr band :-D

73,
Bert PE1KZU

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Op 24-12-10 15:26, Philip Baldwin schreef:
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Hi David,?

Also of note, you should be able to use your call sign without any suffix letter in the my call box of the DVAP software without any negative effects. That is how my setup is currently and I have no issue with connectivity.

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856. RE: [DVAPDongle] advice / opinions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-27 00:53:44 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 841 Message: 856
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

From your QTH, I see a lot more than just 2 repeaters listed.

W4RNT 3 mi
KJ4ARB 7 mi
W4ICY 18 mi
NI4CE 19 mi
N4CLL 20 mi
KJ4BYI 22 mi

As far as the DVAP vs some of the D-STAR boards, well, the DVAP plugs in and you are working in just a few minutes. The other devices will all need to be connected to a radio and adjusted appropriately and then load the software, definitely not plug and play.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of brucebarn
Sent: Thursday, December 23, 2010 11:11 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] advice / opinions

I have a IC-92AD HT and the closest D-Star repeater closest to me has a unfriendly owner who only wants his group of friends to use it. The next closest repeater is almost to far to connect with a HT. I also would like to avoid tieing up a repeater linking to reflectors so I am considering to buy a DVAP to connect to repeaters and reflectors with the computer and then use the HT any where in the house or yard. I also wonder if the Dutch Star board is the same or would I need to use a Cross Band Repeat Radio to do the same ?
Amy suggestions, comments and advice would be appreciated.

Thank You

Bruce Barnhart AJ4WA

857. Re: [DVAPDongle] So what?s with the constant disconnects with DVAP?s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-30 08:24:44 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 836 Message: 857

Hello All,

On this subject; over the holidays I've been watching the screen a little more than I normally do.

I have what I consider to be a fairly good Internet connection, but I also suffer lots of disconnections, especially on Reflector 5.

Anyway watching the screen I see the odd; "Missed keep alive request" but if it ever gets above a count of 2 the process seems to get on an unstopable roll and the next keep alive requests pour in one after the other and I'm disconnected within seconds. Shouldn't the keep alive requests be more spread out rather than coming all at once?

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Best regards, John G8KBP mailto:kvp@...

858. Re: So what?s with the constant disconnects with DVAP?s?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2010-12-30 13:09:51 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 836 Message: 858

Hi John. The keepalive packets are sent from both ends, one per second. The "all at once" you see is due to a block of all the packets in one direction or the other. If too many are missed in a row, the connection is dropped. When a keepalive packet is received, the counter is reset to zero.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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859. Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-01 19:43:05 UTC
From: brucebarn
Topic: 859 Message: 859

I got my new DVAP 2 days ago, cannot use it to talk. I have no problem to link up to any reflector, but it is receive only. I have tried to put an "A" in the eigth place in my call sign and I have tried putting a "C" there. Can't get it to transmit at all.

Thanks for any explantion

Bruce AJ4WA

860. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-02 00:55:32 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 859 Message: 860

Try the instructions.
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

On Sat, Jan 1, 2011 at 2:43 PM, brucebarn <bruce_barnhart@hotmail.com>wrote:

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> Bruce AJ4WA
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861. Re: Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-02 01:46:08 UTC
From: kj4rtd
Topic: 859 Message: 861

Bruce,

I purchased a DVAP a few days ago also. I was confused about it too. The manager at HRO in Atlanta, Mark KJ4VO was a big help. Mark had sent me a file by email to program my new IC80AD a few days earlier. The file was mainly for the Georgia area. But with the file and the DVAP settings preprogrammed in the file itself, he was able to walk me through the set up by telephone and we checked it out over RF. I think there is an HRO in Orlando. I am new at DSTAR myself. So, I suggest you contact HRO in Orlando or Atlanta. Also, review the following website: http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

Stuart KJ4RTD

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862. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-02 03:45:26 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 859 Message: 862

At 02:43 PM 1/1/2011, brucebarn wrote:
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>a "C" there. Can't get it to transmit at all.
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>Thanks for any explantion
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>Bruce AJ4WA

You appear to have registered two Terminals for AJ4WA, one with an "A" at the end and one with a "B" (and none with a "C").

The "A" probably should have worked (though I think those are used mostly for repeaters, and that might be the problem). You might try registering a terminal with NO 8th character and see how that works. Keep it simple.

And keep in mind that after you register, it can take hours before all the repeaters know about your new "identity." It won't work right away.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Cary, NC
919-380-9944
kn4aq@...

863. DVAP loves DVDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-02 18:49:32 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 863 Message: 863

A while ago I wished aloud for an iPhone/Android app that would do D-Star. It got the juices flowing on the Groups; that was informative (and fun {;-)

Here's another wonder: is it possible to add/hack/convert DVAP to function like the DVDongle? Say my IC-92AD is dead, or birds made off with my Comet--it would be useful to have DVDongle functionality as a fall back.

Any thoughts on this? And please forgive if it's been discussed (to death) already.

73! David
KC2WNW

864. Re: DVAP loves DVDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-02 19:05:18 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 863 Message: 864

Hi David.

The DVAP is very different than the DV Dongle. It does not have the AMBE codec chip (since your radio already has one). As a result, it does not have DV Dongle functionality.

73,
Robin
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865. RE: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-03 00:19:32 UTC
From: Bruce Barnhart
Topic: 859 Message: 865

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I have been obver the instructions many times - my radio is programed just like it says. I have
tried the A - B - C and nothing in the eighth position. Nothing works. Somebody email me and said
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I have searched the web the last couple of days and can't find much info about it then whats on
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to have a DV Dongle which I do not have. I think I made a mistake buying it because of the lack of
information out their. It really doesn't come with any instructions or help guide.

Thanks

Bruce AJ4WA

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: pbaldwin@...
Date: Sat, 1 Jan 2011 19:55:32 -0500
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

Try the instructions. http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

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Bruce AJ4WA

866. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-03 02:15:51 UTC
From: Murray Pierce
Topic: 859 Message: 866

I think that you missed part of the software -
I had the same problem, went back and downloaded and ran everything in
sight,--- then the DVAP worked like a charm

On Sun, Jan 2, 2011 at 7:19 PM, Bruce Barnhart
<bruce_barnhart@...>wrote:

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Murray Pierce, VE3IFP ----
Secretary, Mississippi Lodge, No. 147, G. R. C.
Member, Almonte Amateur Radio Club
(http://www.almontearclub.ca)
murray.pierce@...
- and of -
Algonquin Lodge, No. 536,
pierce147@...

if for Mississippi Lodge 147, "Secretary" <pierce147@...>
Note "Mississippi" in subject line

I'm not on vacation, just 7 day weekends

867. Re: Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-03 03:54:24 UTC
From: James
Topic: 859 Message: 867

Hello Bruce,

My turn to try and figure this out. Because I heard you on the Southeast Weather Net with your callsign of KJ4WA in your radio, I believe your call is correctly programmed, if that is the radio you are using. What I would check is your callsign in the Station Callsign field of the DVAP Tool software. According to your terminals that you have available at this moment, you can use "AJ4WA", "AJ4WA A" or "AJ4WA B". Note that two spaces would be required to put the suffix letter of A or B into the 8th position of the Station Callsign field. Getting a receive only message is an indication of an unregistered callsign (not your situation)or miss-typed call (that includes the character in the 8th postion if you are using one).

For additional help, you can contact AES Orlando or HRO Atlanta. There are fellow hams at both stores that can help walk you through this.

Good trouble shooting,

James, N0XIA
Orlando, FL

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> Thanks
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> Bruce AJ4WA

868. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-03 05:38:06 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU]
Topic: 859 Message: 868

Hello Bruce,

First, you did not make a mistake by buying the DVAP dongle.
I bought it last September and I love it!
When I started the only info I had was to go to http://www.dvapdongle.com/ and download the software.
It took me some time before I learned, and found, a local Website where I could register my DVAPdongle.
But eventually I succeeded and registered 3 calls;
PE1KZU
PE1KZU C
PE1KZU D

Currently I have put 'PE1KZU D' in the Station Callsign field of my DVAPTool software.
I can also use one of the other registered call signs, but one at a time.

I assume you have checked that there is a blue LED is blinking once the DVAPTool is operational?
The DVAPdongle actually is a piece of electronics and sometimes they regretfully tend to break :-(

73,
Bert PE1KZU

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Op 03-01-11 01:19, Bruce Barnhart schreef:
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From: pbaldwin@...
Date: Sat, 1 Jan 2011 19:55:32 -0500
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Mode

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Thanks for any explantion

Bruce AJ4WA

869. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP loves DVDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-03 01:07:25 UTC
From: David Korchin
Topic: 863 Message: 869

Thanks, Robin—as I figured. For complete failsafe, I guess I'll get a DVDongle, since no one gifted me with the Icom 9100 {;-)

Best, David
KC2WNW

On Sun, Jan 2, 2011 at 2:05 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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870. Updating DVAP Firmware on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-04 22:17:49 UTC
From: k6brr
Topic: 870 Message: 870

Hi All

I've scanned the posts and haven't seen anything that specifically addresses my issue.

I purchased a DVAP last week and had a great two days of usage. Then the DVAP would drop the connection but I could quit out of the program and reconnect but that really messes up a nice QSO.

I was informed that I needed to update the DVAP Dongle firmware from Windows - I connected the DVAP to a Windows laptop and ran the software that I downloaded from here:

http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Downloads.html

and ran:

DvapUpdater 1.05: (zip archive of the DVAP firmware updater program)

but after I ran the DvapUpdater105 the boot firmware does not update.

AppRev 1.05
BootRev 1.02

The laptop is a current consumer Dell model but it is running Windows Vista Home Premium (an obtuse abomination of an OS) but that's what I'm stuck with.

Will running the updater on a laptop running XP solve this issue?

Do I need to go outside and face Redmond when I do the update?

Thanks & 73,
Dana Jones

871. Re: Updating DVAP Firmware on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-05 12:47:57 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 870 Message: 871

Hi Dana. You are at the current revision level. There have been several posts recently about dropped connections. This is usually an internet issue. Take a look at the posts and see if they help.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k6brr" <k6brr@...> wrote:
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> Thanks & 73,
> Dana Jones
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872. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Updating DVAP Firmware on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-05 19:30:01 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 870 Message: 872

Thanks, Robin.

After posting yesterday evening I restarted my access point and router. Stability seems improved.

Good to know that the firmware is where it needs to be. I was concerned by the BootRev value - now I'm not.

I appreciate the prompt reply. Great job on the DVAP. Really extends my reach from the backwoods!

73,
Dana

On Jan 5, 2011, at 4:47 AM, aa4rc wrote:

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873. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-07 23:39:06 UTC
From: billyjack2682006
Topic: 171 Message: 873

HI this Tom / N9HSM I want to thank you all I got it working. If you all here me I am running a kenwood ts-2000 with a DV-ADAPTER HOOK TO IT. I got my DVAP WORKING TODAY I HAD TO GO IN THE MENU ON THE TS2000 AND CHANGE SOME THINGS PLUS THE DV-ADAPTER. I LIKE MOVE EVERYTHING OVER TO THE FT-8800 BUT CAN'T FIND WHERE IN THE MENU. THANKS ALOT HAMS ...KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.....TOM/N9HSM

874. Need Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-08 07:30:44 UTC
From: Mushtaq
Topic: 874 Message: 874

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My HT Radio
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Is anyone can help me why my callsign been reported at my home DSTAR Node?
Thanks you!
73 de Mushtaq / LA3RIA

875. RE: [DVAPDongle] Need Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-08 13:24:23 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 874 Message: 875
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

What do you mean "reported to you home repeater?" Where is it getting reported to?
Is the repeater hooked up to the same reflector that you have the DVAP connected to?

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Mushtaq
Sent: Saturday, January 08, 2011 2:31 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Need Help

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876. Re: Need Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-08 15:51:44 UTC
From: Mushtaq
Topic: 874 Message: 876

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877. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Need Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-09 05:24:09 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 874 Message: 877

I would assume that your home DSTAR repeater is reading your RF signal?
Your callsign beeing read by a repeater does not necessarily mean that it has to be connected to a reflector only that it is a repeater capable off receiving and converting D* digital signals.

73,
Bert PE1KZU

-sk-

Op 08-01-11 16:51, Mushtaq schreef:

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878. dvaptool under Suse Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-11 18:51:52 UTC
From: wvdheerik
Topic: 878 Message: 878

Goodday
Installed (unpacked) the program on my desk
Opening the map -DVAPTOOL- it gives 1. lib map and 2. DVAPtool which is greycolored and so not to open.

What can be the problem?

Gr.
Wout

879. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvaptool under Suse Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-12 15:04:09 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU]
Topic: 878 Message: 879

Dag Wout,

I don't know what the problem is with your DVAPTool and SuSe. My O/S is Ubuntu and DVAPTool works just fine here. All I can do to help you is send a listing of my files and permissions.
After installing my DVAPTool also appeared on my Desktop but I have moved it and it still works fine.
Ik hoop dat je er iets aan hebt ;-)
This what I have got after installing the DVAPTool;

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ls -laR
.:
totaal 844

drwxr-xr-x 3 bertvdz bertvdz 4096 2010-11-26 18:29 .
drwxr-xr-x 85 bertvdz bertvdz 4096 2011-01-11 14:01 ..
-rwxr-xr-x 1 bertvdz bertvdz 846696 2010-03-01 01:14 DVAPTool
drwxr-xr-x 2 bertvdz bertvdz 4096 2010-02-16 03:04 lib

./lib:
totaal 17496
drwxr-xr-x 2 bertvdz bertvdz 4096 2010-02-16 03:04 .
drwxr-xr-x 3 bertvdz bertvdz 4096 2010-11-26 18:29 ..
lrwxrwxrwx 1 bertvdz bertvdz 18 2010-10-28 09:46 libQtCore.so.4 -> libQtCore.so.4.6.1
-rwxr-xr-x 1 bertvdz bertvdz 3202831 2010-01-18 16:07 libQtCore.so.4.6.1
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880. Configuration question on the call sign lock and "A" at the end of call sign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-13 17:39:08 UTC
From: Dean
Topic: 880 Message: 880

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Thanks
Dean
KB5QJJ

881. Re: Configuration question on the call sign lock and "A" at the end of call sign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-13 18:27:47 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 880 Message: 881

Hi Dean.

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Robin
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882. Re: Configuration question on the call sign lock and "A" at the end of call sign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-13 21:38:58 UTC
From: Dean
Topic: 880 Message: 882

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883. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Configuration question on the call sign lock and "A" at the end of call sign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-13 23:23:49 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 880 Message: 883

I have heard it explained that the A is kind of a courtesy to those that might find your call on a dstar internet dashboard.

If they see an A after your call, it lets them know that you are on a DVAP and that they cannot "Call Route" to your station.

Makes sense?

Brian
WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----

From: Dean

Sent: Jan 13, 2011 1:38 PM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Configuration question on the call sign lock and "A" at the end of call sign

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884. Green Light But No Dongle Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-27 18:55:35 UTC
From: n8ics
Topic: 884 Message: 884

I have been running the Dongle on XP fine. I just got a new Lenovo W510 Laptop running Win 7 Pro. Went through all the install procedures with regular dvap tool and the 2.0 Beta 4. Tool can not see the dongle. Any ideas?

885. Re: Green Light But No Dongle Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-01-27 19:24:59 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 884 Message: 885

Hi. Sometimes we have seen Windows 7 fail to install all of the driver bits correctly. Try going to www.ftdichip.com and download the VCP driver and install it. That should make your device visible again.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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886. Connection Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-01 21:57:09 UTC
From: Ian VK2HK
Topic: 886 Message: 886

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Thanks

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887. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connection Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-02 13:11:16 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 886 Message: 887

G'day Ian,

A couple of things that come to mind...

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Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA

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888. RE: [DVAPDongle] Connection Dropping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-03 09:14:08 UTC
From: Ian VK2HK
Topic: 886 Message: 888

Hi Nik, just checked and running V1.04, so will upgrade to V1.05 and try again.

Ian (VK2HK)

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Nik Presser
Sent: Thursday, 3 February 2011 12:11 AM
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889. Programming API?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-03 19:11:55 UTC
From: mungewell
Topic: 889 Message: 889

Rumor has it that there's an API document for controlling the DVAP-Dongle.... but I can't find it.

Does anyone have a download link?
Simon.

890. Linux CentOS installation - FcFreeType

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-03 20:42:19 UTC
From: dominichawken
Topic: 890 Message: 890

Installing DVAP Dongle software on a fresh CentOS Linux box, the software doesn't run for me. It gives an error -

./DVAPTool: symbol lookup error: lib/libQtGui.so.4: undefined symbol: FcFreeType

You have to run it from the command line to see the error - just double clicking the program icon gives nothing.

Anyway - in case anyone else has the same problems the solution is here:

http://joseph.freivald.com/linux/2010/06/09/qt-4-6-3-and-qt-creator-1-3-1-1-updates-for-centos-5-5/

turns out the fontconfig package isn't imstalled by default, so as per the link above type:

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All good now - maybe needs adding to the FAQ.

Dominic - G6NQO

891. {Spam?} RE: [DVAPDongle] Programming API?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-04 08:41:41 UTC
From: Fred van Kempen
Topic: 889 Message: 891

You can find it on Robin's website under downloads. FBAPtechref100.pdf.

--fred

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mungewell
Sent: Thursday, February 03, 2011 8:12 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Programming API?

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Does anyone have a download link?
Simon.

892. [DVAPDongle] Programming API?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-04 22:21:43 UTC
From: Kenneth Grimard
Topic: 889 Message: 892

what is the link for that site? I just went to www.dvapdongle.com under downloads and could not find the link to that document fred.

ken n1dot

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893. Re: Linux CentOS installation - FcFreeType

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-06 22:55:55 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 890 Message: 893

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Thanks! David KC2WNW

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894. Re: Linux CentOS installation - FcFreeType

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 01:27:25 UTC
From: dominichawken
Topic: 890 Message: 894

Hi David,

Run terminal, go to the path (as you say you already have it - for me it's:

cd ~/Desktop/DVAPTool/

because I expanded the DVAP tools to my desktop. In unix, '~' means 'home directory.

To run the prgram, it's not like Windows or DOS where you just type the filename, in unix you have to put a './' bfore it, so type:

./DVAPTool

and it should run and either launch, or show an error from which you can usually work out what the problem is.

Best,

Dominic.

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895. Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 04:43:06 UTC
From: iceberg iceberg
Topic: 895 Message: 895

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Thanks
Bryan
KB9YEN

896. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 13:11:41 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 895 Message: 896

With a whip antenna on DVAP and 91 I've seen half a mile. Less trees would make it better.

897. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 14:03:17 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 895 Message: 897

I hooked mine up to an external antenna at 20ft on my tower and I can work
it from 1/2 mile away in my mobile

--Fran

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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898. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 12:57:42 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 895 Message: 898

G'day Bryan,

With the DVAP sitting on the window ledge at a house with a 1/4 wave antenna, I get about 700metres of range in an urban environment. With the supplied antenna, it's about 400metres. With a modest base antenna at house roof height, a few kilometres is usually the range. In country areas it's more. You can also x-band repeat these things through a rig like an IC-2820H (in x-band mode and using N-FM) for a range of about 15kms, depending on your base antenna setup. The switching time of the IC-2820H is fast enough for all of the headers to go through. Just run the 2m side at 5watts and the 70cm side at 15w or 50w and it'll be fine.

But as you've been advised, running these things through any type of external PA is not reccommended as all sorts of junk will appear right across the 2metre band.

If I were you, try running the DVAP direct into a decent base antenna first and give that a go. You might be surprised.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Australia
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA

----- Original Message -----
From: iceberg iceberg
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, February 07, 2011 3:43 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

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899. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 14:37:13 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 895 Message: 899

At 11:43 PM 2/6/2011, Bryan KB9YEN wrote:
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>I was wondering if anyone had done any range tests with the DVAP?

Hi, Bryan,

There's lots of experience out here...

>I'm curious about the range I might get in a rural area using an IC-92AD.

That depends on the same thing any VHF/UHF range does - elevation of the antenna and obstructions, power and receive sensitivity. The power is fixed at 10 mW, and the receive sensitivity is OK (but selectivity is zilch). Only you know the elevation.

>Are there any performance gains from using a non-stock antenna?

Absolutely. The little micro-ducky supplied is for convenience, but provides only a few hundred feet range. Connect the DVAP to an external "base station" antenna on the roof - say 30 feet above ground, in level terrain with only other, similar houses around - and you can get a mile or more with a mobile. A little less with an HT. Of course, the elevation and antenna on the HT count, too. This is just radio.

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>highly not recommended.

The DVAP transmitter is "dirty" (Robin may want to pick a different word) - lots of noise across the band. At 10 mW, the problem is very local (it wipes out all the VHF channels on all the radios in my car when it keys up). You don't want to amplify it.

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>car but the IC-92AD has some issues depending on where in town I am. If I
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That sounds about right.

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The SHR999 is an extended HT antenna. That will improve the range from a few hundred feet to maybe 1000 feet, if the DVAP is just sitting on a shelf on the ground floor, but it won't give you the range you're looking for.

An external antenna on the roof, even a modest one, fed with good coax, will probably cover the 5 blocks to your HT.

An alternative is a "HotSpot" - this is a circuit board and software that connects between your computer and the "data" jack of an analog FM radio. The FM radio becomes the equivalent of the DVAP - it receives your D-STAR signal and passes the data along to the computer to be routed to D-STAR gateways via the Internet. It's not as "plug-and-play" as a DVAP (and I can't point you to a specific source to buy one), but it lets you use more power and a better receiver. If you've already got an FM base station - a relatively recent model with a 9600 data connector - it's an option.

Even if the DVAP doesn't make it to your friend's house, you'll probably find it useful around your house.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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900. RE: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 15:04:34 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 895 Message: 900
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I use my DVAP at home connected to an outdoor antenna of 7db gain at twenty feet. I can use it for about ¼ mile with my IC80AD handheld, and up to one mile with my 880 mobile. I have communicated through it from over two miles away but I was stationary at the time and obviously in a great spot.

As some folks say here, you mileage may vary (YMMV)!

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of iceberg iceberg
Sent: Sunday, February 06, 2011 11:43 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

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901. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Linux CentOS installation - FcFreeType

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 15:15:23 UTC
From: David Korchin
Topic: 890 Message: 901

Perfect! makes sense. Will give it a try... thanks for the knowledge.

David,
KC2WNW

On Sun, Feb 6, 2011 at 8:27 PM, dominichawken <dom@...> wrote:

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902. {Spam?} RE: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 15:26:45 UTC
From: Fred van Kempen
Topic: 895 Message: 902

Bryan,

When I travel, I take my DVAP with me. Usually, the DVAP then runs with its stub,
and my IC92 uses another such stub. In my laptop bag (which is where the DVAP
normally "lives" ;-) I also keep an SRH999 and a somewhat souped-up "regular"
duck.. the SRH sometimes goes onto the DVAP, and the duck then goes onto the IC92.

Range is not spectacular, but I can usually walk around in the hotels and still be in
range.

I strongly recommend against using any kind of RF amp with this baby.. I tried, and
it works, but with hefty side effects. Dont forget: the chip used was not designed for
this "extended range" trick: its frontend is horrible, and its output stage filtering is even
worse, meaning, you'd be spewing several watts of junk into the air along with your
GMSK babbles :)

I can do about 100 to 250m with the above config, max, usually less.

(note: when in hotels, always request a room as high as possible in the building ;-)

--fred

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of iceberg iceberg
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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

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903. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 15:59:05 UTC
From: Cory Spankowski
Topic: 895 Message: 903

Hello,

I use a dual band Diamond SRH77CA with my DVAP (mounted on the backside of my PC monitor) and have been able to get about 3-4 blocks away with an HT, that is with a moderate amount of foliage, etc.

I hope this helps.

Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P
WI9EMS

-Sent from my iPad-

On Feb 7, 2011, at 6:48 AM, "iceberg iceberg" <ice_berg_@yahoo.com> wrote:

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904. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 16:10:39 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 895 Message: 904

Bryan

I can speak to the anecdotal performance of my system - can't get too much into the theory.

I'm using a 91AD with the DVAP. I've connected the DVAP to my Comet 2M/440 base antenna (might be the 333, forgot) on the roof using an SMA to SO-239 adapter.

Running the DVAP at 80% of full power and the HT on low power I'm able to carry on a good QSO from a mile away. If I'm walking it does it's R2D2 thing until I get to about 1/4 mile then it's solid.

Very little RF out here though so your mileage may vary.

Dana
K6BRR

On Feb 6, 2011, at 8:43 PM, iceberg iceberg wrote:

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905. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 16:43:37 UTC
From: Paul Beeman
Topic: 895 Message: 905

Brain for what it is worth I too have tried to extend the range of the DVAP but without any active equipment. I have connected the output of the DVAP to a dual band twinlead J pole hung from our living room ceiling (15 ft height). With the IC92 in the car connected to a dual band "Hershey Kiss" type magnetic mount antenna on the roof of the car I have worked through the DVAP repeatedly to one mile in distance, E-W, N and S. I do not live in a treeless area. But here on Long Island (NY) most of the area around me on the south shore ,about 45 miles east of NYC, is flat and no high buildings. As expected the range of the DVAP in this configuration falls off very quickly after the mile. I am plese that 10 mw can cover the one mile distance. I am always able to re-establish communications by moving location about a one block closer to the DVAP from where I lose the DVAP signal.

I have spent some time looking at 5-7 watt SSPAs, filters, etc, and have found that listening to the advise of the DVAP developer to be the best path. Simply, the DVAP was not built to be a long range device.

73s, Paul W2PB

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> route and invest in the DVAP.
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> Thanks
> Bryan
> KB9YEN
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Paul Beeman

906. Re: Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 19:05:42 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 895 Message: 906

Hi Brian,
Here are some details on how to extend the range of a DVAP without having to use a xband radio.

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle/message/485

73
Ron

907. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 19:19:00 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 895 Message: 907

I get 1/4 mile in suburban Chicago with the mobile. It goes for a block and 1/2 with the HT. This it with a whip connnected to it inside the house. The outdoor DB224 at 8 feet brings that range out to a mile in the primary lobe and 6 tenths of a mile off of the back.

73 de KA9SCF.

On Feb 7, 2011, at 8:11, Chris Fowler <k4fh@...> wrote:

> With a whip antenna on DVAP and 91 I've seen half a mile. Less trees
> would make it better.
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908. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 19:37:26 UTC
From: David Korchin
Topic: 895 Message: 908

Let's start thinking about DVAP 2.0—a more robust device for longer range
{;-)

On Mon, Feb 7, 2011 at 11:43 AM, Paul Beeman <paul.beeman@...> wrote:

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>
> Brain for what it is worth I too have tried to extend the range of the DVAP
> but without any active equipment. I have connected the output of the DVAP to
> a dual band twinlead J pole hung from our living room ceiling (15 ft
> height). With the IC92 in the car connected to a dual band "Hershey Kiss"
> type magnetic mount antenna on the roof of the car I have worked through the
> DVAP repeatedly to one mile in distance, E-W, N and S. I do not live in a
> treeless area. But here on Long Island (NY) most of the area around me on
> the south shore ,about 45 miles east of NYC, is flat and no high buildings.
> As expected the range of the DVAP in this configuration falls off very
> quickly after the mile. I am plese that 10 mw can cover the one mile
> distance. I am always able to re-establish communications by moving location
> about a one block closer to the DVAP from where I lose the DVAP signal.
>
> I have spent some time looking at 5-7 watt SSPAs, filters, etc, and have
> found that listening to the advise of the DVAP developer to be the best
> path. Simply, the DVAP was not built to be a long range device.
>
> 73s, Paul W2PB
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> On Sun, Feb 6, 2011 at 11:43 PM, iceberg iceberg <ice_berg_@...>wrote:
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>> I was wondering if anyone had done any range tests with the DVAP?
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>> Im curious about the range I might get in a rural area using an IC-92AD.
>> Are there any performance gains from using a non-stock antenna? I did search
>> and read that even a low power RF amp to even as low as 2W is highly not
>> recommended. The nearest D-Star repeater to me I can hit easily with the
>> IC-880h in the car but the IC-92AD has some issues depending on where in
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> Paul Beeman
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david korchin | onecameraonelens.com | 347.469.0712

909. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 20:07:05 UTC
From: DALE
Topic: 895 Message: 909

I can get about a mile with my outside antenna.
Not very useful as I am either home or more than a mile away.
I use the stubby ant, just tested the outdoor one out of curiosity .
The purpose of the DVAP is very short range.
Dale

----- Original Message -----
From: "iceberg iceberg" <ice_berg_@yahoo.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, February 6, 2011 8:43:06 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

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Thanks
Bryan
KB9YEN

910. Problems using DVAP this weekend.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 21:17:20 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 910 Message: 910

Hi All,

I've had problems all weekend using the DVAP dongle. The voice responses were absent when I attempted linking up. When connecting to REF001C, I wouldn't get anything either but I would start hearing everyone if there was activity on the reflector. Here's the detailed output. It looks like I'm not getting to the gateway:

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MacOS pgreen$ ./DVAPTool
DVAPTool version 1.02
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=KA9SCF
DVDevice=/dev/cu.usbserial-A6007EZI
Frequency=145790000
SquelchLevel=-77
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: MacOS X SnowLeopard
FTDI serial device cu.usbserial-A6007EZI found
Callsign set to KA9SCF
Frequency set to 145790000
new frequency (145790000)
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (KA9SCF)
Opening DVAP device /dev/cu.usbserial-A6007EZI
Opened device /dev/cu.usbserial-A6007EZI
Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Device serial number (AP021025)
Device boot firmware version (1.03)
Device app firmware version (1.05)
Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 148000000)
Device receive frequency (145790000)
Device transmit frequency (145790000)
Finished reading from name server
Device modulation mode (GMSK)
DStar name server text message received ->You are running the latest
version of DVAPTool.
Please check the DVAPDongle yahoo group for future software updates

Ascp device started
Squelch open, device rss (-69)
rss (-62)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur DVAP I my KA9SCF /PAT fc c102 OK
Starting ID request (DVAP I)
rss (-57)
rss (-54)
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Local RF stream end
Processing command (DVAP I)
Squelch closed, device rss (-69) min (-69) max (-54)
Processing 121 records from DVTool file
:/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/dvap-id.dvtool
Playing 121 records from dvtool file dvap-id.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KA9SCF /DVAP fc 9da2 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-70)
rss (-63)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur W9CEQ CL my KA9SCF /PAT fc 1189 OK
Starting Link request (W9CEQ CL)
rss (-57)
rss (-54)
rss (-52)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway W9CEQ
state change 2 Connecting to W9CEQ
state change 4 Authenticating...
Squelch closed, device rss (-66) min (-70) max (-52)
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Squelch open, device rss (-68)
rss (-61)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur REF001CL my KA9SCF /PAT fc 0978 OK
Starting Link request (REF001CL)
rss (-56)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF001
Squelch closed, device rss (-67) min (-68) max (-51)
Squelch open, device rss (-66)
New local RF stream:
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hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur U my KA9SCF /PAT fc f0b9 OK
Starting Unlink request ( U)
rss (-60)
rss (-55)
rss (-53)
Local RF stream end
Disconnect requested
Processing 135 records from DVTool file
:/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/alreadyunlinked.dvtool
Playing 135 records from dvtool file alreadyunlinked.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KA9SCF /DVAP fc 9da2 OK
Transmit state (ON)
rss (-127)
Squelch closed, device rss (-127) min (-127) max (-53)
Disconnect requested while not currently linked
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)
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Any help would be appreciated.

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

911. Re: Problems using DVAP this weekend.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 22:26:24 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 910 Message: 911

Hi Pat. We've seen this exact problem recently. I turned out to be the DSL/Cable modem/router. You might try to power cycle the modem to see if it makes a difference. In the recent case, it did not. They had to replace the modem and then it worked perfectly.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Patrick Green <pagreen@...> wrote:
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912. Re: Range tests? Use LMR240 LMR400 or LMR 600

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-07 23:01:24 UTC
From: ronchap@att.net
Topic: 895 Message: 912

Just a quick note. If you are trying to extend the range of the DVAP with an external antenna such as the Diamond DX50 vertical.
Since the DVAP only puts out 10mW. You're going to need to use very low loss cable with proper connectors attached. Do not use converters or adapters.

If you're only going to be running 20 feet or less of cable. LMR 240 will be just fine. If you're going to go out to 40 feet. You should use LMR 400. Out to 100 feet. use LMR 600.
I tried 9913 hard line and had to much loss. You need to use LMR cable.

I've done lots of range testing with many setups as maybe some of you all ready know from talking to me on 1C.

If you wish to talk about this further off site. Please feel free to Email me.

73
Ron KA2HZO

913. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Range tests? Use LMR240 LMR400 or LMR 600

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-08 01:54:07 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 895 Message: 913

I couldn't agree more, as mentioned in my original reply to this thread, I use LMR-600UF (with N connectors). Even if only 6 or 7 mw make it to the antenna, the ERP is about 14mw's. My friend Nick - VE2HOT uses LDF4, which goes to a high gain stick on his tower and I've seen for myself how he gets pretty close to 5 miles!! Granted there's barely an S meter reading but it proves how with D-Star / digital that its good to the very end!!

With anything less that LMR-600 or LDF, the feedline drinks up whatever the DVAP puts out.

Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ronchap@...
Sent: Monday, February 07, 2011 6:01 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Range tests? Use LMR240 LMR400 or LMR 600

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Ron KA2HZO

914. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-08 04:24:55 UTC
From: Bob K0NR (email list)
Topic: 895 Message: 914

I've had similar results.

Bob K0NR

On 2/7/2011 6:11 AM, Chris Fowler wrote:
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915. D-Star Forums at HamCation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-08 14:57:02 UTC
From: kj4g
Topic: 915 Message: 915

For those going to Orlando this weekend for Hamcation, there will be a D-STAR Forum on Saturday from 1:45 to 3:15 pm. The Forum will be held in the Children's Safety Village, just 1500' east of the main entrance at 910 Fairvilla Road, in Classroom II. The Village is a short walk from the main buildings and has indoor rooms for a comfortable setting.

The topics to be presented are:
Radio Programming Ed Woodrick, WA4YIH
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D-RATS John Davis, WB4QDX
Airborne D-STAR Scott Hartlage, KF4PWI

Come join your fellow D-STAR enthusiasts at Hamcation.

916. Re: Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-08 16:31:34 UTC
From: iceberg iceberg
Topic: 895 Message: 916

WOW, thanks to everyone that replied. That's a great deal of info. It looks like if I attach my X50A to the DVAP I should be good to reach the local neighborhood.

Bryan
KB9YEN

917. Re: Programming API?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-08 20:34:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 889 Message: 917

Hi Ken. The technical reference is now up on the downloads page at dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Kenneth Grimard <kgrimard@...> wrote:
>
> what is the link for that site? I just went to www.dvapdongle.com under
> downloads and could not find the link to that document fred.
>
> ken n1dot
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> On 2/4/2011 3:41 AM, Fred van Kempen wrote:
> >
> >
> > You can find it on Robin's website under downloads. FBAPtechref100.pdf.
> >
> > --fred
> >
> >
> > ---
> > *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> > *On Behalf Of *mungewell
> > *Sent:* Thursday, February 03, 2011 8:12 PM
> > *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> > *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] Programming API?
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> >
> > Rumor has it that there's an API document for controlling the
> > DVAP-Dongle.... but I can't find it.
> >
> > Does anyone have a download link?
> > Simon.
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> >
> > ---
> >
> > avast! Antivirus <http://www.avast.com>: Inbound message clean.

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> >
> > Virus Database (VPS): 110204-0, 02/04/2011
> > Tested on: 2/4/2011 5:08:52 PM
> > avast! - copyright (c) 1988-2011 AVAST Software.
> >
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918. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Range tests?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-08 20:39:10 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 895 Message: 918

Yes. I have the DVAP plugged to a X50NA with LMR-600 and it gives me a good 1.5 miles+ !!

Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of iceberg iceberg
Sent: Tuesday, February 08, 2011 11:32 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Range tests?

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919. Re: D-Star Forums at HamCation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-09 17:06:34 UTC
From: k6clm
Topic: 915 Message: 919

The D-STAR forum is the main reason I'm going. Do you think it will fill up or be hard to get in? This will be my first trip to Hamcation.

I'll be monitoring the Orlando digital repeaters inbound from Tampa. I can't wait for this talk!

Cameron
K6CLM

920. WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-16 04:20:13 UTC
From: spizzed
Topic: 920 Message: 920

Good evening all.
Is there anyone on list who has found themselves with an extra DVAP that they may be willing to part with?
Contact me off list @ KF4UOD@...
Thanks and 73

921. RE: [DVAPDongle] WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-16 13:06:35 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 920 Message: 921

I suggest that you keep an eye on eBay. I have two and wouldn't mind another two. They're GREAT!

Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of spizzed
Sent: Tuesday, February 15, 2011 11:20 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] WTB DVAP

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Thanks and 73

922. Re: D-Star Forums at HamCation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-17 16:04:49 UTC
From: Mike Heitmann
Topic: 915 Message: 922

... and a great presentation it was! Big THANK YOU to the presenters!

73,
Mike, N0SO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kj4g" <pauleakin@...> wrote:
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923. Ultra-portable Operations Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-19 15:45:10 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 923 Message: 923

Has anyone tried DVAP on the Nokia 810m Internet Tablet? It's a Maemo-based Linux handheld, with true Terminal, up to a GB of memory, Wi-Fi only, a real USB port, and about the size of a deck of cards. Older tech (if you count 3 years as being "old" {;-). But I saw this on ebay and thought "hmmmm...."

http://cgi.ebay.com/Nokia-N810-Internet-Tablet-OS2008-EXCELLENT-/170593451216?pt=PDA_s_Pocket_PC_s&hash=item27b8297cd0#ht_24947wt_1141

Any thoughs?

73s, David KC2WNW

924. DV Dongle for Blind Hams

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-19 22:25:57 UTC
From: ychingola
Topic: 924 Message: 924

Is there a way for totally blind operators to operate the DV Dongle (Not the DVAP)
My fellow ham uses a text to speech app called JAWS.
thanks Bill VA7ZBL

925. Re: [DVAPDongle] Ultra-portable Operations Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-19 22:42:34 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 923 Message: 925

JMHO, but the BIN price seems a bit steep on that "older tech" device considering what is available today. Others like that one that are open for bidding seem to be going quite a bit cheaper.

n7mk

On 2/19/2011 8:45 AM, david Korchin wrote:
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> Any thoughs?
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> 73s, David KC2WNW
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926. Tips for a new DVAP owner

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-20 02:18:05 UTC
From: wmayfieldus
Topic: 926 Message: 926

All,

I am fairly new to DSTAR. There is a DSTAR repeater in our area but I like the possibilities available through the DVAP especially when traveling. So I ordered one yesterday and I should have it Tuesday.

Would like any tips you guys might offer. The primary question I have is what simplex channel seems to work the best. I know it depends on your are, but is there one or two that seem to have less interference in most areas?

Walt - KE5SOO

927. RE: [DVAPDongle] Tips for a new DVAP owner

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-20 17:11:14 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 926 Message: 927

Walt, you'll love your DVAP, I have two and plan to get more. I program two favourite reflectors right now and scan them both the the two frequencies I programmed in my radio - assigned to a bank. Anyway, when you get yours, download the Readme for DvapFMSetup, DvapUpdater, and DvapUtil its gives you a band scope which will let you see the noise on the band so that you can choose a quiet part of the simplex part. It works well. Also make sure to update the firmware to v1.05.

Donald James ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of wmayfieldus
Sent: Saturday, February 19, 2011 9:18 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Tips for a new DVAP owner

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928. Re: [DVAPDongle] Ultra-portable Operations Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-20 18:26:46 UTC
From: eperlan
Topic: 923 Message: 928

Agreed. This far down the calendar, I would expect them to be cheaper. Then again, they are hackable if you know Linux, and if you get Java on there (don't see why not) and it has the right USB goodness, it could be a nice little unit.

Has Bluetooth, too, so you could hack it for the Dongle!

KC2WNW

On Feb 19, 2011, at 5:42 PM, Mark Krotz <mkrotz@...> wrote:

> JMHO, but the BIN price seems a bit steep on that "older tech" device
> considering what is available today. Others like that one that are open
> for bidding seem to be going quite a bit cheaper.
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929. Gateway List Unavailable...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-21 01:01:17 UTC
From: Al
Topic: 929 Message: 929

I am attempting to run DVAPTool-1.02 and am experiencing an error that states, "No Gateways Found", "Please close DVAPTool and check your internet connection before restarting"

My internet connection works well on all four computers here at the house...

Anyone know what's up???

Al/ W8AII

930. No Gateways found?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-21 02:22:44 UTC
From: n1toq@arrl.net
Topic: 930 Message: 930

I am trying to use my DVAP and when I open up the software, everything looks ok but I get a message that says Gateway Unknown. The "dos" screen says Gateway list unavailable. I reset my router ans tried this on 2 different computers, rebooted. The blue light flashes on the dongle but it won't connect to gateway. Internet works fine. Any suggestions? Thanks and 73 N1TOQ

931. Re: Gateway List Unavailable...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-21 02:56:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 929 Message: 931

Hi Al. There was a network issue at the primary name server ISP this evening. The issue has been resolved so you should be back up and running. A secondary is in place and running. I just need to send out an update to DVAPTool that fails over to it. That should happen shortly.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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932. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Gateways found?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-21 03:10:13 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 930 Message: 932

Try this on a different Internet connection. I experience an issue where I can't use the system at all when on certain types of routers.

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

On Sun, Feb 20, 2011 at 8:22 PM, <n1toq@...> wrote:

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933. Re: No Gateways found?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-21 20:56:29 UTC
From: matt_vk2acl
Topic: 930 Message: 933

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, n1toq@... wrote:
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I had the same problem, apparently there was a network issue with the D-Star primary name server, so the DVTool couldn't get the gateway list. It's back working now, and to reduce the likelihood of this happening again, Robin is going to release a new version of DVTool that will fail over to a secondary nameserver in the case that the primary is not available.

73,
Matt VK2ACL

934. DVAP utility or application that allows point and click Reflector Linking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-25 14:04:30 UTC
From: JF
Topic: 934 Message: 934

Hi All,

I was wondering if there was software out there that works with the DVAP that allows Reflector linking and unlinking through the PC/laptop interface?
As it is now, linking/unlinking is handled through the radio to the PC/laptop running the DVAP tools utility.

When in front of the computer, it would be nice to be able to just point and click to to linkup/unlink from various reflectors to make the process easier.

Thanks,

Jon
AE6GT

935. DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-28 14:32:29 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 935 Message: 935

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Thanks,
Mike
KC7VE

936. Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-02-28 14:40:18 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 936 Message: 936

I think, in my case, the answer is no.

I have need of DVDongle, for a trip I'm taking to Japan. I will have a Japanese license (already applied for and on the way), but it won't cover DVAP, since that technically requires two radios (one on each end. The DVAP is a radio and I'll have to use a radio to communicate with it). It's so new, no one might care. And it's low power so no one might catch it. But I like to play legal.

But technically, in Japan, when you have something like this, and communicating with your own station, it requires 2 licenses, just as IRLP does.

So, the DVDongle will allow me to communicate over DStar, while in Japan. It requires no radios, and doesn't fall under the radio regulations. There are no D-STAR repeaters, in the area I'll be staying.

But, with regards to the topic, in general, does the DVAP negate the need for DVDongle?

Mike
KC7VE

937. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 01:52:26 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 935 Message: 937

Mike,
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and be called through the reflector.
The DVAP uses connection through Dplus, which does not do call routing.
So to answer your question, the DVAP (or DONGLE) will not respond to call sign
routing.
Please, someone correct me if I am wrong.

I have my DVAP software (the one from Dutch*Star) set to WB5EKU A.

Hope this helps
73
Don WB5EKU

On Mon, Feb 28, 2011 at 6:32 AM, ipscone <kc7ve@...> wrote:

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938. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 02:04:05 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 935 Message: 938

A short answer, No. DVAP's & Dongles aren't "routable". Sorry.

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939. RE: [DVAPDongle] Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 02:07:41 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 936 Message: 939
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

If you already own a D-Star handheld, then I would say, "Yes, the DVAP negates the need for a Dongle."

If you don't currently own a D-Star handheld and want to get into D-Star the least expensive way, then the DVDongle alone might be the way to go.

They both connect you to the "network," to D-Star reflectors and repeaters. One gives you a certain amount of mobility around your home or property, while the other requires you to be "rock bound" to your computer to monitor and talk, unless you use a Bluetooth headset/mic with your computer.

What does the customer (you) want? D-Star the least expensive way, using your computer mic and speakers (or headset/boom mic) or the mobility of the DVAP and a handheld at greater cost? Of course, you can also use a D-Star mobile with the DVAP instead of a handheld.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ipscone
Sent: Monday, February 28, 2011 9:40 AM
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Subject: [DVAPDongle] Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

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940. Re: Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 03:08:30 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 936 Message: 940

Another missed point.

I wasn't wondering which to buy or if I need to buy both. My question was just a question to see why others feel they NEED both.

I gave my reasons. I have a D-Star radio but NEED both. A DV Dongle doesn't require 2 licenses for use in Japan. A DVAP technically does, the same as IRLP, WIRES and other VoiP/Radio applications where a single operator communicates with his own node. So, I NEED both.

But like I said, I wasn't looking for a description of both, to decide which is right for me. I already have that information. I was merely inquiring why others feel they need both.

Mike

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941. Re: DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 03:11:23 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 935 Message: 941

Thanks, that makes sense. If I have a cell connection, why not just stay connected to a reflector. Anyone could see I'm online and just contact me that way.

The reason I asked is because I'm going to be going on a 5,000 mile round trip, road trip and I wanted to have the maximum connectivity. I will have RF, IRLP node, EchoLink and now D-Star connectivity for my entire trip.

Thanks,

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942. Re: DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 03:26:39 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 935 Message: 942

Followup:

Ok, no routing. But if I'm on my HT talking through the DVAP, does that also mean I can't control the DVAP, from my HT? I mean can I use the HT to change what I'm linked to? Bring up links, unlink, etc? OR must everything be setup in the DVAP and I'm stuck with that setting until I change it from the PC application.

I guess I'll need to get the manual or read more about this. In any case, I'm getting one. It will arrive tomorrow.

Thanks for the reply.

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KC7VE

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943. RE: [DVAPDongle] Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 03:29:44 UTC
From: Bob McCormick W1QA
Topic: 936 Message: 943

I would also think that if you're sitting in Japan (or anywhere) using the DV Dongle ... you can use whatever amateur radio license you like as there isn't an RF component really happening. (You'd have mic to PC to dongle to Internet to some part of the D-Star infrastructure and then the reverse would be back from the Internet through the dongle and out the computer audio device.)

I have both (the DVAP and DV Dongle) ... and when I'm traveling I think its easier sometimes to just use the DV Dongle and the mic/speaker with the notebook. But I've also used the DVAP - but as you've pointed out ... that's two RF devices and there may be some licensing issues you'd need to consider.

Lastly - as already pointed out ... just connect to a reflector (versus repeater) and let the dplus stuff take care of it all (don't worry or bother with the native ICOM callsign routing).

Bob W1QA

944. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 04:40:01 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 935 Message: 944
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Short answer is that the DVAP and DVDongle do not support call sign routing.

Even if they did, odds are that your mobile connection wouldn't allow inbound connections. Most operators NAT their addresses, breaking inbound access.

DVAPs and DVDongles connect to either repeaters or reflectors. If people want to find you, just let them know what repeater or reflector that you are going to connect to. This can be seen by looking at the last heard list at www.dstarusers.org<http://www.dstarusers.org>. Or by watching the status page on repeaters or the status page on the reflectors (can be found from the reflectors page on www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.DSTARInfo.com>).

Most people use the same callsign through their DVAP as they do through normal repeaters.

Ed WA4YIH

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945. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 13:06:32 UTC
From: hrmaddox@nettally.com
Topic: 935 Message: 945

Mike
You can change channels, link, unlink etc from HT as long as you are within range of the DVAP antenna. . The DVAP is just a dumb terminal so to speak.
Ro k4hrm
Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

-----Original Message-----
From: "ipscone" <kc7ve@msdsite.com>
Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Tue, 01 Mar 2011 03:26:39
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP - Call routing

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946. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 15:05:35 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 936 Message: 946

I have 4 bicycles, but only one sportcoat!

We all have reasons for owning whatever we have, maybe someone gave us something, maybe we like the color of one?

If I ran any "nets" on dstar I would for sure use the Dongle as the software interface supplies you with lots of information as to who is checking in etc.

They both get you on dstar, but using a different interface.

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----

From: ipscone

Sent: Feb 28, 2011 7:08 PM

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> Sent: Monday, February 28, 2011 9:40 AM

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947. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 15:11:48 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 935 Message: 947

You can control how the DVAP links and unlinks to reflectors or repeaters just like you would control your local repeater with a handheld or mobile radio.

I programmed one bank in my HT and mobile radio for DVAP use only. Channel 00 is my "home channel" where I talk. Channel 01 is programmed with the unlink command, chan 02 is the "I" command, chan 3 is the "E" command, and chans up from there are programmed with link commands for all the reflectors and repeaters I may want to use. After I quick-key on a repeater or reflector channel to establish the link, I punch "00" on the keypad to return to the home channel to talk. When done, I turn the knob one channel up and quick-key to unlink.

The DVAP operates just like a repeater with a Gateway except that it doesn't repeat signals locally and doesn't do callsign routing.

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948. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 15:27:23 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 936 Message: 948

Sorry to have disappointed.

I had a DVDongle shortly after they came out and was not satisfied with it and sold it. I should note that the Dongle software has improved a lot since then and I might like it now but haven't re-tried it. When the DVAP came out, I bought it and an IC80AD to use when my extended family took our annual summer vacation to a Gulf coast seaside town. I wanted to "keep in touch" and the DVAP seemed the best way to do it. I also was wanting to break into D-Star. There is no Ham repeater within range of where we vacation. I used the free Wi-Fi hotspot at the Marina for Internet access and was pleasantly surprised at the ease of communications. I could also have used EchoLink on my laptop to keep in touch through FM repeaters/nodes, which would have been similar to linking to D-Star nodes with a DVDongle.

I have also used the DVAP with a laptop and aircard while mobile, and most recently with a Mi-Fi cellular hotspot device from Verizon. While there are occasional signal drops in the cellular system while driving through one system after another, it has worked very well for mobile D-Star use. While operating like this, my handheld becomes nothing more than a wireless mic when talking to the DVAP.

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73 de Tim, AF1G

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949. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 16:11:26 UTC
From: Fred van Kempen
Topic: 935 Message: 949

A DVAP is a combination of a tiny little transceiver with what is now known as a 'hotspot board' or 'GMSK modem board' in a small package.

Coupled with the right software on the PC (or Mac), this device can be seen as a lil' personal repeater, yes. This in turn means: you ALWAYS need a "D-STAR radio" to communicate *through* it: a DVAP does not know anything about audio frames, AMBE chips and so on. Its just a (digital) repeater.

Depending on the software used on the host, you will be able to connect to and communicate through a DPlus-based network (reflectors and many gateways and/or hotspots), a DExtra-based network (x-reflector systems) and, in some cases, even operate as true G2 repeaters (using callsign routing) - this depends entirely on the host software, not on the device.

So... when used 'on the road', it can connect to many, but: you will still need to bring your D-STAR mobile radio or HT (erm... and try not to forget its charger *cough* !)

If you don't wanna bring the radio, you can still connect, but that would indeed require a DVDOngle-ish device, which can use "a" source of analog audio (pc mic, etc) and, through its software, connect to the D-STAR network of choice. This is somewhat less convienient (as you'd have to sit in front of da peecee to talk) but it also frees you from having to bring
a radio with you.

Cheers,

Fred

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ipscone
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950. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 16:17:47 UTC
From: Fred van Kempen
Topic: 935 Message: 950

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951. Re: DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 18:28:39 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 935 Message: 951

I use "inbound" calls all the time with mobile IRLP. But I understand that it's not possible for other reasons.

Mike

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@...> wrote:
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> Short answer is that the DVAP and DVDongle do not support call sign routing.
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> Even if they did, odds are that your mobile connection wouldn't allow inbound connections. Most operators NAT their addresses, breaking inbound access.
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> DVAPs and DVDongles connect to either repeaters or reflectors. If people want to find you, just let them know what repeater or reflector that you are going to connect to. This can be seen by looking at the last heard list at www.dstarusers.org<http://www.dstarusers.org>. Or by watching the status page on repeaters or the status page on the reflectors (can be found from the reflectors page on www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.DSTARInfo.com>).
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952. Re: Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 18:32:50 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 936 Message: 952

That's exactly why unsaid I NEED both. BTW there may well be RF on the other end, so I can see the need for at least one license. But the DVAP requires 2 in Japan, technically, if you are talking to your own station. Japan'sregulations are different from the US.

Mike

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> isn't an RF component really happening. (You'd have mic to PC to dongle to
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> would be back from the Internet through the dongle and out the computer
> audio device.)
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> notebook. But I've also used the DVAP - but as you've pointed out ...
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> consider.
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> Lastly - as already pointed out ... just connect to a reflector (versus
> repeater) and let the dplus stuff take care of it all (don't worry or bother
> with the native ICOM callsign routing).
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> Bob W1QA
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953. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - Call routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 20:48:15 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 935 Message: 953

Just curious, how can the person use a DVAP in Japan if it's not legal to connect outside of Japan for Japanese users? It's still RF on the last hop. Shouldn't this user be using a DV Dongle then?

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

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954. Re: [DVAPDongle] Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-01 21:21:19 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 936 Message: 954

At 09:40 AM 2/28/2011, ipscone wrote:
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Hi, Mike,

The DVAP and DVDongle both get you on D-STAR gateways and repeaters using your computer and the Internet, but they do it in very different ways, and have different capabilities. If you want the full set of capabilities, you need both devices. Your situation in Japan is pretty unique. Here's what I see from a more generic perspective:

DVAP
The DVAP lets you roam about the house with an HT and access the D-STAR network. You use the HT to command the DVAP to link and unlink, just as you would a repeater.

The computer display of the DVAP doesn't tell you much. You can see the repeater or reflector you're connected to, and the call sign of stations being received. You are connected to just one port of the repeater or reflector, so you don't hear traffic from the other ports. Using the computer interface, you can record the activity the DVAP monitors into an audio file, but the DVAP is intended to be operated away from the computer for the most part.

DVDONGLE
The DVDongle uses your computer audio system for "transmit" and "receive." There's no RF involved on your end, and you have to be physically at the computer. But the computer display gives you some interesting information that the DVAP (and over-the-air repeaters) don't:

You see the "bit error rate" on received signals. Not really an S-Meter, but it reveals a lot about the quality of the received signal.

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Gary KN4AQ

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955. Re: [DVAPDongle] Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-05 03:28:42 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 955 Message: 955

The short answer is no, the DVAP does not completely negate the need for a DV Dongle.

The first reply, by Tim AF1G, was by far the best reply. If you already have a D-Star radio, DVAP is probably the way to go since it provides mobility around the QTH when at home, or around the hotel when travelling. If you don't have a D-Star radio (e.g. HT) already and you are concerned about cost, then the Dongle is a good way to go. You can get on the D-Star network for US $200 with a Dongle, and there's no cheaper way to do that. The example of licensing issues in places like Japan is another reason to have a Dongle.

By the way, the Dongle has other uses. For example, let's say you have a DVAP but would like to convert your analog radio to D-Star. You've heard about the new IC-9100 with D-Star option that can do D-Star on 6 and 10 meters, and you want to have a QSO with them. Get a DV Dongle and software from Jonathan G4KLX from the Files section of the "dstar_development" Yahoo Group. You can get DStarClient and use a soundcard interface (this is somewhat tricky), or you can get a gmsk node adapter (read about them on the "gmsk_dv_node" Yahoo Group) and use Jonathan's GMSKClient software. Both DStarClient and GMSKClient need access to the DVDongle for managing digital voice encoding/decoding. You'll have virtually any analog radio doing D-Star as long as it has a 9600 baud Data port on it, which most modern transceivers do.

(Note: there are more expensive ways to adapt an analog radio to D-Star, the commercial version not requiring a pc, but the software with Dongle approach will get you on the air. Be the first in your area to have a DX QSO using D-Star on 10 meters....)

Jim - K6JM

----- Original Message -----
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, March 01, 2011 1:21 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Does DVAP completely negate the need for DVDongle?

At 09:40 AM 2/28/2011, ipscone wrote:

But, with regards to the topic, in general, does the DVAP negate the need for DVDongle?

Mike
KC7VE
Hi, Mike,

The DVAP and DVDongle both get you on D-STAR gateways and repeaters using your computer and the Internet, but they do it in very different ways, and have different capabilities. If you want the full set of capabilities, you need both devices. Your situation in Japan is pretty unique. Here's what I see from a more generic perspective:

DVAP
The DVAP lets you roam about the house with an HT and access the D-STAR network. You use

the HT to command the DVAP to link and unlink, just as you would a repeater.

The computer display of the DVAP doesn't tell you much. You can see the repeater or reflector you're connected to, and the call sign of stations being received. You are connected to just one port of the repeater or reflector, so you don't hear traffic from the other ports. Using the computer interface, you can record the activity the DVAP monitors into an audio file, but the DVAP is intended to be operated away from the computer for the most part.

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956. DVAP Dongle zapping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-05 13:34:46 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 956 Message: 956

This morning I touched my dv dongle and zapped it and all of the lights inside the unit went out. I went into the DVAP Tool and restarted it
and talked with someone just north of the Washington D.C. area with no problems.

I am wondering if my zap caused any damage to the unit?
Also has anyone had the same situation?

73, Jim AF4QG

957. Re: DVAP Dongle zapping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-05 18:35:23 UTC
From: Philip Baldwin
Topic: 956 Message: 957

I'd say if it isn't broken, don't go trying to fix it. I've never had a similar experience.

Worry< Dstar> (worry less, dstar more)

73
Phil
N8RVS

958. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle zapping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-05 22:35:43 UTC
From: Mike (WM4B)
Topic: 956 Message: 958

When I went to the NASA high-reliability soldering course, I saw photos of bipolar junctions, before and after a static zap, taken using a scanning electron microscope. It's amazing what a difference one zap makes, even on a circuit that continues to function after the zap.

So, yeah. you probably damaged it. Apparently, you didn't kill it and it's very likely that it'll still outlast you. It's only really, really important in life-and-death applications or in spacecraft.

FWIW, I killed my cordless phone with a static zap a few weeks ago.

73,

Mike

WM4B

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Philip Baldwin
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959. DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-06 20:29:10 UTC
From: Michał SQ6MNN
Topic: 959 Message: 959

Welcome
Does anyone of you maybe tried to strengthen the signal from the DV AP Dongle which managed to achieve coverage?

Michael SQ6MNN

960. RE: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-07 04:42:16 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 959 Message: 960
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Michael,

I don’t believe there are many amplifiers that will support the 10mW input signal. Also, the signal can be a little dirty if you amplify it, so if you do, you probably need to add some good filtering to keep the spurs within the limits of your regulatory agency.

There are a number of people who have connected it to base station type antennas and are getting better coverage.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Michal SQ6MNN
Sent: Sunday, March 06, 2011 3:29 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

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961. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-06 22:34:00 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 959 Message: 961

G'day Michael,

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----- Original Message -----
From: Michał SQ6MNN
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, March 07, 2011 7:29 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

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962. RE: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-06 21:35:08 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 959 Message: 962
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Not recommended at all. The DVAP does not have the additional filtering and suppression that one would find in a full-size transceiver, and boosting the DVAP signal will result in harmful interference.

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1204 / Virus Database: 1435/3485 - Release Date: 03/06/11

963. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-07 06:00:04 UTC
From: Johan Hansson - SM0TSC
Topic: 959 Message: 963

Hi

It can be done using a normal PA-module. But keep in mind the DVAP is not suitable to connect to an external antenna due to the lack of AGC so it will be easily overloaded by strong RF fields

//Johan - SM0TSC

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964. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-06 21:40:26 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 959 Message: 964

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965. Re: DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-06 23:43:37 UTC
From: alan sadolsky
Topic: 959 Message: 965

I put a mobile antenna on it so my friend can hit it.he is about a mile from me.he is on a outside antenna.you can put a base antenna on it and can get further coverage. KD8EKN

966. RE: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-07 13:25:56 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 959 Message: 966

You would all be surprised what you can accomplish with 10mw. I have my DAVP connected to a ½ wave antenna in my attick via 50’ of LMR-600UF and I get up to 2 miles with it. It amazes me every single day. Its not a clean TX radio, put and amp on that thing and you’ll have spurs everywhere!!!

Donald ~ N2VU

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Sent: Sunday, March 06, 2011 4:40 PM
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967. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-07 14:09:13 UTC
From: mwbesemer@cox.net
Topic: 959 Message: 967
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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968. RE: [DVAPDongle] DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-07 15:53:35 UTC
From: David G6OCD
Topic: 959 Message: 968

Hi Group,

The supplied antenna with the Dvap is nothing more than a “Dummy Load” get an adapter and put a proper antenna on it and you will get far greater coverage.

Regards

David G6OCD.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Matt Maguire
Sent: 06 March 2011 21:40
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969. Re: DV AP DONGLE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-08 17:16:16 UTC
From: dominichawken
Topic: 959 Message: 969

That sir, is genious!

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970. Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-09 11:51:11 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 970 Message: 970

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971. RE: [DVAPDongle] Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-09 12:55:36 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 970 Message: 971

Hey Nik,

I have the very same setup here in New York and also have the very same expiriences. As I've been saying here and elsewhere, if only the DVAP would reconect like the DVAR software will automatically when the connection is lost, it would be better than perfect. By the way, I get up to 2 miles with my DVAP which is connected to my tri-plexer via a male SMA to Male "N" adapter, then to a 50' run of LMR-600UF which goes to a Austin Suberban tri-band (2meter/220/440mhz) antenna only 20' above the ground.

I'd love to try one at a mountain top with a GOOD antenna and see what 10mw can do line of sight!

Donald~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Nik Presser
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 6:51 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

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972. Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-09 14:07:47 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 970 Message: 972

Hi Nik. What most of us don't realize is that a DSL or cable internet connection is not 100%. They have routing outages all the time without most of us noticing. It is only when you run an app that stays connected for a long period of time and disconnects when keepalives are not consistent (like DVAPTool and DVTool), that you notice the outage.

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973. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-09 14:49:41 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 970 Message: 973

Robin - THANK YOU! I suspect that you know so many of us have been wishing for this!

Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 9:08 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

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974. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-09 20:46:50 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 970 Message: 974

I wonder what happens more often, the local connection dying or the reflector you are connected to reboots or restarts? Just in the short time I've been using this system, I've been disconnected from the reflector more often than the local DSL/Cable going down.

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

On Wed, Mar 9, 2011 at 8:07 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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975. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-10 11:33:59 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 970 Message: 975

Thanks Robin. I (and I assume many others) look forward to the new releases.

Keep up the good work.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Australia
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA
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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 1:07 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-10 12:46:03 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 970 Message: 976

Hi Pat. It's probably not as much your DSL/cable going down as it is interruption in service. My service rarely goes completely down but I do see periods of routing problems when I monitor it 24/7.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-10 13:02:30 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 970 Message: 977

Pat (and group - of course)

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Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Patrick Green
Sent: Wednesday, March 09, 2011 3:47 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

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978. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-10 20:40:54 UTC
From: J. Moen
Topic: 970 Message: 978

Donald,

Interesting. I'm surprised the people doing "The Solution" (which I take to be a new networking commercial audio software application) do not pack in tons of redundancy (or should I say redundundancy) and FEC. It is possible to have an audio stream survive all kinds of temporary slowdowns and interrruptions if you are willing to take the effort and use the bandwidth. For networks capable of handling video streaming, some beefed up audio streams should easy to handle. And if you don't have to worry about standards -- the same app on both ends of the connection with the internet used only for transport -- it should be easy to implement.

My son in Germany has ISDN phone service and really likes the extra features, but I suspect with SIP phones etc, cheap ISDN consumer phone service there will go away also. My son called my landline the other day from Germany using Google Voice. It was a free call. I guess they are folding in the Gizmo stuff they got when they bought that company. I have to say, though, I could tell it was over the internet. GV would not make it in the commercial audio world, that's for sure.

Jim - K6JM

----- Original Message -----
From: Donald James
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 5:02 AM
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Duration that a DVAP stays linked to a Reflector

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979. satalite internet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-11 00:48:58 UTC
From: alan sadolsky
Topic: 979 Message: 979

Is there any way to make a dvap work better with satalite internet. my transmitions are always broken up.i am told it is like every other sillable Also have alot of missed keepalive from gateway Thanks KD8EKN Alan

980. Re: [DVAPDongle] satalite internet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-11 13:03:19 UTC
From: lcashmer@yahoo.com
Topic: 979 Message: 980

I tried that once. Really no way to make it work. Doesn’t do well with Vonage or anything else that requires consistent bandwidth either. Sorry.

Louis

From: alan sadolsky
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2011 7:48 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] satalite internet

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981. No Gateways found!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-11 17:38:43 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 981 Message: 981

Hello All,

Fired up the DVAP this afternoon to get told that no gateways were found, check your Internet connection. My Internet is fine, anyone got any ideas?

Thanks.

--
Best regards,
John G8KVP mailto:kvp@...

982. Looking for a DVAP (red) and/or a Dongle (blue)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-11 14:18:47 UTC
From: spizzed
Topic: 982 Message: 982

Hello<
I am in the market for a 2nd DVAP (red) and/or a DV Dongle (blue).
I had a few offers but the deals fell thru...
If you find that you have one or both that are excess to your needs, Please let me know.
Thanks and see you on the Reflectors!!
73
David
KF4UOD

678.438.4400 cell
or KF4UOD@Gmail.com off list

983. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Gateways found!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-12 12:57:44 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 981 Message: 983

Hello,

Just replying to my own post..... Since I posted this yesterday I've done a bit of checking. Internet use seems to have gone through the roof since the earthquake and no doubt some circuits are out of use. So my problems might all be down to this. Things seem to be normal this morning but I no longer get the message that I am running the latest software when I start DVAP Tool.

Friday, March 11, 2011, 5:38:43 PM, you wrote:

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984. DVAP R/C only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-14 02:04:13 UTC
From: ekaul_2000
Topic: 984 Message: 984

Hi

I'm new to DSTAR and DVAP. I registered for D-Star network access, but when using the DVAPTool it shows me as Receive Only.

My Callsign is KD0CZJ and I added an "A" in the 8th position as described. I have no idea what the "A" stands for or why it is recommended. I can connect to a reflector and listen in.

Is there anything more I need to do to allow transmitting too.

Thanks,
Eckhard, KD0CZJ

985. Re: DVAP R/C only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-14 11:48:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 984 Message: 985

Hi Eckhard. I see your registration but no terminal has been added to the registration. Until you do, you won't be able to transmit. Check out the registration instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org.

While you are adding the terminal, you might add both a space " " entry and an "A" entry.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ekaul_2000" <ekaul_2000@...> wrote:
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986. GPS data via DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-18 22:11:48 UTC
From: ns6w_ham_radio
Topic: 986 Message: 986

Any hope to pass GPS data through DVAP? Perhaps in the new rev of the DVAPTool? I have a 92AD with an external GPS mic, and it'd be slick to have the position reported using DVAP.

73 de Sergey.

NS6W / RX3DUX

987. RE: [DVAPDongle] GPS data via DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-19 22:45:32 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 986 Message: 987
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Ditto on the request! I have the IC-80AD with GPS mic.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ns6w_ham_radio
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2011 6:12 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] GPS data via DVAP

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1204 / Virus Database: 1498/3516 - Release Date: 03/19/11

988. Re: GPS data via DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-19 23:12:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 986 Message: 988

Hi Sergey. It is on the todo list... :)

73,
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989. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: GPS data via DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-20 02:23:57 UTC
From: Kelvin Anderson
Topic: 986 Message: 989

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K7KHA

On Mar 19, 2011, at 5:12 PM, aa4rc wrote:

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990. Re: GPS data via DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-20 13:12:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 986 Message: 990

GPS data does pass through end to end. The issue is getting the GPS spot through to the APRS network. There is a program that runs on each gateway that watches the inbound RF packets and forwards GPS data on to APRS. Since the DVAP is not talking RF to a repeater, that program is bypassed.

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991. IC-E92D Settings.....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-21 19:52:57 UTC
From: g0jnt
Topic: 991 Message: 991

For some reason i cannot get a reply from anyone on Dstar,but i can link and unlink OK.
I am using the DVAP with the following settings on my handheld.

UR CALL GB7YD CL
MY CALL G0JNT A

I am using the radio in simplex DV mode and connecting to the DVAP on 144.612.50

Any help would be appreciated.

Regards
Les
G0JNT.

992. Re: IC-E92D Settings.....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-22 11:49:47 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 991 Message: 992

Hi Les. The logs show you are using the "A" in the 7th position of the mycall field. Move it over one character to the 8th position.

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993. WTB: Cheap DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-22 12:33:38 UTC
From: n9aa
Topic: 993 Message: 993

Hi,
Does anyone have an extra DVAP they'd be willing to part with at a good price? I'd like to try one, but don't have piles of cash to throw at one.

73,
Scott, N9AA

994. DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-22 20:47:35 UTC
From: chuck_kd8pia
Topic: 994 Message: 994

Can any of you respond on what the quality of support for the product is? If you purchased one what is your overall satisfaction with it? Is it worth the price??

995. Re: IC-E92D Settings.....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-22 20:54:18 UTC
From: g0jnt
Topic: 991 Message: 995

Hi Robin,thanks for your reply,i have recently installed the DVAP software on a new pc and had not realised that i had put my call sign info incorrectly in the " station callsign box "

Thanks again.

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Les
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996. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-22 23:40:05 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 994 Message: 996

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--Fran, W1FJM

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997. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-22 23:52:19 UTC
From: cdrumm9000@yahoo.com
Topic: 994 Message: 997

Thanks kd8pia
Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

-----Original Message-----
From: Francis Miele <fran@miele-family.com>
Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Tue, 22 Mar 2011 19:40:05
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc: chuck_kd8pia<cdrumm9000@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

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998. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-23 00:06:58 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 994 Message: 998

On 3/22/2011 1:47 PM, chuck_kd8pia wrote:
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Support is excellent. I believe mine works very well.

n7mk

999. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-23 00:48:39 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 994 Message: 999

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I think the general consensus is that it is an excellent product -- I don't recall seeing any negative reports (most problems seem to be with user setup on the D-Star network, not issues with the DVAP itself, and Robin is always very responsive to users who experience difficulties). I am certainly very happy with mine.

Some "issues" I am aware of:
- I had no problems at all to make the DVAP work on my Mac and Ubuntu Linux systems
- For MS-Windows, I was getting "blue screens of death" during the software install. This was resolved by going to the FTDI driver website, getting the latest driver, and CAREFULLY following the FTDI install instructions (ie. disabling the Internet connection at the appropriate time). Then everything worked perfectly. I wouldn't have bothered with Windows at all, except that it was necessary in order to update the firmware on the device.
- Related to the above point, some DVAPs ship with old firmware, and in such cases it is recommended to update to the latest firmware using the Windows firmware updating program on the DVAP website (it's just a simple point-and-click process)
- If the DVAP loses IP connectivity to the D-Star gateway, then at the moment, the DVAP won't automatically re-connect -- I understand this is to be treated in a coming release of the DVAPTool.
- DPRS doesn't work via DVAP. In fact, this is not so much a DVAP issue (it does pass the DPRS data through to the network) as much as a D-STAR/DPLUS architectural one (where should it be treated in the network?). I understand that there is an intention to address this issue, but I haven't seen a specific proposal so far (eg. maybe DVAPTool could detect the DPRS data, and translate/inject it into the IS-APRS network).

There could also be other enhancements (eg. I would find it useful to be able to also link the DVAP using DVAPTool GUI, similar to DVDongle DVTool linking procedures), but in my view even today this is a great product that represents real value for money.

73,
MAtt VK2ACL.

1000. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-23 10:50:13 UTC
From: Wb5ugc
Topic: 994 Message: 1000

Fantastic. Robin personally responds to many post.

Larry Bowman
817-905-5042

Sent from my iP

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1001. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-23 13:31:21 UTC
From: Chuck Drummond
Topic: 994 Message: 1001

thanks

C Drummond
734.667.1400 Direct
734.578.4001 Mobile
 KD8PIA

--- On Wed, 3/23/11, Wb5ugc <WB5UGC@...> wrote:

From: Wb5ugc <WB5UGC@...>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support
To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date: Wednesday, March 23, 2011, 6:50 AM

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817-905-5042

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1002. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle support

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-23 14:16:44 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 994 Message: 1002

At 04:47 PM 3/22/2011, you wrote:
> Can any of you respond on what the quality of support for the product
> is? If you purchased one what is your overall satisfaction with it? Is it
> worth the price??

Robin Cutshaw AA4RC, the software developer for the DVAP and DVDongle, monitors this list and frequently responds to questions.

I'm very satisfied with the two that I own. They do the job they were designed for - provide a limited pool of RF coverage allowing a D-STAR handheld to access the D-STAR network via an Internet connected computer.

As mentioned, getting the correct drivers accounts for 90% of the trouble users have had.

Some things I'd point out:

- they can be overloaded by a strong signal. I have some trouble with one I use on a netbook PC in the car. If I try talking through it with my mobile radio on 5 watts, it works for a few minutes, but eventually I get reports of a garbled signal when transmitting. If I use my HT, it works fine. Removing the antenna from the DVAP helps, but not completely. I need to spend some more time analyzing this issue to get a better handle on it. Of course, most of the time when it happens, I'm driving and can't do any troubleshooting.

- I'm looking forward to "automatic relinking." It's usually not a problem when connected to reflectors, but my local repeater has frequent, brief Internet interruptions, and the devices disconnect.

- You can add an external antenna for greater range.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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1003. Need Adding DVAP Registration Info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-31 00:26:47 UTC
From: JPinches
Topic: 1003 Message: 1003

Hi,

I have a 91AD which is already registered for RF and everything works fine. Also, I understand that it is not necessary to add the DVAP on the Registration Page; but is recommended for the Call Sign Routing alert for other stations to see. By adding the 2nd device DVAP, when I am on direct RF I can be reached via Call Sign Routing and when at home TX over DVAP, the alert indicator is there for others to see.

The confusion I have is how to add the DVAP in the DSTAR Registration Page denoting the "A" indicator. If there is one area that could make DSTAR easier for users, it would be adding clear non-techy instructions to use the registration page.

Currently my Registration Terminal Page looks like this;

Line 1.) KJ6MOX /(No Initial Box at all)/(No RPT Box at all)/IP NUMBER/kj6mox-91ad

The Next Line is Blank and looks like this;

Line 2.) KJ6MOX / Initial Box and Blank / RPT box and Blank / IP Number / (blank PC NAME field)

Now when I check Line #2 and try to add KJ6MOX A, I get errors after adding a space in the Initial Box (like I did setting up #1) and/or adding my call sign appended with the (SPACE A) in the PC Name field.

How exactly does one go about adding the DVAP to the Registration Page?

1004. DVAP Dongle to repeater to gateway caller

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-31 00:55:25 UTC
From: n2csa
Topic: 1004 Message: 1004

If this is answered someplace, please refer me to the message.

I use my DVAP to access a repeater in another part of the state. I seem to be able to converse with those accessing the repeater via RF but those accessing the repeater via the gateway via radio through another repeater don't seem to hear me. I hear them but they don't hear me. The DVAP terminal screen shows that their R modules are reversed, i.e. R1 is G and R2 is B. Hopefully I have explained the issue. Thanks for any help.

n2csa@...

1005. Re: [DVAPDongle] Need Adding DVAP Registration Info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-03-31 13:20:11 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 1003 Message: 1005

Don't put the "A with your call. You put the "A" in the initial box.

Also make sure that you have the "A" in the 8th position of your MYCALL in the 91AD as well as the 8th position of the call sign field in the DVAP setup

--Fran, W1fjm

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On Wed, Mar 30, 2011 at 8:26 PM, JPinches <friend94010@...> wrote:

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> Also, I understand that it is not necessary to add the DVAP on the
> Registration Page; but is recommended for the Call Sign Routing alert for
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1006. Re: Need Adding DVAP Registration Info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-01 09:02:23 UTC
From: kz1o
Topic: 1003 Message: 1006

I would like to comment on this, and up front would like to emphasize that I do not mean any disrespect to the original poster.

The statement about "[making] DSTAR easier for users" might be true, but is not necessarily a desirable thing. The ultimately easy DSTAR device would be something that looks remarkably like a cell phone, and you could even call it a cell phone. You would probably need to charge a monthly fee to someone to maintain the network and to lobby for licenses for spectrum and everything else. The people who work for such an enterprise would be professional DSTAR experts, and not "amateur" DSTAR experts.

We would probably have to pay for Yahoo forums to discuss DSTAR technical issues, also called "tech support" because we have to feed our families too, and we can't just give away information, you know.

I would suggest another option. Maybe the folks who are making DSTAR even better and better should keep doing that, even if it means that the rest of us need to study a little more or at least learn a little more in order to use this wonderful technology. It doesn't really need to be "so simple a cave man can use it."

One time there was a need for ham radio that was simple enough for a cave man. This is how CB radio was born. And "easy computers" is how Windows[tm] was born. All seven versions of it.

I am only suggesting that "easy" should not be a requirement for a new technology in use for amateur radio.

Another option might be that if someone wants to learn a new technology well, that he or she write a beginners user manual for it, thereby learning the subject at the same time, making it available for other newcomers. This would add to the base of knowledge on the subject instead of merely consuming it.

All the best, and 73,
Dave
KZ1O

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1007. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Need Adding DVAP Registration Info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-01 12:51:26 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1003 Message: 1007

On Apr 1, 2011, at 5:02 AM, "kz1o" <bushong@...> wrote:

> Another option might be that if someone wants to learn a new technology well, that he or she write a beginners user manual for it, thereby learning the subject at the same time, making it available for other newcomers. This would add to the base of knowledge on the subject instead of merely consuming it.

This is a good idea. I've given presentations on subject matter I was clueless in just to learn it.

73,
Chris k4fh

1008. RE: [DVAPDongle] Need Adding DVAP Registration Info

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-01 17:52:02 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1003 Message: 1008
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

DVAPs are not registered. It is the radios that are using the DVAP that get registered. The reason that Robin recommends that you use a second registration for a radio that is connected to a DVAP is because IT DOES NOT SUPPORT CALLSIGN ROUTING.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of JPinches
Sent: Wednesday, March 30, 2011 8:27 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Need Adding DVAP Registration Info

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How exactly does one go about adding the DVAP to the Registration Page?

1009. Idea for DVAP Dongle replacement antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-09 02:36:54 UTC
From: Jason W
Topic: 1009 Message: 1009

Hey all,
went to HRO in Phoenix today and picked up a couple od Maldol MH-209SMA Handy Antenna's
they work wonderfully on the 92AD and the DVAP, very flexible and great performance.

73 de jason WX4JCW

1010. help with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-11 22:44:43 UTC
From: AllanM
Topic: 1010 Message: 1010

Good afternoon,
I just got my dvap today and I can connect to reflectors but ot will say "link connected receive only". How do I get that message to stop so I can talk on gateway? Any help would be appreciated. I have registered my 92ad. Thanks,
Allan May,WD4ITE

1011. new here

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-12 10:56:39 UTC
From: Derek Haden
Topic: 1011 Message: 1011

Morning

I will get a DVAP in my sweaty little hands this evening, been reading up on the tools to use, seems reasonably straight forward.
Any Newbie pitfalls I should look out for?

1012. Re: help with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-12 13:16:13 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1010 Message: 1012

Hi Allan. It looks like you have only registered a terminal "P". This means your "mycall" will always have to have a "P" in the eighth character to work properly. You probably want to create a "space" terminal as outlined at http://www.dstargateway.org.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1013. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: help with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-12 13:34:02 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1010 Message: 1013

I am a little confused, I am about to take delivery of a DVAP, I have been using D-Star for over a year with my own and my clubs call signs, but I cannot ever remember going through this registration process. I did register through my local repeater website, but not

http://www.dstargateway.org.

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> Robin
> AA4RC
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1014. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: help with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-12 14:05:48 UTC
From: Allan May
Topic: 1010 Message: 1014

Good morning,
I have figured it out with Robin's help thank you soo much!! 73'S hope to hear you on the log,
. Allan May,WD4ITE
. Mathews Co. EC VA

-----Original Message-----
From: aa4rc
Sent: Tuesday, April 12, 2011 9:16
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: help with DVAP

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1015. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: help with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-12 23:59:35 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1010 Message: 1015

On 12/04/2011, at 11:34 PM, G4WXN wrote:

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> http://www.dstargateway.org.
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Derek, you only need to register through your local repeater -- and I see you are already registered at GB7NB. So, you do not need to, and if fact must not, register anywhere else.

I notice you have only registered you callsign with a space. That is ok, if that is what you configure in the MYCALL fields in both the DVAPTool software and in your radio. However, if you follow the DVAP installation recommendations to use your callsign with the letter "A" at the end, then you will need to go back to GB7NB, log in and create a second terminal entry for that. However, lots of people ignore that recommendation, and just use spaces after their callsigns, and this is fine too.

Cheers,
Matt VK2ACL.

1016. 50 States in 50 days on Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-13 00:31:38 UTC
From: n1ic4
Topic: 1016 Message: 1016

http://n1ic.com/dstar-50-states-in-50-days/

If you want to help and are in a state I need send me an email :)

1017. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: help with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-13 01:08:44 UTC
From: Allan May
Topic: 1010 Message: 1017

Hey Robin,
I'm having another problem.. I can connect to reflectors, but when I hear someone sign off I go back to person they to not respond. Also, I will ask to di a radio check on any particular reflector and no one comes back to me. Please help me. Thanks
. Allan May,WD4ITE

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Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: help with DVAP

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1018. Can't connect to any reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-14 03:29:24 UTC
From: Donald
Topic: 1018 Message: 1018

Hello,
I am new to D-Star. Is it possible that all the reflectors are off air? When I go to dstarusers and go down to the reflectors, I do not see any information as to what module they are on. When I try to connect to any of them I get the error message "Gateway unknown!"
Thank you.
73
Don
VE3HOL

1019. dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-14 04:13:06 UTC
From: billyjack2682006
Topic: 1019 Message: 1019

Hi this Tom N9HSM, I am having problems again gateway unknown. it work this Morning (tuesday) not now ... I GUESS WHEN MY COMPUTER UPDATE MAYBE IT DID SOMETHING TO IT.THE WAY I UNDERSTAND IT U CAN ONLY CONNECT TO 1 REF. @ A TIME.

I USE MY DV-ADAPTER AS A DSTAR RADIO BUT ONLY IN SIMPLEX MODE BECAUSE OF THE DVAP IS SIMPLEX. I AM SEEING OTHER PEOPLE IS HAVING THE SAME PROBLEM. THANKS AGAIN....TOM N9HSM

CELL PHONE 502-550-2533

PS I WAS A ON IT BECAUSE OF THE DVAP , AND B IS FOR DONGLE// I USE DPLUS IS WHAT I AM USING BECAUSE I CAN USE ALL THE REF. PROGRAM INTO IT ...WHAT DOES THIS KEEP HAPPEN TO ME.....

1020. Re: Can't connect to any reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-14 11:55:24 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1018 Message: 1020

Hi Don. I checked the logs and I don't see any issues. I just connected to REF030 without a problem.

When you click "Open" in DVAPTool, the program fetches the list of gateways/reflectors from the name server. If your internet was intermittent at that time, you would not get the list. When you see this, try hitting "Close" and then "Open" again.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Donald" <tambeaud@...> wrote:
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> Thank you.
> 73
> Don
> VE3HOL
>

1021. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't connect to any reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-14 13:30:17 UTC
From: Donald J. Tambeau
Topic: 1018 Message: 1021
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hello Robin....Thank you for the reply. I have tried several Reflectors this morning and I am still getting the message “gateway unknown” with all of them! What I find strange is that when I look up the reflectors in the dstaruser website, I don’t see what modes the reflectors are on. I am copying a what I see on my dstaruser list. Is this normal?

Thank you
73
Don
VE3HOL

From: aa4rc

Sent: Thursday, April 14, 2011 7:55 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't connect to any reflectors

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1022. Re: Can't connect to any reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-15 01:41:56 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1018 Message: 1022

I just checked the logs on REF001 and I see quite a number of logins from you today. I also see where you keyed up several times. You switched back and forth between "VE3HOL C" and "VE3HOL " for callsign. The "C" version is not registered so you wouldn't be able to transmit using that.

Robin

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1023. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't connect to any reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-15 01:54:36 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1018 Message: 1023
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Don,

The listing of reflectors on the DSTARUsers site is just a listing, and it’s an incomplete listing. (for better listing check www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.DSTARInfo.com>).

The problem you are experiencing sounds as if it is an indication that the DVAP software does not have a list of current stations. It loads this upon startup. So you might want to restart the DVAP software.

If there is filtering between you and the DVAP site, then it is very possible that the request for stations is getting blocked. I know that if I’m connected to my companies network, they block specific ports and the DVAP software will not work. So if I disconnect and restart the software it becomes happy.

In my opinion, the DVAP software wasn’t designed to run 24x7. While it will happily run 24x7, it will not update its database, only when it is restarted is it reloaded.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Donald J. Tambeau
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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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1024. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't connect to any reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-15 02:17:33 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 1018 Message: 1024
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

G'day Don,

Have you tried any of the ports on REF003 and REF023 at all?

The REF003 box is based in Sydney Australia and REF023 is based in Adelaide Australia.

Some VK repeater gateways like VK3RWN deny any connections from DV-D's (except from the gateway admin), DVAP's and HotSpot's but accept other Icom gateway link requests (with very short time limitations). But, that's life...

Anyway, REF003-C is the most popular one in Australia... http://ref003.dstargateway.org/

Cheers,

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VK3BA
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1025. Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-15 17:39:05 UTC
From: skycom291980
Topic: 1025 Message: 1025

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Dean

1026. RE: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-15 23:26:48 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1025 Message: 1026
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of skycom291980
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1027. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-16 07:59:36 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 1025 Message: 1027

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1028. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-16 18:48:21 UTC
From: DALE
Topic: 1025 Message: 1028

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1029. Connection Problems

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-16 22:32:35 UTC
From: kf7jzr
Topic: 1029 Message: 1029

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Darrin

1030. RE: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-17 13:23:04 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1025 Message: 1030
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I’ve tried it using my FTM -350R and it doesn’t seem to work. Wonder what I’m doing wrong?

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of DALE
Sent: Saturday, April 16, 2011 2:48 PM
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1031. RE: [DVAPDongle] Connection Problems

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-17 23:48:02 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1029 Message: 1031
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Darrin,

The DVAP will not link automatically. You need to send a link command to it from your radio.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kf7jzr
Sent: Saturday, April 16, 2011 6:33 PM
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1032. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connection Problems

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-18 11:09:23 UTC
From: G4WXN@derekhaden.com
Topic: 1029 Message: 1032

Darrin

You will need to connect to a reflector, this you do from the HT not
from the software. The DVAP hooks up to the internet, but then you have
to tell it what you want it to do.

Take a look here :
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html
Explains it far more eloquently than I.

You should be good to go then

Derek

G4WXN

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From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1025 Message: 1033
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1034. Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-18 13:05:14 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1025 Message: 1034

Hi Tim. I went by HRO and tested with several of their radios that would crossband. Only the 2820 would work. Interestingly, most would crossband the dstar GMSK signal in one direction but would fail in the other.

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> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>
> Sent: Saturday, April 16, 2011 9:26 AM
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> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help
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> It is strongly recommended by the designer of the DVAP that you not attempt to attach any sort of RF amplifier to it. The DVAP does not have the filter circuits of a modern higher power transceiver and is very likely to generate all sorts of harmful interference if amplified.
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> If you want a higher power hotspot, one of the several available hotspot boards coupled with a good amateur transceiver will give you miles of range.
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> Tim, AF1G
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of skycom291980
> Sent: Friday, April 15, 2011 1:39 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help
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> Does anyone know of any amplifers or some way to hook in line to give me more output from the dvap. I have been looking for at least a way to get 1 watt or 5 watts at most. Any help would be great. Please let me know of any ideas. 10mw just doesnt cut it for distance. Like i said if there is a way i can get at least 1 watt somehow it would be great. I have not been able to find any amplifers for a 10mw drive to 1-5 watts out. please help
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1035. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-18 13:06:58 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1025 Message: 1035

On Mon, 2011-04-18 at 13:05 +0000, aa4rc wrote:
> Hi Tim. I went by HRO and tested with several of their radios that would crossband. Only the 2820 would work. Interestingly, most would crossband the dstar GMSK signal in one direction but would fail in the other.

Nice! Thanks for doing the testing. I've questioned this myself looks
like you narrowed it down to just the 2820 for now.

73,
Chris k4fh

1036. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-18 19:35:13 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1025 Message: 1036
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Someone suggested that most crossband radios probably invert the signal at least one way.
Thanks for checking, Robin.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Monday, April 18, 2011 9:05 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Hi Tim. I went by HRO and tested with several of their radios that would crossband. Only the 2820 would work. Interestingly, most would crossband the dstar GMSK signal in one direction but would fail in the other.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , "Tim Hardy AF1G" <hardyt@...> wrote:
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> Iâ€™ve tried it using my FTM -350R and it doesnâ€™t seem to work. Wonder what Iâ€™m doing wrong?
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> Tim, AF1G
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>] On Behalf Of DALE
> Sent: Saturday, April 16, 2011 2:48 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help
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> I like the cross band idea. I was already set up for it and did not know it.
> Now I can use mine any were in the valley.
> Don't need to tho as we have two D star repeaters to use.
> Don't see any real need for a range further than the DVAP was designed for anyway.

> Dale
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...>
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
> Sent: Saturday, April 16, 2011 12:59:36 AM
> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap output power Help
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> Nik Presser
> VK3BA
> Geelong, Australia
> http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA
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> From: Tim Hardy AF1G <mailto:hardyt@...>
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Version: 10.0.1321 / Virus Database: 1500/3581 - Release Date: 04/18/11

1037. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-19 00:31:55 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1025 Message: 1037

Does the 2820 require the DSTAR chip in order to crossband correctly?

WA6JFK

Los Angeles

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Chris Fowler
Sent: Monday, April 18, 2011 6:07 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

On Mon, 2011-04-18 at 13:05 +0000, aa4rc wrote:
> Hi Tim. I went by HRO and tested with several of their radios that would crossband. Only the 2820 would work. Interestingly, most would crossband the dstar GMSK signal in one direction but would fail in the other.

Nice! Thanks for doing the testing. I've questioned this myself looks like you narrowed it down to just the 2820 for now.

73,
Chris k4fh

1038. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-19 17:03:55 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1025 Message: 1038

No, its just pure old FM to FM.

Neil G7EBY.

On 19 April 2011 01:31, Brian Frobisher <froby@...> wrote:

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> Chris k4fh
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1039. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-19 22:54:46 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 1025 Message: 1039

G'day Brian,

No - the IC-2820H does not need the optional UT-123 to perform cross-band duties as described below.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Australia
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/VK3BA

----- Original Message -----
From: Brian Frobisher
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2011 10:31 AM
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Does the 2820 require the DSTAR chip in order to crossband correctly?

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Los Angeles

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Chris k4fh

1040. Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-20 12:44:10 UTC
From: Jeffrey B
Topic: 1025 Message: 1040

Not sure if this helps anyone....

I just tried this with my TS-2000 and it does not work.
What is special/different with the 2820?

I was pretty excited about this! Kinda bummed it didn't work :(
Jeff - N9UUP

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...> wrote:
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> Another way to do it to cross-band the 2m DVAP up onto 70cm via a capable cross-band repeat rig like an IC-2820H for example. Run the 2m side on low power and crank out the 70cm side on mid or high power - plus you get the added bonus of a better receiver. Run both sides of the rig on FM narrow. Works like a treat.

1041. Royal Wedding QSL Cards

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-20 17:43:12 UTC
From: David
Topic: 1041 Message: 1041

Hi All Sent on behalf of Martin G0VXC

Info for you about the r prefix for the Royal Wedding if you work other r stations I don't mind if you send direct to me

QSL arrangements for Royal Wedding Prefix

As the Royal Wedding prefix GR, MR and 2R replaces the traditional regional locator for G, M and 2 callsigns, it has been necessary for the QSL bureau to create a temporary special sub group to handle the expected large influx of cards. Martin Coles, G0VXC has kindly accepted the challenge of handling GR, MR and 2R calls. NOV holders wishing to receive incoming cards must deposit separate, C5 size, stamped and numbered envelopes with him, clearly showing the special callsign in the top left hand corner. Please be advised that in line with conventional GB cards, special Royal Wedding QSLs will not be re-directed via the home callsign or QSL manager, even if it is written on the card. Contact details for Martin, G0VXC are as per the RSGB Yearbook and RSGB website.

1042. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-20 20:15:54 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1025 Message: 1042
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

What's different about the 2820? It's receivers and transmitter are designed to support the requirements of digital modulation.
The TS-2000 is primarily designed as an HF radio with VHF/UHF and FM as secondary function. It has the wideband taps to handle 9600 baud data, but the coupling between receiver and transmitter in cross-band repeat mode is probably basic audio. Audio is highly processed in an FM radio.

A quick google found the following
http://www.cliftonlaboratories.com/fm_receivers_and_de-emphasis.htm
Look about 2/3 down the page at the FM pre-emphasis and de-emphasis curves as an example of how much audio processing occurs in FM. That just plays heck with the square waves of digital transmissions.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jeffrey B
Sent: Wednesday, April 20, 2011 8:44 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

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1043. [DVAPDongle] Cross-band repeating with dual-band radio (was Re: Dvap output power Help)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-20 22:08:38 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1043 Message: 1043
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I'm not sure this is true, but someone said they think the radio inverts the signal when it repeats it. I wanted to do it with my FTM-350 and discovered it won't do it, either.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jeffrey B
Sent: Wednesday, April 20, 2011 8:44 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help

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1044. Re: Royal Wedding QSL Cards

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-21 10:10:09 UTC
From: kz1o
Topic: 1041 Message: 1044

Hi Martin,

Just to clarify, please, were you referring to the "R" as the prefix in the DSTAR callsign field for the DVAP? Do you mean the suffix in the callsign field? I'm confused.

I don't know if it matters for purposes of the QSL card which designator is used, so long as it is the callsign used during the QSO being confirmed (?) for the DSTAR / DVAP QSO being made.

If I am missing something, my apologies in advance!

73,
Dave
KZ1O

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "David" <david.g6ocd@...> wrote:
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> Info for you about the r prefix for the Royal Wedding if you work other r stations I don't mind if you send direct to me
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> QSL arrangements for Royal Wedding Prefix
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> [...]

1045. Cross-band repeating with dual-band radio (was Re: Dvap output power Help)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-28 01:18:39 UTC
From: ipscone
Topic: 1043 Message: 1045

I have read that the carrier type is different for a D-Star radio vs. an analog radio. It's apparently more than just the encoding.

I too have tried this on the FTM-350, without success.

But others have said it's possible to make it work and have done it. I just don't know how, nor have I pursued it any further than a simple test.

Mike

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tim Hardy AF1G" <hardyt@...> wrote:
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> Behalf Of Jeffrey B
> Sent: Wednesday, April 20, 2011 8:44 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap output power Help
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1046. Space shuttle Launch/Dstar

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-29 22:53:01 UTC
From: skycom291980
Topic: 1046 Message: 1046

Does anyone know if there is any repeater or reflector i could link to that would have the rebroadcast of the space shuttle communications? I think it would be nice to have one to link up and listen to on digital voice/Dstar. I do know the space shuttle launch was cancelled with a 48 hour turnaround time so if you have any info please let me know. I would really like to know if there is any available.

Thanks

Dean Meredith
KF9L

1047. 5 watt mobile cut out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-04-30 21:47:30 UTC
From: tomtull@ymail.com
Topic: 1047 Message: 1047

Has anyone figured out how to stop over loading DVAP with 5 watt mobile?
I am a truck driver and got my DVAP today but worried about my 2820 overloading the DVAP and cutting out.
Would putting a small 2 meter antenna further from the radio and on the outside of the truck help?
What is the overload time?
If I only key down for about 30sec at a time would that be ok? Or is it a compounding problem?

Thanks,
Tommy
KC9UBS

1048. RE: [DVAPDongle] Space shuttle Launch/Dstar

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-01 03:10:51 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1046 Message: 1048
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Dean,

You probably won't find one on D-STAR. The reason being is that the repeaters have a hard-coded 3-minute timeout. That makes any broadcasting essentially impossible.

I would recommend NASA TV on the Internet. Usually has some really great feeds.

Ed

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of skycom291980
Sent: Friday, April 29, 2011 6:53 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Space shuttle Launch/Dstar

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Dean Meredith
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1049. Stil looking for stations in WY, OR, ID, SD, ND, WV, and AR

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-01 12:33:04 UTC
From: n1ic4
Topic: 1049 Message: 1049

If you are in any of these states and would like to help me with my 50 in 50 project please send me a note. I'm in need of the above states!!

http://n1ic.com/dstar-50-states-in-50-days/

1050. Re: [DVAPDongle] 5 watt mobile cut out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-01 12:41:56 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 1047 Message: 1050

The first question I have is how do you know you are going to overload it? I use my 92AD on super low power, about 300mw, and I sit right next to the DVAP with no problem.

I would put the antenna as far away from the DVAP as you can.

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Sat, Apr 30, 2011 at 5:47 PM, tomtull@... <tomtull@...>wrote:

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> Has anyone figured out how to stop over loading DVAP with 5 watt mobile?
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> Thanks,
> Tommy
> KC9UBS
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1051. Re: [DVAPDongle] 5 watt mobile cut out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-01 13:35:35 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1047 Message: 1051

On Sun, 2011-05-01 at 08:41 -0400, Francis Miele wrote:
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> The first question I have is how do you know you are going to overload
> it? I use my 92AD on super low power, about 300mw, and I sit right
> next to the DVAP with no problem.

Agreed. I practice the rule only use as much power as necessary and
even I sometimes forget to set my 91AD to low in my office. The DVAP is
12' away and have experienced no problems.

I typically set my DVAP to low power and use a stubby antenna on my HT.
This works around my home fine.

73,
Chris k4fh

1052. RE: [DVAPDongle] 5 watt mobile cut out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-01 14:56:34 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1047 Message: 1052
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

* Make sure that the radio is on its lowest power setting.

* Place the DVAP as far away as possible from the 2820 antenna.

* You can use an extension USB cable to place the DVAP a number of feet away, maybe even under the seat

* Replace the DVAP antenna with a 50 ohm dummy load.
The amount of time that you key down should have no impact on overload.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of tomtull@...
Sent: Saturday, April 30, 2011 5:48 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] 5 watt mobile cut out

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1053. Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-03 14:20:49 UTC
From: rllacey82
Topic: 1053 Message: 1053

New DVAP user here - using it with a IC-80AD.

Problem is, my receive audio seems to cut out every few seconds. Robin has graciously tried to help and thinks it may be network related. I've tried 3 connections from an OC-3 to a Verizon MiFi with the same results. For an example of what it's doing, watch it at: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nllrzpx9-us

Any help is greatly appreciated.

73
Bobby KF4GTA

1054. Icom 91A and RT Systems programming software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-03 15:25:09 UTC
From: chuck_kd8pia
Topic: 1054 Message: 1054

I use RT systems software to program the correct D-star settings with their D-Star Calc module. If I buy an DVAP Dongle will all of the settings work or am I going to have to make a bunch of manual corrections to make it work? Anyone have any ideas??

1055. RE: [DVAPDongle] Icom 91A and RT Systems programming software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-03 23:36:29 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1054 Message: 1055

The 2 won't really come into play with each other.

With the DVAP you are going to be creating setups to link to either repeaters with gateways and or reflectors.

Once connected you will have another memory channel to talk on whatever you just connected to.

And you will also have a memory to Unlink from whatever you connected your DVAP to.

There really area no calculations using a DVAP, it's pretty straightforward.

WA6JFK

Los Angeles

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of chuck_kd8pia
Sent: Tuesday, May 03, 2011 8:25 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Icom 91A and RT Systems programming software

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1056. RE: [DVAPDongle] Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-03 23:50:28 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1053 Message: 1056

What are the lights on the DVAP doing when the radio is cutting out?

Might be nice to see those also in the video.

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Los Angeles

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of rllacey82
Sent: Tuesday, May 03, 2011 7:21 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Audio Cutting Out

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Any help is greatly appreciated.

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Bobby KF4GTA

1057. Re: [DVAPDongle] Icom 91A and RT Systems programming software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-03 23:52:48 UTC
From: scott johnston
Topic: 1054 Message: 1057

The Dvap is accessed through simplex frequinces with all the same callsigns
for repeaters etc. The only difference is that you connect to the DVAP
through a simplex frequince rather than a repeater, so most of the
programming you have done should be OK.
Scott

On Tue, May 3, 2011 at 11:25 AM, chuck_kd8pia <cdrumm9000@...> wrote:

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1058. RE: [DVAPDongle] Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-03 23:53:38 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1053 Message: 1058

Another thought/question.

You mention different IP sources, but has all the cutting out been happening on one computer or many?

Try swapping out the USB cable?

Try a different PC/MAC/OS?

Brian/WA6JFK

Los Angeles

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1059. RE: [DVAPDongle] Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-04 07:05:47 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1053 Message: 1059

Have you updated the firmware on the DVAP?

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quite simple to do.

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Derek

G4WXN

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G4WXN
2m, 70cm, D-Star

1060. RE: [DVAPDongle] Icom 91A and RT Systems programming software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-04 13:13:21 UTC
From: Chuck Drummond
Topic: 1054 Message: 1060

Ok thanks

--- On Tue, 5/3/11, Brian Frobisher <froby@...> wrote:

From: Brian Frobisher <froby@...>
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Icom 91A and RT Systems programming software
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Tuesday, May 3, 2011, 7:36 PM

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1061. Re: Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-04 14:51:15 UTC
From: rllacey82
Topic: 1053 Message: 1061

I've tried different computers, and both OS X & Windows. Swapped out the USB cable and the firmware was shipped to me with the latest revision. Still the same results.

I've posted another video that shows the DVAP lights while the radio is receiving:
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xpVDMVYIXUw

Thanks for all the help. Hopefully we can figure out what's wrong.

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Bobby

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1062. Re: Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-04 22:50:38 UTC
From: RFBoughton
Topic: 1053 Message: 1062

Bobby,

I had what I think is a similar situation when using my IC-92AD, but found that 'Weather Alert' was on and the rig was cutting away to check the weather frequency every five seconds.

The IC-80 manual, page 155, says, in part, "NOTE: While receiving a signal on a frequency other than the Weather alert frequency, the receiving signal will be interrupted momentarily approximately every 5 sec. when the Whether alert function is ON. These interruptions cease when the Weather alert function is turned OFF."

Regards,
Bob
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1063. For Sale: Icom IC-80AD Dual-band (one-band-at-a -time) FM / D-STAR HT

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-04 21:15:11 UTC
From: Mike Besemer (WM4B)
Topic: 1063 Message: 1063

For Sale: Icom IC-80AD Dual-band (one-band-at-a -time) FM / D-STAR HT

Purchased new in August 2010. Rarely used - includes all original items supplied and original box. Fully functional and in great cosmetic condition. From my home in Kathleen, I can easily hit the Gray DSTAR repeater on 5 watts using my attic-mounted J-Pole. SMA to BNC adapter included to allow connection to external antenna.

Also includes optional HS-85 PTT/VOX headset and OPC-1529R programming cable. Programming software is available as a free download from Icom.

The IC-80AD is currently selling for $429 at Gigaparts and $439 at HRO.

The HS-85 is selling for $84 at Gigaparts and $99 at HRO. The OPC-1529R is selling for $35 at both Gigaparts and HRO.

Total value of the package is $548 minimum. Asking $420 shipped via USPS Priority Mail. US ONLY – I’m not going to deal with U.S. Customs. Payment by Cashier’s Check, Certified Check, Postal Money Order.

Reason for selling: I tried DSTAR and don't like it.

Specs:

Frequency Coverage:

Receive, 0.495-823.990, 849-868.990, 894-999.990 MHz

Transmit, 144-148, 420-450 MHz

Modes: FM, FM narrow, AM (receive only), WFM (receive only), DV

Power output: VHF and UHF, 5.0 W high; 2.5 W med; 0.5 W low; 0.1 W s-low.

For complete specs, see:

<http://www.icomamerica.com/en/products/amateur/handheld/ic80ad/default.aspx>

and

<http://www.icomamerica.com/en/products/amateur/handheld/ic80ad/IC80AD_QSTReview.pdf>

Please contact me off-list at mwbesemer(at)cox(dot)net if you are interested.

73,

Mike
WM4B

1064. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-05 03:03:10 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 1053 Message: 1064

Have you tried a different radio?

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 9:51 AM, rllacey82 <rllacey@...> wrote:

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1065. Re: Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-05 12:38:59 UTC
From: rllacey82
Topic: 1053 Message: 1065

Bob,

You hit the nail on the head. I turned off WX alert and problem solved! Much easier to listen to DStar now, hi. Thanks so much for yours and everyone's help.

73
Bobby KF4GTA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "RFBoughton" <rfboughton@...> wrote:
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1066. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Audio Cutting Out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-05 13:42:36 UTC
From: eperlan
Topic: 1053 Message: 1066

Is the Weather Alert feature turned on? This feature polls the NOAA weather frequencies every 5 seconds looking for alert tones, and on my other non-dstar radios, cuts the audio just as you describe...

Best David, KC2WNW

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1067. D-STAR Photos Needed for Dayton

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-10 13:35:01 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 1067 Message: 1067

WE NEED YOUR D-STAR PHOTOS!!!

Send us your D-STAR related pictures from the past year and we will create a slideshow in the D-STAR Info in Audio Alley Booths 0097 and 0098. We want your photos of D-STAR repeaters, D-STAR radios, your D-STAR projects, hotspots, homebrew repeaters, D-STAR gatherings and anything D-STAR.

Please send your photos before Wednesday, May 18th to have them included. Then stop by the booth or come to the D-STAR Across America event on Friday night at 7:00pm at the Drury Inn Ballroom to see all the photos from across the D-STAR world.

SEND PHOTOS TO info@...m by Wednesday, May 18th.

1068. Dayton Hamvention D-STAR

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-11 02:56:45 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1068 Message: 1068
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

[Description: Description: Hamvention 2011][Description: Description: D-STAR Info]
Again this year, the Dayton Hamvention<http://www.hamvention.org/> will be a hotbed of D-STAR Activity. There are a number of events, forums, and exhibitors all scheduled to be there and of course we can't forget all of the vendors with the best prices on D-STAR equipment!
For more details and updates, check out www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.DSTARInfo.com>. The latest information will be posted there.

Local D-STAR repeaters
Call Sign

Location

Frequency C Module

Frequency B Module

W8HEQ

Dayton

145.2700 -0.6000

444.0875 5.0000

W8RTL

Dayton

147.1050 +0.6000

The W8HEQ C module has decent coverage outside at the Hamvention; the W8HEQ B module has marginal coverage. The W8RTL repeater has been relocated to Dayton, but is currently does not have a gateway, but hopefully will by the time of the Hamvention.
REF038C will be the Dayton Hamvention Reflector. All stations from outside the region are requested to connect to REF038C and not the local repeaters.
For additional repeaters along your route of travel, check out the repeater listings at www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.dstarinfo.com/> and www.DSTARUsers.org<http://www.dstarusers.org/> .

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D-STAR Forum
Friday, May 20th 12:45 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.
D-Star Room 1
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1069. Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-22 18:59:40 UTC
From: western
Topic: 1069 Message: 1069

Hello,

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God Bless and Thanks
Wes Wingo
W4KMG
Statham, Georgia

1070. Re: Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-23 01:20:02 UTC
From: western
Topic: 1069 Message: 1070

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REF001CL

I am no expert of course but at least I can monitor the reflector

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W4KMG

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1071. Re: [DVAPDongle] Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-23 01:25:40 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 1069 Message: 1071

Yes, you are registered just fine.

Jim

Sent from my iPhone.

On 2011-05-22, at 12:59, western <wes.wingo@...> wrote:

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1072. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-23 01:28:32 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1069 Message: 1072

I believe John Davis is the one responsible for approving your registration. He was in Dayton too so it would be hard for him to do that from there unless he had some free time. Give him a day or so.

I take it you purchased a DVAP and an 80. Congrats. I have the DVAP and 91AD and it works well together. Nice to be able to link where I want to from home or when I travel.

73,
Chris k4fh

1073. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-23 02:10:06 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1069 Message: 1073

Yes, you must only register on one repeater, then you can access any repeater or reflector in the network. It can take up to 24 hours for your registration info to propagate throughout the network, however.

On 23/05/2011, at 11:20 AM, "western" <wes.wingo@...> wrote:

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1074. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-23 01:30:00 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 1069 Message: 1074

once registered you can connect to any gateway/reflector and transmit. You only need to register on one system

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Sun, May 22, 2011 at 9:20 PM, western <wes.wingo@gmail.com> wrote:

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1075. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-23 02:21:33 UTC
From: Jim Venables
Topic: 1069 Message: 1075

Yes, you can transmit now. You will need to use the REF001CL to connect to Reflector 1 as an example, then you would transmit with just CQCQCQ in URCall. I have this set up with memory locations. One to link with the repeater or gateway I want to link to, then one to disconnect as well as another to use for transmitting with. To disconnect, you just put a U in the 8th position and it should disconnect you from whatever you are connected to.

HTH
Jim

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1076. Re: Please Assist

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-24 00:21:13 UTC
From: western
Topic: 1069 Message: 1076

Thanks Chris,

John registered me. I just was not up to speed was the issue. All is well now and I want to thank everyone for their great responses and help.

73 de W4KMG
Wes Wingo
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1077. Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 02:25:10 UTC
From: Robert, N4IJS
Topic: 1077 Message: 1077

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Thanks and 73,
Robert Kluck -N4IJS

1078. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 12:00:00 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1077 Message: 1078

Sounds like it has bit the dust.

I have hooked mine up to Linux, Windows (lots of flavours) and Mac,
without any problems, so my guess is it's time to contact the supplier.

On Thu, 2011-05-26 at 02:25 +0000, Robert, N4IJS wrote:
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Derek
G4WXN
2m, 70cm, D-Star

1079. RE: [DVAPDongle] Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 15:13:15 UTC
From: David.G6OCD
Topic: 1077 Message: 1079
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi Guys

Broken DVAP ????????????

Regards

David G6OCD

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Robert, N4IJS
Sent: 26 May 2011 03:25
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Problem with DVAP

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Thanks and 73,
Robert Kluck -N4IJS

1080. Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 16:02:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1077 Message: 1080

Hi Robert. If the green light is pulsing, it should be talking to the computer properly. Can you look in the Device Manager listing and search for the DVAP under comm ports?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1081. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 17:01:16 UTC
From: Robert L Kluck (N4IJS)
Topic: 1077 Message: 1081

I other thing I forgot to mention...

When I started looking at the DVAP yesterday, the device was hot to the touch (bottom side of it). It was attached to the computer and the DVAP Tool was running, but there had not been any activity for a day or so. I have it in an open area, so there should be plenty of air circulation.

Not sure if the temperature is normal for the device, but wanted to pass that along.

Again, thank you for all of your help! It is a great device when it is working.

73,
Robert - N4IJS

----- Original Message -----
From: "Robert L Kluck (N4IJS)" <n4ijs@ insightbb .com>
To: DVAPDongle @ yahoogroups .com
Cc: aa4rc@ interlabs .com
Sent: Thursday, May 26, 2011 12:47:15 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Problem with DVAP

Good afternoon Robin,

Yes, I did that already and it does not show up. I tried to install it on a computer at my office and the machine did not recognize the device being plugged into the USB port. However, even without the drivers being installed on this machine, the green LED pulsed (I thought that was odd). Oh, I also have a DV Dongle on my home PC and that still works FB .

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1082. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 18:04:43 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1077 Message: 1082
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Sadly it sounds like you may have a lemon.

I run mine sometimes all day, and it does not even get slightly warm, so clearly something has released it's smoke.

--
Derek Haden

On 2m, 70cm, D-Star, Echolink.

If you see the candle as flame the meal is already cooked.

On Thu, 2011-05-26 at 13:01 -0400, Robert L Kluck (N4IJS) wrote:

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1083. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 18:54:21 UTC
From: Fred van Kempen
Topic: 1077 Message: 1083

Bob,

No, thats not normal, it should never get even noticably warm, let alone hot. I think it died on you... :(

--fred

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Robert L Kluck (N4IJS)
Sent: Thursday, May 26, 2011 7:01 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com; aa4rc@...
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1084. "Remote System Linked - Receive Only"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-26 23:32:47 UTC
From: bpkelley1
Topic: 1084 Message: 1084

Hi all:

I'm still new to the world of D-Star and the DVAP. That said, I've managed to connect to various reflectors and chat. Until today, that is. Now when I connect I get a message that says, Remote System Linked - Receive Only. I've checked my settings and I can't see that anything has changed.

Does anyone have a suggestion that I could try? My callsign is N8KB. Thanks,

Brent

1085. dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-27 12:16:26 UTC
From: m0zra
Topic: 1019 Message: 1085

hi i have been working icom e92d with dvap no problems until last night my system will link to a reflector but in recieve mode only the screen on the dvap tool reads ref005c r/o "help" many thanks simon m0zra

1086. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-27 13:21:13 UTC
From: Chris S
Topic: 1019 Message: 1086

Simon,

Have you added a suffix such as N or A or something. Also have you checked your spacing. If you are using a new suffix that will need registering as well.

Cheers

Chris
G8HCB

On 27 May 2011 13:16, m0zra <m0zra@yahoo.com> wrote:

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1087. RE: [DVAPDongle] dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-27 16:14:28 UTC
From: Matt Curtis M1CMN
Topic: 1019 Message: 1087

Hi Simon and all,

This is strange, as my friend Stan G6ZNW has the same issue since last night on ref5a

Matt

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of m0zra
Sent: 27 May 2011 13:16
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dvap

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1375 / Virus Database: 1509/3663 - Release Date: 05/27/11

1088. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-27 16:42:33 UTC
From: Simon G
Topic: 1019 Message: 1088

forget last i am back on line listening ref005a

From: m0zra <m0zra@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, 27 May 2011, 13:16
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dvap

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1089. REF001C - gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-30 03:18:35 UTC
From: Jan Timmers
Topic: 1089 Message: 1089

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VE7JBT

1090. Re: REF001C - gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-30 13:16:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1089 Message: 1090

It is possible that REF001 was temporarily down when you tried. Just click "Close" and "Open" again to repopulate your gateway list.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jan Timmers" <timmersbc@...> wrote:
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> VE7JBT
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1091. Re: [DVAPDongle] REF001C - gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-30 13:18:08 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1089 Message: 1091

Jan, that means that the reflector is down for the time being.? It was that way last week for a few days.? Mark KB3Z?
?
?
On 05/30/11, Jan Timmers wrote: ?
I have a DVAP (have had for more than a half a year), and use my Icom 92AD with it. I used this combination to make quite a few contacts up until a few months ago. Then some other things came up, and my time was spent away from the radio - for about 3 months - til today. I had some spare time, and wanted to connect to REF001C just to ragchew with anyone monitoring. I got the "gateway unknown" recording when I try to connect. I've connected to many other reflectors without any problems. I show up on the "dstarusers lastheard" site on any repeater or reflector there, that I've connected to. I haven't changed anything in my radio - I had programmed into memory all the frequencies that I had connected to many months ago. The DVAP itself is still connected to the same computer it's been since I purchased the DVAP (running Windows XP). Is there something I'm doing incorrectly, or has something changed with the dstar system that I'm unaware of? Thanks for any info.

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1092. Re: [DVAPDongle] REF001C - gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-30 13:18:59 UTC
From: Phil Baldwin
Topic: 1089 Message: 1092

It's the reflector. Been offline for about a week.

N8RVS

On May 30, 2011 9:14 AM, "Jan Timmers" <timmersbc@...> wrote:

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1093. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: REF001C - gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-05-30 13:35:58 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1089 Message: 1093

Jan, it is up and running now.? There are 2 guys talking at this time. Mark KB3Z?
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?
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1094. Auto Open

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 01:12:08 UTC
From: pjgolian
Topic: 1094 Message: 1094

Is there a way to automatically open the device when DVAP tool starts on OSX instead of manually clicking the open button?

Pete
KB3VZQ

1095. Re: Auto Open

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 01:34:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1094 Message: 1095

Hi Pete. That will be available in the next version.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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>
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> Pete
> KB3VZQ
>

1096. Re: [DVAPDongle] Auto Open

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 01:35:40 UTC
From: Andrew Crowl
Topic: 1094 Message: 1096

There is not.

Per the forum @ Dayton, auto reconnect is coming. But no mention of what you want.

Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android

1097. ARVN Video of Complete 2010 Dayton D-STAR Forum

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 02:11:34 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 1097 Message: 1097

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1098. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Auto Open

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 11:26:25 UTC
From: Charles De Poalo
Topic: 1094 Message: 1098

Will current owners of a DVAP be able to download and use the new software feature? When will this be available?

Charlie,
WB2CIC

On Jun 3, 2011, at 9:34 PM, aa4rc wrote:

> Hi Pete. That will be available in the next version.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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1099. RE: [DVAPDongle] ARVN Video of Complete 2010 Dayton D-STAR Forum

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 11:35:13 UTC
From: John Magda
Topic: 1097 Message: 1099

Thank you Gary for your continued support of our hobby and the technology we know as dstar!

John

Kb4yfk, Williamsburg, VA!

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Sent: Friday, June 03, 2011 10:12 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ARVN Video of Complete 2010 Dayton D-STAR Forum

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1100. DVAP MAC OSX Sound Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-04 12:33:36 UTC
From: Tom J
Topic: 1100 Message: 1100

I just set up a DVAP and use it with a Mac on OSX Leopard. I was trying to find the dvrec sound files but can't find them. The only time a dvrec file appears is when I use the record function on DVAPTool when dvaptool.dvrec appears in my Applications directory.

Does anyone know where the sound files are located on the Mac? I looked and didn't see them in the contents of the app either.

Thanks and 73!
Tom
K4TOj

1101. DVAPTool Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-05 00:13:08 UTC
From: pjgolian
Topic: 1101 Message: 1101

I've installed DVAPTool on a scaled down Ubuntu distribution, but when I try to execute the program, it tells says "cannot execute binary file". Is there some package that I'm missing that I need to install?

1102. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP MAC OSX Sound Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-05 14:36:13 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1100 Message: 1102
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

From my understanding, the recordings are in the app. If there are appropriately named recordings in the execution directory, the software will used those instead of the embedded ones.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tom J
Sent: Saturday, June 04, 2011 8:34 AM
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Tom
K4TOj

1103. Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-05 19:18:18 UTC
From: Tom J
Topic: 1077 Message: 1103

Robert,

From what I've read so far, it could be fried. Have you opened it up and looked for any burn spots on the board or any components?

Some things you can try to do "just in case" are as follows:

- Remove anything and everything from your PCs relating to the DVAP and the FTDI driver. One way to do this is to open the device manager and look for USB and COM settings related to the DVAP. If you are Windows savvy with the registry, remove anything there relating to the DVAP and FTDI. Then - reinstall everything as though it was a new installation.

- Try using the different USB sockets on your PC. I've seen where one socket will work and others won't for some reason.

The fact that the DVAP allowed the green light to function on your work PC without installing anything doesn't mean too much. The PC could have had the FTDI drivers installed for something else. You could try taking the drivers and installing them on that PC to see if you can get it to work.

Good luck and 73!
Tom - K4TOJ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Robert, N4IJS" <n4ijs@...> wrote:
>
> Good evening,
>
> I purchased a DVAP at the Dayton Hamvention. Got it installed and working on two different computers. All was working great!
>
> However, today I found that it was not working. Both computers no longer show the device and neither of them recognize the device when I attach it to the computer. The green LED pulses, but that's it. Both computers respond the same way and I have tried a different USB cable as well.
>
> Any thoughts what might be happening and how I can fix it? (One computer is running Windows 7 Ultimte (64-bit) and the other is running Windows Vista Ultimate (32-bit) and there were no changes made to either computer since it was working.)
>
> Thanks and 73,
> Robert Kluck -N4IJS
>

1104. twitter and youtube

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-06 01:48:49 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1104 Message: 1104

Hey folks. One of the most frequent questions in the booth at Dayton this year was "what are you working on?" So, rather than just post new stuff here when it is released, I decided to start using twitter and youtube to update things as they are happening. The account name on both is aa4rc. I hope to keep these pretty active with DV Dongle, DVAP, dplus, reflector, and other D-Star development news.

I'm at Apple WWDC this week and posting frequent updates on twitter. If you aren't interested in Apple developer news this week, you might wait a week before subscribing... :)

As usual, new stuff will be posted here as it is released.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1105. RE: [DVAPDongle] ARVN Video of Complete 2010 Dayton D-STAR Forum

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-08 08:13:31 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 1097 Message: 1105

Thanks Gary!

Donald James ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Gary Pearce KN4AQ
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1106. Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 03:55:16 UTC
From: risharde
Topic: 1106 Message: 1106

Hi everyone, I need more information on which ports I should open on my firewall to allow DVAPTool to work properly. The website is horribly poor in terms of any information concerning this - in fact, I have found no information concerning which UDP and TCP ports should be opened.

Why is this necessary? For the sake of your computer network, you should be running a firewall. I actually had to add the computer with the DVAPDongle to the DMZ which is not the best practice until I can get this information.

NOT GOOD AT ALL... I am hoping the developers can shed some light on this so I can add rules to my firewall for incoming and outgoing information.

Thank you

1107. Re: Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 11:45:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1106 Message: 1107

The reason that there is no port forwarding documentation is that you don't need to do it. All connections are outbound.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "risharde" <risharde@...> wrote:
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1108. Re: Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 12:16:53 UTC
From: LC34747
Topic: 1106 Message: 1108

This is the first time I recall seeing this question asked. I know of no one that has had to worry about this. Since all traffic is outbound there should be no port issues.

I am curious, since you speak of putting the computer in the DMZ if you are trying to use the DVAP on a network at work or something. If so or even if you have a DMZ on your home network and it works when the computer is outside the firewall, you are likely on the right track looking at your firewall, but it would be something other than port forwarding.You don't say what firewall you are using.

Louis Cashmer
KG4QPQ

1109. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 12:30:09 UTC
From: Michael Jones
Topic: 1106 Message: 1109

On 13/06/2011 12:45 PM, aa4rc wrote:
>
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> 73,
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>
Greetings Robin,

Well said, mi compadre!!

73,
Michael
2W0ZZF

1110. Re: Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 14:09:55 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 1106 Message: 1110

Whn one is looking for information, it might be better to be more civil and less critical in the conversation.

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1111. Re: Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 22:33:52 UTC
From: tojohnso23462
Topic: 1106 Message: 1111

Robin,

It's not possible that all connections are outbound. If that were the case, you could never hear people on the reflector / repeater you are connected to. There has to be bi-directional communication.

I'm not sure if this helps, but it's from a simple google search and may be the answer risharde is looking for:

http://dsyncg2.dstarusers.org/info/#ports

Description Port No. Protocol
Voice Receive 40000 UDP
Data Receive 40001 TCP
Data Sync
dplus 20001-20005 UDP
TCP

Note: Port 40002 is also used by the gateway software for OUTBOUND use only and does not need to be forwarded.

I saw in the FAQs of the DVDongle port 6116 was used. Not sure if that is local or if it had anything to do with internet communications.

To Risharde - please advise if this works for you. Also - try to come across a little nicer next time.

73,
Tom
K4TOJ

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> > Thank you
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1112. Re: DVAP MAC OSX Sound Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-13 22:39:53 UTC
From: Tom J
Topic: 1100 Message: 1112

When I look in the contents of the .app file, there are no sound files. There are .dylibs, your traditional .plist, DVAPtool executable, pkginfo, an icon, and lproj file. Doing a global search for any files with dvrec only turns up the one with recorded audio I did during some echo tests. The files have to be somewhere but I'm not having any luck finding them.

Thanks,
Tom
K4TOJ

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>
> Ed WA4YIH
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tom J
> Sent: Saturday, June 04, 2011 8:34 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP MAC OSX Sound Files
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> Does anyone know where the sound files are located on the Mac? I looked and didn't see them in the contents of the app either.
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> Thanks and 73!
> Tom
> K4TOj
>

1113. RE: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 00:14:49 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1106 Message: 1113

Is it possible that you have some personal firewall/spyware/port-blocking evil software installed on your PC?

I have recently assisted a DVDONGLE user who could not transmit and the issue was a software package called AVG I believe.

In any case, once he punched a hole in that, his DONGLE is up and running FB.

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of risharde
Sent: Sunday, June 12, 2011 8:55 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

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Thank you

1114. Re: Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 11:53:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1106 Message: 1114

Hi Tom. You are looking at ports for a gateway, not a DVAP. DVAPTool makes only outbound connections. Once a connection is made, the data flows in both directions. No firewall changes are required for that to happen.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "tojohnso23462" <tojohnso@...> wrote:
>
> Robin,
>
> It's not possible that all connections are outbound. If that were the case, you could never hear people on the reflector / repeater you are connected to. There has to be bi-directional communication.
>
> I'm not sure if this helps, but it's from a simple google search and may be the answer risharde is looking for:
>
> http://dsyncg2.dstarusers.org/info/#ports
>
>
> Description Port No. Protocol
> Voice Receive 40000 UDP
> Data Receive 40001 TCP
> Data Sync
> dplus 20001-20005 UDP
> TCP
>
> Note: Port 40002 is also used by the gateway software for OUTBOUND use only and does not need to be forwarded.
>
> I saw in the FAQs of the DVDongle port 6116 was used. Not sure if that is local or if it had anything to do with internet communications.
>
> To Risharde - please advise if this works for you. Also - try to come across a little nicer next time.
>
> 73,
> Tom
> K4TOJ
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > The reason that there is no port forwarding documentation is that you don't need to do

it. All connections are outbound.
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "risharde" <risharde@> wrote:
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1115. Re: DVAP MAC OSX Sound Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 11:58:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1100 Message: 1115

Hi Tom. Have you read the documentation labeled "Customizing Voice Message Playback" at dvapdongle.com under the "Using the DVAP" section?

The voice messages you hear by default are compiled into the executable. You only need to create new ones as described above to have them used instead of the defaults.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> > Thanks and 73!

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> > K4TOj
> >
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1116. RE: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 12:08:14 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1106 Message: 1116

I have used AVG antivirus for years and have never had a problem using a DVAP or DV Dongle using the installed default settings.

Tim, AF1G

---- Brian Frobisher <froby@...> wrote:

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Sent: Sunday, June 12, 2011 8:55 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

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Thank you

1117. Re: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 13:30:25 UTC
From: lcashmer@yahoo.com
Topic: 1106 Message: 1117

Same here. Long time AVG user. Have DVAP and dongle.

Louis Cashmer

From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2011 8:08 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc: Brian Frobisher
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

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---- Brian Frobisher <mailto:froby%40earthlink.net> wrote:

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1118. RE: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 15:02:30 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1106 Message: 1118

Hi Tim,

That may well be but I can tell you that I recently assisted another HAM who had AVG on an XP box.

I was working in remotely and assisting him.

When he accessed some setting on the AVG software, it asked if the DVDongle software should be allowed etc. (While the dvdongle application was open)

I clicked on something to the effect of yes, and make this permanent and the issues went away of him not being able to transmit.

I saw it with my own eyes.

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Sent: Jun 14, 2011 5:08 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc: Brian Frobisher
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Internet Port information needed

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1119. Re: DVAP MAC OSX Sound Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-14 22:12:33 UTC
From: Tom J
Topic: 1100 Message: 1119

Robin,

Yes I did read it. When I read "You can replace the included files" I assumed that there were individual files I needed to replace with my recordings. Thanks for clearing this up for me as I now have custom announcements!

Great product, Robin - REALLY happy I have it now.

73,
Tom
K4TOJ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> AA4RC
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1120. Redhat Issues...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-24 01:03:19 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1120 Message: 1120

I get a can't open ttyUSB0 error... and I'm ready to scream...

Thoughts?

73
KR1KEN

1121. Re: DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-24 10:12:19 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 553 Message: 1121

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I know this is quite late, but I solved this a different way...

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su -

cd /<path/to/your/installation/directory>

chown root DVAPTool

chmod 4775 DVAPTool

exit

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Explaination:

4 - Sticky bit set - run this as the owner uid no matter who runs it
7 - Read, Write, Execute authority for the owner
7 - Read, Write, Execute authority for the group
5 - Read, Execute authority for the world

This will work too...

73,
kr1ken

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> Try installing to /tmp
> and make this script in editor called dvap.sh (set permissions
> executable when done)
> placed in the dvaptool folder with lib and dvaptool binary;
>
>
> ------------------------------------------------------------
> #!/bin/bash
>
> cd /tmp/DVAPTool
>
> ./DVAPTool
> -------------------------------------------------------------
> set your menu command or launcher to;
>
>
> /tmp/DVAPTool/dvap.sh
>
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> It will work
>
> vk4tux
>

1122. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Install problem - linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-06-24 17:00:19 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 553 Message: 1122

Careful with that, it opens a big security hole. However, if you are the sole owner/user on the machine, then it probably doesn't matter.

On 24/06/2011, at 8:12 PM, "KenK" <kenneth.kirk@...> wrote:

> I know this is quite late, but I solved this a different way...
>
> ---
>
> su -
>
> cd /<path/to/your/installation/directory>
>
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>
> chmod 4775 DVAPTool
>
> exit
>
> ---
>
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> > vk4tux
> >
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>
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1123. Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 01:06:18 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1123 Message: 1123

I'm running CentOS 5, but I think that's irrelevant, because the problem I see is actually in the IC-92AD.

In the IC-92AD CALL SIGN field, if you program "DVAP___I" or "DVAP___E" the DVAP either identifies itself (if you've recorded and saved a dvap-id.dvrec file or echos whatever you speak into the microphone.

This feature only works once immediately after you program the CALL SIGN. When you change to another memory location and return to the above, the 3 spaces are compressed to one...

I've sent a question to ICOM about this, but depending on their answer. Would it be possible to rewrite the DVAPTool to look for I or E in the 6th position or enable some other padding character?

Ken
KR1KEN@...
302.365.0069

1124. Taking DVAP Portable...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 01:59:43 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1124 Message: 1124

I heard a guy on REF001C today who said <paraphrasing> "I'm mobile with a laptop..."

I have a WiFi Hotspot Application in my iPhone and have used it to demo a DVAP at a Ham Club Meeting where we had no internet access. It worked quite well...

<GEEK ALERT>

I was thinking about how to port the DVAPTool to run on an Arduino. (If you don't know what Arduino is, please visit http://www.arduino.cc/)

This would reduce the footprint and power consumption to almost NOTHING!!!

<GEEK HUMOUR> you could practically ductape this to an HT and power it off of its battery!!! </GEEK HUMOUR>

</GEEK ALERT>

Any takers?

Ken
KR1KEN@...
302.365.0069

1125. Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 11:57:51 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1123 Message: 1125

Hi Ken. I use a 92AD as well and have never seen this problem. My memory channels never change values. Anyone else seen this?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KenK" <kenneth.kirk@...> wrote:
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> I'm running CentOS 5, but I think that's irrelevant, because the problem I see is actually in the IC-92AD.
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1126. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 13:00:56 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 1123 Message: 1126

I don't have that problem either!

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Sat, Jul 2, 2011 at 7:57 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...m> wrote:

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1127. Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 12:31:50 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1123 Message: 1127

It seems to be isolated to a few memory locations. I just had a buddy try to replicate the issue, but alas no...

And when I put this in another memory location it works fine...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KenK" <kenneth.kirk@...> wrote:
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1128. Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 13:39:40 UTC
From: K1LVA@YAHOO.COM
Topic: 1128 Message: 1128
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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[ Attachment content not displayed ]
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1129. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 13:41:29 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 1123 Message: 1129

This description has the earmarks of a common problem that bites even experiences radio users.

You have a parameter (a wrong YOUR call sign, in this case) programmed into a memory. Then you make a change to that parameter, but you don't re-store it over the original memory. The new parameter works until you switch away from that memory, then switch back, at which point the old parameter "mysteriously" returns.

That may or may not be what's happening here, but it's the first thing I'd check. I've done it more than once, but I've never had a memory change values any other way.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

At 07:57 AM 7/2/2011, aa4rc wrote:
>
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>73,
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1130. Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 13:52:11 UTC
From: Tom J
Topic: 1123 Message: 1130

I have a 92AD and don't have this problem either. I can run the memories all I want, go back to DVAP I or E and it works like a champ. Not sure what could be causing your issue. If I were to guess, it would be you saved it once with the I or E in the 6th position, went back to correct it, and didn't save it again.

Good luck figuring this one out. Please let us know what you find.

73,
Tom
K4TOJ

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1131. Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 19:11:49 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1123 Message: 1131

It seems to be isolated to a few memory locations. I just had a buddy try to replicate the issue, but alas no...

And when I put this in another memory location it works fine...

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1132. Re: Voice ID and Echo Test Configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-02 19:18:48 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1123 Message: 1132

Ok... Ok... I was indeed an ID-10-T error. Yes, a stoopid looser earror!

KR1KEN

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tom J" <tojohnso@...> wrote:
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1133. Running DVAPTool as a service?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-06 18:48:22 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1133 Message: 1133

I'm running in CentOS and I thought it would be nice to be able to start the DVAPTool with an init.d script and run it as a service...

The commandline options that I've seen ALL launch the little GUI window that really is superfluous!

I'd rather configure it and let it fork its log to a file...

Thoughts?

KR1KEN

1134. How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-08 01:01:14 UTC
From: John Kintz
Topic: 1134 Message: 1134

I can't seem to find a answer to this issue anywhere -

What causes DVAPTool to say "Remote System Linked, receive only" (or words to that effect) and what can I do to fix it?

The first time I heard it, I was using my netbook with a wireless connection. But I have since also heard it often when using my desktop with a direct network / DSL internet connection.

Comments??? Suggestions???

Thanks in advance,

John
AC4JK

1135. Re: [DVAPDongle] How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-08 11:51:35 UTC
From: Andrew Crowl
Topic: 1134 Message: 1135

Is there a particular reflector or repeater you hear this on?

Does it happen all the time?

N8MDH

Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android

1136. Re: How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-08 13:05:29 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1134 Message: 1136

Hi John. Make sure that you have not modified a local host file for the name server. Also make sure that the character you are using in the 8th character of URCALL is registered.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, John Kintz <asheville307@...> wrote:
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> John
> AC4JK
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1137. Re: [DVAPDongle] How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-08 13:08:24 UTC
From: John Kintz
Topic: 1134 Message: 1137

Andrew Crowl wrote:
>
> Is there a particular reflector or repeater you hear this on?
>
> Does it happen all the time?
>
> N8MDH
>
> Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android
>
>
Not sure... but most probably when connecting to Reflector 001C.
> ---
> * *

1138. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-09 03:10:44 UTC
From: John Kintz
Topic: 1134 Message: 1138

aa4rc wrote:
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> the name server. Also make sure that the character you are using in
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> Robin
> AA4RC
>
Hi Robin -

This issue occurs when first linking with the reflector. At that time, the URcall field is set to "REF001CL" (without the quotes). The DVAP then reports ... "Remote System Linked - receive only".

I don't fully understand your comment re the 8th character of URcall... When linking with the DVAP, the 8th character is usually L (for link), U (for unlink), or URcall is CQCQCQ for talking. Is this not correct?

In the past, I have linked with the reflector successfully (i.e. - not receive only), but lately I always seem to get the "...receive only" message from the DVAP.

John

1139. Re: How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-09 12:03:12 UTC
From: Terry
Topic: 1134 Message: 1139

Make sure, as Robin already suggested, that you are using the correct callsign and device id combination. You registration shows 2 listed:
Registration Information: Registr.Call Registration Server Date of Registration IP-Address-Pool AC4JK AK4EG 2011-06-14 07:49:02 10.68.52.224-
10.68.52.231

Activated Terminal-IDs: <http://dstar.prgm.org/DStarTerminalIDs.html>
Device Call/ID Registration Server IP-Address Last Heard Repeater Gateway AC4JK A AK4EG 10.68.52.225 2011-06-28 15:57:31 KJ4JAL B KJ4JAL AC4JK AK4EG 10.68.52.224 2011-06-15 16:50:02 AK4EG A AK4EG
Registration OK!

Any registered D-Star user can verify their settings on the gateway they registered at or one of the several query tools:

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck
<https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck>

http://query.ki4swy.org/index.php <http://query.ki4swy.org/index.php>

Terry-KA8SCP

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> Not sure... but most probably when connecting to Reflector 001C.
> >

> > * *
>

1140. Re: How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-09 12:56:39 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1134 Message: 1140

Hi John. I meant to say the 8th character of MYCALL (your callsign).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1141. 2010 Dayton Hamvention D-STAR Forum Video

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-09 14:21:47 UTC
From: kn4aq
Topic: 1141 Message: 1141

Almost 600 people have watched the video of the D-STAR Forum at the 2010 Dayton Hamvention® since I put it up on the ARVN web site <http://arvideonews.com/> last month. That's the whole forum, not a short preview! (It's still there, if you haven't seen it. There's a link at the top-right of the home page).

Some stats:

* By comparison, the 2008 and 2009 D-STAR forums, available only on DVD, have each sold about 100 copies (which is adequate, but not stellar, from my perspective as producer). The DVDs are $15/ea.
I'm surprised that more haven't watched, considering the wealth of information in the 2010 forum, and how "accessible" it is (generally easy to understand for new D-STAR operators). That probably has as much to do with how many people are aware of it as how many might be interested in it. I made one brief announcement here on the Yahoo list, which was reposted to a few other lists. This announcement will likely spike viewership again. By the way, the 2008 Forum (and Friday Night Event) is a classic of history, fun and information. It's rare to have this kind of documentation of the early years of a significant niche in ham radio.
* The viewer "attention" graph provided by to the channel owner by YouTube shows attention for the video slightly "worse than average" compared to other videos of this length (90 minutes). That measures how many viewers keep watching, replay segments, or "tune out," and the graph shows a running average throughout the video. Attention takes a big jump up in the last quarter of the video when G4ULF describes how he builds D-STAR repeaters out of non-ICOM equipment (his favorite: Tate <http://www.taitradio.com/> , a name not too familiar with US hams).

* 65% viewers are between 45 and 65 years old. 5% is female. You can watch without logging into YouTube, and I'm assuming those stats are generated by people who have logged in. Since most people are watching on my web page, not directly on YouTube, I'll assume that most viewers are not logged in. But those stats align pretty well with those for my other ham-radio-related videos that are mostly viewed on YouTube. (And come to think of it, with all the stories about how much Google tracks us and knows about us, maybe they do know our age and gender without logging in.)

* 77% of viewers are in the US. 11% in Germany, 11% in Japan.
I am actively editing the rest of the 2010 and 2011 video from the Hamvention, including the D-STAR Forum. There's a little slowdown while we have some renovation work done at the KN4AQth, but it'll be done this summer.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

1142. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: How Can I Fix This...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-09 18:20:24 UTC
From: John Kintz
Topic: 1134 Message: 1142

aa4rc wrote:
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>
> Hi John. I meant to say the 8th character of MYCALL (your callsign).
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

Alrighty, then... THAT was the issue - kind of. The station callsign field in DVAPTool was off by one space, so that the callsign did not agree with the registered callsign.

I was not aware that the "A" in my secondary call needed to be in the 8th space in DVAP as well as in the radio. Apparently, if the call in DVAPTool is not recognized as registered , you can connect to a reflector - but for receive only. Good to know!

Thanks everyone for pointing me in the right direction.

73 to all,
John

1143. DVAP install

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-12 01:01:44 UTC
From: gkcarrgeorge.carrii
Topic: 1143 Message: 1143

GE, I just received my DVAP and tried to install the software. I am using Windows XP. I plugged in the dongle and the computer acknowledged with the 'bell' sound. But, nothing else. No install message. Can you help? tnx and 73, George, WA5KBH

1144. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP install

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-12 11:29:50 UTC
From: Phil Baldwin
Topic: 1143 Message: 1144

http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html
Is a great place to start.

Phil
N8RVS
Sent from my iPad

On Jul 12, 2011, at 7:14 AM, "gkcarrgeorge.carrii" <
gkcarrgeorge.carrii@...> wrote:

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1145. DVAP Unbuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-14 02:06:18 UTC
From: Tommy
Topic: 1145 Message: 1145

I have downloaded the Linux DVAP Tool and extracted it to the desk top. When the DVAP is pluged into the USB port it flashes green. When I start DV Tools and click open it looks like it is going to work but then it says "Unable to query DVAP Dongle device".
I am running Ubuntu 11.04 I have "removed" "brltty"
I have not installed any USB drivers. As the DVAP website says the USB drivers should come with Linux. The green light flashes and the blue one flashes when I click "Open". So I don't think I need the USB drivers.

Help please.

Thx,
Tommy

1146. Re: DVAP Unbuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-14 13:04:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1145 Message: 1146

Hi Tommy. Are you running any other USB to serial devices? If so, you might need to select a different device in the option box in DVAPTool. Also, you might try running as root just to see if it is a permission issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tommy" <tomtull@...> wrote:
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> Help please.
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> Thx,
> Tommy
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1147. Re: Running DVAPTool as a service?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-14 19:22:26 UTC
From: Mike Heitmann
Topic: 1133 Message: 1147

I run mine in a VNC session on a Fedora 14 system. No display required. In fact, the system boots up in a non-graphics environment.

The startup script for launching DVAPTool tee's the output that would normally go to the terminal to a log file in the VNC user's .config/DVDongle.com/ directory (where the config files are also located). It also has the benefit of being able to connect to the running VNC session anytime to look at what's going on using the GUI window.

I haven't gone so far as to make it login and start the VNC session on a reboot, but I've thought about it.

Mike, N0SO
PS: I do the same thing with my d-rats "ratflector":
ratf.n0so.net:9000

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KenK" <kenneth.kirk@...> wrote:
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1148. Re: DVAP Unbuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-15 11:29:22 UTC
From: Tommy
Topic: 1145 Message: 1148

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I don't know what you mean "root" I know nothing about Linux.
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1149. Re: DVAP Unbuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-15 11:42:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1145 Message: 1149

Hi Tommy. If you have both a /dev/ttyUSB0 and /dev/ttyUSB1, there are two USB based serial devices on your system, one being the DVAP and the other unknown. Have you tried selecting both devices (one at a time) and clicking "Open"?

Also, make sure the DVAP is plugged in before starting DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
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1150. Re: DVAP Unbuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-15 12:21:05 UTC
From: k6clm
Topic: 1145 Message: 1150

Very often DVAPTool gives me the same error (I am also running Ubuntu, but v. 10.10) when I try to open the DVAP. If I hit the button again right after the failure, it opens right up and runs like a champ for weeks on end.

Try to open the DVAP again after the failure and see what happens.

Cameron
K6CLM

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> Tommy
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1151. Re: DVAP Unbuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-15 12:29:14 UTC
From: Tommy
Topic: 1145 Message: 1151

They are not there at the same time only one or the other.
Yes I plug the dvap in first then run tools

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1152. Re: Running DVAPTool as a service?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-15 13:03:42 UTC
From: KenK
Topic: 1133 Message: 1152

Interesting...

I haven't been able to get VNC running just yet...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KenK" <kenneth.kirk@...> wrote:
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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-16 06:03:47 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan [PE1KZU]
Topic: 1145 Message: 1153

Tommy,

I am also running Ubuntu 11.04
It is my experience that every time when Ubuntu is power on/rebooted I have to unplug and replug the DVAP device.
Ubuntu apparently is unable to init it during boot.

Try it ;-)

Regards,
Bert

-kzu-

Op 15-07-11 14:29, Tommy schreef:

They are not there at the same time only one or the other.
Yes I plug the dvap in first then run tools

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" wrote:
>
> Hi Tommy. If you have both a /dev/ttyUSB0 and /dev/ttyUSB1, there are two USB based serial devices on your system, one being the DVAP and the other unknown. Have you tried selecting both devices (one at a time) and clicking "Open"?
>
> Also, make sure the DVAP is plugged in before starting DVAPTool.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tommy" wrote:
> >
> > No other anything. fresh install of Ubuntu 11.04
> > I don't know what you mean "root" I know nothing about Linux.
> > The only reason I am running Linux is so I can leave this old gateway laptop running with dvtools stuck away and left running in my "Big Truck".
> > The only thing I have done is "Removed" that "brltty" thing.
> > Now that I think about it that might be the problem.
> > The drop down always says "dev/ttyusb1" or "dev/ttyusb0"
> > From the windows version it would only say things like "USB1"
> > So all this "dev" stuff I am not sure of.
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Tommy. Are you running any other USB to serial devices? If so, you might need to

select a different device in the option box in DVAPTool. Also, you might try running as root just to see if it is a permission issue.
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tommy" wrote:
> > > >
> > > > I have downloaded the Linux DVAP Tool and extracted it to the desk top. When the DVAP is pluged into the USB port it flashes green. When I start DV Tools and click open it looks like it is going to work but then it says "Unable to query DVAP Dongle device".
> > > > I am running Ubuntu 11.04 I have "removed" "brltty"
> > > > I have not installed any USB drivers. As the DVAP website says the USB drivers should come with Linux. The green light flashes and the blue one flashes when I click "Open". So I don't think I need the USB drivers.
> > > >
> > > > Help please.
> > > >
> > > > Thx,
> > > > Tommy
> > > >
> > >
> >
>

1154. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Running DVAPTool as a service?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-16 05:56:36 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 1133 Message: 1154

Hi,

IMO it would be very nice if Robin offers the new DVAP Tool to run as a Web server.
This would make it possible to access it with any populair Web Browser from not only Linux platforms...

Regards,
Bert

-kzu-

Op 14-07-11 21:22, Mike Heitmann schreef:

I run mine in a VNC session on a Fedora 14 system. No display required. In fact, the system boots up in a non-graphics environment.

The startup script for launching DVAPTool tee's the output that would normally go to the terminal to a log file in the VNC user's .config/DVDongle.com/ directory (where the config files are also located). It also has the benefit of being able to connect to the running VNC session anytime to look at what's going on using the GUI window.

I haven't gone so far as to make it login and start the VNC session on a reboot, but I've thought about it.

Mike, N0SO
PS: I do the same thing with my d-rats "ratflector":
ratf.n0so.net:9000

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KenK" wrote:
>
> I'm running in CentOS and I thought it would be nice to be able to start the DVAPTool with an init.d script and run it as a service...
>

1155. DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 13:04:07 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1155 Message: 1155

Hi I don't have a DVAP but I am looking to buy one but first I need this answered. I have a DSL line and that is where I would use DVAP. I get
Moderate speeds 1.25mb on download and .30 on upload. I dont want to buy it unless it works so any thoughts would be helpful

1156. Re: [DVAPDongle] DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 14:41:28 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1155 Message: 1156

On Tue, 2011-07-19 at 13:04 +0000, John wrote:
> Hi I don't have a DVAP but I am looking to buy one but first I need this answered. I have a DSL line and that is where I would use DVAP. I get
> Moderate speeds 1.25mb on download and .30 on upload. I dont want to buy it unless it works so any thoughts would be helpful
>

I get good results from DSL. I've had poor results when using 3G. 4G
should fix those latency and bandwidth issues.

73,
Chris k4fh

1157. Curious Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 14:36:23 UTC
From: Bill Cherepy
Topic: 1155 Message: 1157

I sometimes use my DVAP on a PC running Windows XP. The problem is when the PC's Screen Saver kicks in, the DVAP closes and I lose whatever connection I had set up. When I open the DVAP, I can hear whatever connection I had, but cannot transmit. I have to close and then open the DVAP again. Anyone out there run into this problem?

Bill WB4WTN

1158. Re: [DVAPDongle] DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 15:15:22 UTC
From: Glenn Wright
Topic: 1155 Message: 1158

Mine works great on a DSL line.

On 07/19/2011 01:04 PM, John wrote:
>
>
> Hi I don't have a DVAP but I am looking to buy one but first I need
> this answered. I have a DSL line and that is where I would use DVAP. I
> get
> Moderate speeds 1.25mb on download and .30 on upload. I dont want to
> buy it unless it works so any thoughts would be helpful
>
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> .
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>

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73 de Glenn

1159. RE: [DVAPDongle] Curious Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 15:45:40 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1155 Message: 1159
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I haven't seen that problem but have this suggestion: Don't use the screensaver. Just set your monitor to go to sleep after a period of time.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bill Cherepy
Sent: Tuesday, July 19, 2011 10:36 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Curious Problem

I sometimes use my DVAP on a PC running Windows XP. The problem is when the PC's Screen Saver kicks in, the DVAP closes and I lose whatever connection I had set up. When I open the DVAP, I can hear whatever connection I had, but cannot transmit. I have to close and then open the DVAP again. Anyone out there run into this problem?

Bill WB4WTN

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1390 / Virus Database: 1518/3774 - Release Date: 07/19/11

1160. RE: [DVAPDongle] DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 15:43:25 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1155 Message: 1160
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

John,

I use my DVAP on both desktop and laptop computers at home over a DSL connection similar to yours and have no problem. My laptops are connected via Wi-Fi to my wireless router and the DSL connection. Again, no problem. I have taken my DVAP and laptop to other locations for demonstrations and used their DSL connections via Wi-Fi. I have also use the DVAP on a laptop tethered to my cellphone without problem.

I think you will enjoy the DVAP.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John
Sent: Tuesday, July 19, 2011 9:04 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DSL

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1161. Re: [DVAPDongle] Curious Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 16:09:50 UTC
From: Francis Miele
Topic: 1155 Message: 1161

Easy fix. Stop using the screen saver! With today's technology on monitors you should need to worry about the image burning into you monitor.

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Tue, Jul 19, 2011 at 10:36 AM, Bill Cherepy <jcherepy@...>wrote:

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> I sometimes use my DVAP on a PC running Windows XP. The problem is when the
> PC's Screen Saver kicks in, the DVAP closes and I lose whatever connection I
> had set up. When I open the DVAP, I can hear whatever connection I had, but
> cannot transmit. I have to close and then open the DVAP again. Anyone out
> there run into this problem? ****
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> ** **
>
> Bill WB4WTN****
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1162. RE: [DVAPDongle] DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-19 18:45:03 UTC
From: David.G6OCD
Topic: 1155 Message: 1162

Likewise I have used a DVAP mobile for the past 8 months and not a problem

Regards

David G6OCD

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tim Hardy AF1G
Sent: 19 July 2011 16:43
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] DSL

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Sent: Tuesday, July 19, 2011 9:04 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DSL

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1390 / Virus Database: 1518/3774 - Release Date: 07/19/11

1163. RE: [DVAPDongle] Curious Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-07-20 00:49:08 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1155 Message: 1163
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Is it the screen saver or the machine going into sleep mode?

There's definitely options to control what the machine does when it times out, just need to check them out.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bill Cherepy
Sent: Tuesday, July 19, 2011 10:36 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Curious Problem

I sometimes use my DVAP on a PC running Windows XP. The problem is when the PC's Screen Saver kicks in, the DVAP closes and I lose whatever connection I had set up. When I open the DVAP, I can hear whatever connection I had, but cannot transmit. I have to close and then open the DVAP again. Anyone out there run into this problem?

Bill WB4WTN

1164. Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-08 16:56:14 UTC
From: n2zso
Topic: 1164 Message: 1164

Most of the time I use the DVAP on my laptop. Using Vista I want to put it on my desktop computer and when I installed it and boot it up I get receive only. I know I must be doing something wrong but what?
HELP

Thanks,

bill

1165. Re: Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-08 18:10:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1164 Message: 1165

Hi Bill. You are registered on both KC2TXB and NJ2DS. You might want to delete one of them. The last heard shows N2ZSO on KC2TXB and "N2ZSO A" on NJ2DS.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n2zso" <n2zso@...> wrote:
>
> Most of the time I use the DVAP on my laptop. Using Vista I want to put it on my desktop computer and when I installed it and boot it up I get receive only. I know I must be doing something wrong but what?
> HELP
>
> Thanks,
>
> bill
>

1166. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-08 18:11:42 UTC
From: Phil Baldwin
Topic: 1164 Message: 1166

Using an unregistered terminal I'd?

Sent from my iPad

On Aug 8, 2011, at 2:08 PM, n2zso <n2zso@...> wrote:

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on my desktop computer and when I installed it and boot it up I get receive
only. I know I must be doing something wrong but what?
HELP

Thanks,

bill

1167. Re: Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-08 18:20:19 UTC
From: n2zso
Topic: 1164 Message: 1167

Robin;

N2ZSO A is the DVAP and N2ZSO is RF thru the my local repeater is this correct? My problem is just getting it to work on the desktop; no problems on my laptop.

bill

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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> >
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> > HELP
> >
> > Thanks,
> >
> > bill
> >
>

1168. Re: Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-08 18:49:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1164 Message: 1168

Being registered on two different gateways can cause issues. You should only register on one.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n2zso" <n2zso@...> wrote:
>
> Robin;
>
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> bill
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> > > HELP
> > >
> > > Thanks,
> > >
> > > bill
> > >
> >
>

1169. Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-10 20:17:46 UTC
From: w4phs
Topic: 1169 Message: 1169

I have an Icom IC-92AD, and I just purchased a DVAP. I need help getting started.

I have the drivers installed, and DVAPTool is talking to the DVAP, showing the device serial number, and displaying status information when I press PTT.

I previously registered on my local gateway as "W4PHS" without a suffix letter, so that's what I put into DVAPTool for my call sign (no suffix letter).

I understand that I should put DIRECT into both the R1 and R2 fields.

I tried to connect to Reflector 30C by putting REF030CL as UR, and the status window shows:
"Starting Link request <REF030CL>".
"Login OK, transmit not permitted on REF030."

Why is transmission not permitted?

I then changed the UR field to try to get into my local repeater by putting KI4SDICL in UR. This time the status screen said "Connect request while currently linked".

By the way, each time I transmit the status screen shows "Checking callsign <W4PHS > against call station <W4PHS??|>" Neither my radio nor DVAPTool have "??|" at the end of my call sign.

Thanks for any help.

Phil
W4PHS

1170. Help -- How can I remove duplicate D-STAR gateway registrations

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-10 20:43:45 UTC
From: w4phs
Topic: 1170 Message: 1170

Help!

I am new to D-STAR, and I didn't understand that registering at more than one gateway can cause problems. I sent e-mails to the duplicate gateway operators asking them to remove my registration, but none of them have responded or removed them.

Is there some site where I can manage my registrations and remove the duplicate ones?

Phil
W4PHS

1171. DVAP WatchDog Keepalive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 00:56:14 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1171 Message: 1171

How do you set this message? and will it keep my DVAP tool from disconecting?

1172. Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 01:51:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1169 Message: 1172

Hi Phil. It looks like your registration had not made it through the network until a little while ago. Try linking into REF030 again.

You don't have to put DIRECT in RPT1/2 since the radio will do that for you in simplex mode.

In your connect example below, you linked receive only. You need to unlink before relinking somewhere else. That is why you got the currently linked message.

I'm not sure what is going on with the garbage characters in your display. I have not seen that here. It looks like everything should work now though.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4phs" <philsherrod@...> wrote:
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>
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> Why is transmission not permitted?
>
> I then changed the UR field to try to get into my local repeater by putting KI4SDICL in UR. This time the status screen said "Connect request while currently linked".
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> By the way, each time I transmit the status screen shows "Checking callsign <W4PHS > against call station <W4PHS??|>" Neither my radio nor DVAPTool have "??|" at the end of my call sign.
>
> Thanks for any help.
>
> Phil
> W4PHS

>

1173. Re: [DVAPDongle] Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 01:49:06 UTC
From: Joe Chimento
Topic: 1169 Message: 1173

DIRECT is added to R1 and R2 automatically when you key in with REF030CL in the call sign of the 92ad.....once you get "System linked", don't forget to switch the call sign back to CQCQCQ so you can transmit.....

--
Joe
KC2ZKI

On Wed, Aug 10, 2011 at 4:17 PM, w4phs <philsherrod@...> wrote:

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>
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> started.
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> Phil
> W4PHS
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Joe

1174. Re: DVAP WatchDog Keepalive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 01:54:47 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1171 Message: 1174

Hi John. I'm not sure I completely follow your question.

The DVAPTool program sends a keepalive packet to any connected system once per second. The connected system also sends a keepalive packet to your DVAPTool once per second. If you have too many missed keepalive packets, either end will disconnect the link.

There is no watchdog message to set.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <john_o_primo@...> wrote:
>
> How do you set this message? and will it keep my DVAP tool from disconecting?
>

1175. Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 02:25:25 UTC
From: w4phs
Topic: 1169 Message: 1175

Joe,

You have been very helpful. I feel like I slept through D-STAR class, because new twists keep coming up.

As I understand your message, I should establish a link using UR=REF030CL first, then switch UR to CQCQCQ when I want to talk. Can I leave R1 and R2 set to DIRECT while talking once I link?

The specification REF030CL links to Reflector 30C. What happens if you leave off the "L"?

If I want to connect to my local D-STAR repeater KI4SDI C, should I put KI4SDICL in UR? Should I link and then switch to CQCQCQ?

One more thing: When I set up the terminal entry with my registration, I put a single space as the initial. I attempted to add a second entry with "A" as the initial for the DVAP, but the registration screen said "Warning: already registered". Do I need a separate entry for the DVAP, or can I use the IC-92AD through the repater and the DVAP with both using space as the initial?

Phil
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> Joe
> KC2ZKI

1176. Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 10:17:21 UTC
From: w4phs
Topic: 1169 Message: 1176

Robin,

Thank you for your message. I completed the second step of the registration process (setting up a terminal) last night, and I was able to get into Ref 30C through my DVAP.

Just to review, I have an IC-92AD and a DVAP. For RF access to KI4SDI I have UR=CQCQCQ, R1=KIRSDI C, AND R2=KI4SDI G. For DVAP, I establish a link to Reflector 30C using UR=REF030CL, R1=DIRECT, R2=DIRECT, then once I am linked I switch to UR=CQCQCQ, R1=DIRECT, R2=DIRECT. If this isn't correct, please let me know.

If I want to use the DVAP to connect to KI4SDI rather than Reflector 30C, should I use UR=KI4SDI G, R1=DIRECT, R2=DIRECT to establish the link and then switch over to UR=CQCQCQ, R1=DIRECT, R2=DIRECT?

Phil
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1177. Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 11:56:10 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1169 Message: 1177

The UR field is where commands are placed. A value of "REF010CL" means 'L'ink to module 'C' on 'REF030'. The eighth position is the command, the seventh is the module, and one through six are the system to which you wish to link.

To link to KI4SDI module C, use "KI4SDICL". To talk, use "CQCQCQ " in UR.

Take a look at the "Using the DVAP" section at http://www.dvapdongle.com for more details.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1178. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 13:04:14 UTC
From: Joe Chimento
Topic: 1169 Message: 1178

No problem Phil....you'll get there....just remember, you are sending commands to the DVAP using the UR. When you key up the 92AD the command you typed in the UR gets sent over to the DVAP. So, in my case, I use UR=REF020AL. "REF020" is the reflector I want to connect to, "A" is the module and "L" is the command to link my DVAP to the reflector. Once I key in my 92ad, the command is sent to the DVAP and I get an audio confirmation that the DVAP is connected. I only use this command once. Once link is established, I change UR=CQCQCQ so I can transmit. Anything but UR=CQCQCQ will be interpreted as a command by the DVAP and will not transmit. You can store your UR settings into the 92AD memory....this makes connecting to the DVAP lightning fast with a few keypad clicks.

Hope this helps.....

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Joe
KC2ZKI

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1179. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 18:17:50 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1169 Message: 1179

I own two ID-880s and an IC80-AD. I program the memory channels in all three to do commands. In my case I prefer to use the bank memory channels. Let me give you an example.

Bank A is filled with FM repeaters and simplex channels.

Bank B I use for controlling, commanding, and talking on my DVAP.

Bank C is all D-Star repeaters in my home state of GA.

Bank D has all the D-Star repeaters in an adjacent state, and so on.

Specific to the DVAP bank -

All channels have the same frequency, the one I use with the DVAP. They're all simplex, DV mode.

Channel 00 is my "home" channel where I do ALL the talking. The UR is CQCQCQ and there is nothing in RPT1 or RPT2.
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Channel 04 and above contain nothing more than linking commands to reflectors and repeaters.

So, let's say I wish to connect to Reflector 30C. I switch to the DVAP bank if I'm not already on it, turn the channel selector to the channel where I have programmed the link command (I put REF030C in the name field for that channel), and quick-key once. My DVAP says "Remote System Linked." I then push 00 (zero twice) on my keypad and the radio changes to channel 00. I can then make a voice call. When I'm done and wish to unlink, I turn the channel selector one click upward and quick-key. The DVAP says "Remote system unlinked" and I'm done.

I think this method minimizes the effort needed to connect and disconnect from remote systems and reflectors.

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1180. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 21:24:07 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 1169 Message: 1180

I have almost exactly the same configuration as Tim detailed.

Really simplifies operation.

Dana
K6BRR

On Aug 11, 2011, at 11:17 AM, Tim Hardy AF1G wrote:

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1181. Common reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 22:24:01 UTC
From: Chiefsfan2
Topic: 1169 Message: 1181

Is there a common reflector to DVAP users can connect to for a qso that doesn't go out on RF except at the DVAPS?

1182. Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-11 23:40:57 UTC
From: w4phs
Topic: 1169 Message: 1182

Thank you for your help Robin. I'm up and running.

Here are mistakes I made:

1. I didn't complete the registration by setting up a terminal entry.
2. When I entered my call sign into DVAPTool I didn't pad it to 8 characters, and DVAPTool threw in trash characters at the end of my call sign (I consider this to be a bug).
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Thanks again for your help.

Phil
W4PHS

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1183. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-12 10:56:05 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 1169 Message: 1183

Here's a free article (PDF download) that will help answer lots more D-STAR questions for new operators:

<http://arvideonews.com/otherstuff/Repeaters_from_A_to_D_by_KN4AQ.pdf>Repeaters from A to D: A D-STAR Primer

Coming soon... the movie!

73,
Gary KN4AQ

At 07:40 PM 8/11/2011, you wrote:
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1184. Re: Need help getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-12 12:19:06 UTC
From: xscope2000
Topic: 1169 Message: 1184

Hi Gary, that's a great primer doc, with a lot of info.

For those interested, a while ago I produced a feature for the ICQ podcast on basic D-Star operation which you can listen to here - http://bit.ly/qTnos8.

73

Chris - 2E0CTH.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Gary Pearce KN4AQ <kn4aq@...> wrote:
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1185. Re: DVAP WatchDog Keepalive Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-14 13:17:32 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 1171 Message: 1185

Also you might check the power management setting for you USB ports. There is a place to uncheck the setting to shut down the USB port to save battery power. I found this setting checked on my system and unchecked it and solved the problem.

Larry

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <john_o_primo@...> wrote:
>
> How do you set this message? and will it keep my DVAP tool from disconecting?
>

1186. Working on listen only - now registered not working?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-22 23:47:15 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1186 Message: 1186

Hi All,

I have purchased a DVAP and it was working on listen only mode, so all good there.

I have registered and had to wait for about a week for the Node SYSOP to return from holiday.

I finished the registration and then opened up my DVAP 'to have a go' on transmit.

Now I cannot connect anything at all, and the REF001C says I'm connected (from their screen), but when I try TX'ing there is nothing displayed in the screen.

So I tried unlinking and says I'm not connected?

So I tried connecting to another Reflector and I cannot now connect to anything?

Any thoughts?

Mark ZL2UFI

1187. Working on listen only - now registered not working? Pt 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-23 00:06:10 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1187 Message: 1187

Hi All,

I have resolved part of the problem, here is what I did:

I have made a shortcut from the DVAPTool.exe download directory and copied that to the desktop for easy access.

After the previous message (here) I when back into the download directory and loaded the DVAPTool.exe directory NOT using the shortcut - success I can now control the DVAP again.

I can link and now unlink from the REF001C Reflector....

BUT.... I am still only in receive only mode? Why am I I still in receive only mode, and as I am registered why can I not transmit?

Any thoughts?

Mark ZL2UFI

1188. Re: Working on listen only - now registered not working? Pt 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-23 02:15:00 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1187 Message: 1188

Hi Mark. I looked through the logs and you were using "ZL2UFI A" but have not registered the "A" terminal. I see your last attempt at connecting to REF001 as "ZL2UFI " worked allowing you to transmit.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mark_zl2ufi" <mark@...> wrote:
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>
> Mark ZL2UFI
>

1189. Re: Working on listen only - now registered not working? Pt 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-23 05:22:26 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1187 Message: 1189

Hi Robin,

Thanks... I found another message via Google that you had replied to someone else about the same thing.

It took me a while to work out what "not registered the "A" terminal" meant.

For those reading this, remove the A from the DVAPTool e.g. I had ZL2UFI A in the Station Callsign box on the DVAPTool, BUT I had registered on the Gateway as ZL2UFI only. So I removed the "A" and I in business.

Robin, I followed your instructions on the http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html link to the letter. I think perhaps some clarification needs to be made with the adding of the letter A. I followed the instructions and the screen shots and this is what probably put me wrong. Not a criticism just an observation.

Mark ZL2UFI

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mark. I looked through the logs and you were using "ZL2UFI A" but have not registered the "A" terminal. I see your last attempt at connecting to REF001 as "ZL2UFI " worked allowing you to transmit.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mark_zl2ufi" <mark@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi All,
> >
> > I have resolved part of the problem, here is what I did:
> >
> > I have made a shortcut from the DVAPTool.exe download directory and copied that to the desktop for easy access.
> >
> > After the previous message (here) I when back into the download directory and loaded the DVAPTool.exe directory NOT using the shortcut - success I can now control the DVAP again.
> >
> > I can link and now unlink from the REF001C Reflector....
> >
> > BUT.... I am still only in receive only mode? Why am I I still in receive only mode,

and as I am registered why can I not transmit?
> >
> > Any thoughts?
> >
> > Mark ZL2UFI
> >
>

1190. Playing DVREC Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-23 06:37:17 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1190 Message: 1190

Hi,

Is there a way to play the recorded dvrec files other that by the DVAPTool?

I want to record and then play them back on a PC not via a transceiver.

I searched for an answer before posting so hopefully this hasn't been asked before?

Mark ZL2UFI

1191. Re: Playing DVREC Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-23 11:46:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1190 Message: 1191

Hi Mark. Those files are encoded using the AMBE codec that is used by dstar radios. You can either play them through dvaptool or on a gateway computer through the repeater. The next release of DVTool for the DV Dongle will also be able to play and record the files on a PC.

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1192. Re: Playing DVREC Files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 09:41:58 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1190 Message: 1192

Hi Robin,

Thanks... just thought it would be good to take the recordings so I can use them for presentations or as part of a Powerpoint or similar.

Thanks for the support and timely emails.

Mark ZL2UFI

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1193. DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 14:01:52 UTC
From: ON4BBQ
Topic: 1193 Message: 1193

dear all,

I am new in D-Star. Presently I am hooked up via a DVAP and the IC-92AD + GPS mike . All workes fine (tnx to some help I got in the messages here)but I do not manage to put my position on the net (findu).

My position is forwarded to the DPRS sites OK but not to the conventional APRS sites like Findu, APRS-FI, etc...
(http://ref028.dstargateway.org/)

Could it be that this is impossible if you work via a reflector ? I understand that if you do not work via the DVAP (TxRx to Dstar Rep)you have to select under R2 of the 92ad the gateway that puts you on the net. But I also understand that this selection is bypassed anyway if using the DVAP...

Tnx for your help in this.

73 de Ronald, ON4BBQ

1194. Re: DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 14:19:29 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1193 Message: 1194

Hi Ronald. DVAPTool does not currently provide GPS information to the DPRS/APRS network. That is on the todo list...

For now, you have to talk directly to a repeater to have that information forwarded.

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1195. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 14:25:07 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1193 Message: 1195

You actually can be found.

I went to the dashboard for the reflector you are on.

http://ref028.dstargateway.org (http://ref028.dstargateway.org/)

I then clicked on your callsign "In Orange"

And there you are.

Miami?

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: ON4BBQ
Sent: Aug 24, 2011 7:01 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

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1196. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 14:30:28 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1193 Message: 1196

Actually if you go to the DASHBOARD for that reflector you were on.

http://ref028.dstargateway.org

And click on your callsign, up pops a map with you located in Miami?

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----

From: ON4BBQ

Sent: Aug 24, 2011 7:01 AM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

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73 de Ronald, ON4BBQ

1197. Re: DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 15:53:40 UTC
From: ON4BBQ
Topic: 1193 Message: 1197

hello Robin,

many tnx ... this makes it clear.

73 de Ronald, ON4BBQ

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1198. Re: DVAP Dongle and APRS (findu)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-24 15:56:59 UTC
From: ON4BBQ
Topic: 1193 Message: 1198

hello Brian,

tnx for your reply.

Yes, I know I am 'visible' on the DPRS (dstar ref) sites but not on the APRS sites like Findu and others;

But Robin's answer makes it clear : the DVAPTool does not (yet) allows forwarding to these others APRS sites.

73 de Ronald, indeed in MIA for a while

1199. DVAP Dongle Wish List

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-27 17:50:14 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 1199 Message: 1199

Love this software. It's on 2 Apples and a Linux Ubuntu distro. Always solid.

But I do wish there was a panel that pulled D-star info from the databases, things like Last Heard, Remote Users, etc. so I wouldn't have to toggle among those websites that carry the data. Everything would be in one application. (or is it already there, and I'm blind hi hi)

Any others to add to the Wish List?

73 de KC2WNW
David

1200. Re: DVAP Dongle Wish List

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-28 00:47:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1199 Message: 1200

Hi David.

I put all those things in the DVTool software for the DV Dongle. The design philosophy behind the DVAP was based on the assumption that you would fire up DVAPTool and walk away from the computer to use your DVAP. Indeed, you may actually cause issues with your computer if you key up right next to it. :)

73,
Robin
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1201. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-08-28 17:16:42 UTC
From: billyjack2682006
Topic: 171 Message: 1201

HI THIS IS N9hsm tom. I have been hearing on Dstar call forwarding,

my question can you do it on a DVAP, DV DONGEL.. OR do you have to have a RPT. to do it. WE Don't have a Dstar RPT HERE IN LOIUSVILLE KY, OR CHARLESTOWN,IN. which is about 18 miles northeast of Louisville ky.

I have talk to 2 other people who just got the IC-880H. and we have fun on simplex. but I have a DVAP. I got them talk into getting a DVAP REAL soon.
thanks you all.. You all have help me since I got into Dstar. Tom N9HSM.

1202. Question on Mac OS X DVAPTool recording feature

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-06 00:57:23 UTC
From: Andy Mrozek
Topic: 1202 Message: 1202

Hi all,

I really enjoy the recording feature of the DVAP Tool , I am on Mac os X. I have looked around but haven't been able to locate where they keep a recorded qso ? I would like to archive some of my qso's and archive them , does anyone know where the actual file is kept to be able to archive once a qso has been recorded ?

73 de KI6ZHC

1203. Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-06 01:20:48 UTC
From: Chip G.
Topic: 1203 Message: 1203

My name is Chip, amateur callsign N1MIE. I've been a ham since 1992. At this years Dayton Hamvention I purchased an IC-80AD and a DVAP Dongle. I've only tried a few times to get this working. Frankly it blows my mind every time I try to get it working, although each attempt brings a little learning and gets me further along for the next start. I find the language and process so alien to all my other amateur experiences that it is overwhelming to get all the way there. I think I may be close to my first QSO, but I'm not sure.

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5. After linking to above places, I've tried to transmit a test message using "CQCQCQ" in the UR field. I've yet to get a reply. (As I type I have been listening to REF010C for a long time with no activity.)

I'm curious if there are places I can go where I am more likely to hear activity so I can have my first QSO. If my feeble understanding is correct, I can use the above (UR for a repeater or reflector, RPT1 & RPT2 blank) to connect and talk with folks. Given the DVAP setup, what are the purposes of RPT1 and RPT2? Do I only use RPT1 if I'm connecting (on RF) via a DStar repeater?

OK, now I think I'm going to let my brain cool down for awhile.

If I get this figured out soon I may give a presentation on DStar to my local club.

73,
--de Chip (N1MIE) FN41bn

1204. Re: Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-06 02:26:21 UTC
From: pjhor
Topic: 1203 Message: 1204

Chip,
Try REF001C it has a lot of activity.

This link will show you the current DSTAR activity. When you transmit you should see yourself when it does a refresh(if you internet options are set) otherwise do a manual refresh.
http://nj6n.com/dplusmon/

I use very low power on my IC80 unless I intend to be a distance from the DVAP.

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1205. Re: Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-06 02:27:37 UTC
From: Tom J
Topic: 1203 Message: 1205

Hi Chip and welcome to the world of DSTAR.

It appears your registration worked. The busiest reflector seems to be REF001C. One site you can check to see real time activity is:

http://dstarusers.org/

In fact, when you key up, you should see your call appear in the list.

With the DVAP, you are using simplex mode so RPT 1 and 2 are not necessary.

For DSTAR in general, think of RPT 1 as the repeater you are connecting to. You use this to tell the repeater which node you want to talk with - A, B, or C using the 8th position. So the line will look something like "AA1HD C"

RPT 2 is used to tell the system where else you want your signal to go. It seems most of the DSTAR repeaters out there have gateways attached that allow communications through the internet to other repeaters. So you will tend to use RPT 2 with the repeater's call you are connecting to with "G" in the 8th position so your signal will go through the gateway. This is really important if the repeater is connected to a reflector. So the line will look something like "AA1HD G"

An advanced way to use DSTAR is talking directly to an individual on another repeater. In that case, RPT 2 is used to tell your repeater specifically where to send your signal.

Hope that helped. DSTAR is really fun.

73,
Tom

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1206. Re: [DVAPDongle] Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-06 03:03:23 UTC
From: Gary KN4AQ
Topic: 1203 Message: 1206

Pretty much 100% correct, Chip!

Try REF001C or REF030C for more activity. There is a web site to check your registration, but I don't I have it here in my phone. But if you are connecting to reflectors, it should be set up right.

Go to www.DSTARUSERS.org and look for your call sign after you connect to a reflector.

Connected by DROID on Verizon Wireless

-----Original message-----
From: "Chip G." <n1mie@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, Sep 6, 2011 01:20:48 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Introduction & First Question(s)

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1207. Re: Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-06 23:42:56 UTC
From: Chip
Topic: 1203 Message: 1207

I'm upstairs reading the file, so I'm using the webmail feature of the groups.

One question that I haven't seen answered yet ... when I connect to a reflector it says "receive only". How do I change that so that it'll let me transmit onto the reflector?

I just heard N9PUZ & KF9L have a QSO on REF001C. I have my UR as CQCQCQ but after the QSO when I tried to call N9PUZ I didn't get a response.

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1208. Re: Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-07 02:07:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1203 Message: 1208

Hi Chip. It looks like you figured out your issue. You initially used an "A" in the 8th position of mycall and that letter was not registered as a terminal. When you switched to a space in the 8th character, it let you connect allowing transmit.

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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Gary KN4AQ"<kn4aq@> wrote:
> >
> > Pretty much 100% correct, Chip!
> >
> > Try REF001C or REF030C for more activity. There is a web site to check your
> > registration, but I don't I have it here in my phone. But if you are
> > connecting to reflectors, it should be set up right.
> >
> > Go to www.DSTARUSERS.org and look for your call sign after you connect to a
> > reflector.
> >
> > Connected by DROID on Verizon Wireless
>

1209. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Introduction & First Question(s)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-07 15:54:28 UTC
From: Chip G.
Topic: 1203 Message: 1209

I did with the help of the local SysOp (do they still call them that?). I'm good to go and play. We're going to get that "A" registered as well as I understand the reasons why it is recommended.

Thanks all for the patience with a newbie.

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Chip—N1MIE

On Sep 6, 2011, at 22:07, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi Chip. It looks like you figured out your issue. You initially used an "A" in the 8th position of mycall and that letter was not registered as a terminal. When you switched to a space in the 8th character, it let you connect allowing transmit.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Chip" <n1mie@...> wrote:
>>
>> I'm upstairs reading the file, so I'm using the webmail feature of the groups.
>>
>> One question that I haven't seen answered yet ... when I connect to a reflector it says "receive only". How do I change that so that it'll let me transmit onto the reflector?
>>
>> I just heard N9PUZ & KF9L have a QSO on REF001C. I have my UR as CQCQCQ but after the QSO when I tried to call N9PUZ I didn't get a response.
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>> --Chip/N1MIE
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1210. Just a suggestion.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-09 02:56:18 UTC
From: charlietangosierra
Topic: 1210 Message: 1210

Robin,

Love my DVAP, just wanted to make a quick suggestion. Could we have the option to minimize the DVAPTool to the system tray in the next version? Having to have both those windows open all the time gets on my nerves (I'm OCD about it). Hope you take this into consideration. Thanks!

Scott de KJ4CTS

1211. Re: Just a suggestion.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-09 11:41:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1210 Message: 1211

Hi Scott. Can you not just minimize the windows you don't want to see? Placing an icon in the system tray would use very specific Windows-only code and I'm trying to keep the application consistent across all platforms.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1212. DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-15 03:13:51 UTC
From: jpcurtinae7ld
Topic: 1212 Message: 1212

When I install my DV-AP, it appears that the drivers are loaded correctly. The green LED on the DV-AP flashes slowly. When I download and run the DVAPTool application, I am prompted to check that No DV AP Dongle found. Plug in my device and make sure the green light is blinking. I have repeated this several times, including rebooting my computer (Windows 7 Pro), but because I am doing the exact same thing repeated and expecting a different result, I have joined this Group for someone to tell me what may be wrong.

Thank you in advance.

1213. Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-15 11:48:57 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1212 Message: 1213

Hi. Make sure you plug in your DV Access Point Dongle before starting DVAPTool. Feel free to email me directly if you are still having issues.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1214. RE: [DVAPDongle] DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-15 13:20:41 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1212 Message: 1214
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Boot up your computer first and once it has stabilized, then plug in your DVAP and let the computer recognize it. You may have to unplug and plug-in a couple of time, but wait at least thirty seconds between attempts. My DVAP will almost never work if I boot up the computer with the DVAP plugged in.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of jpcurtinae7ld
Sent: Wednesday, September 14, 2011 11:14 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DV-AP Installation my

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Thank you in advance.

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1392 / Virus Database: 1520/3897 - Release Date: 09/14/11

1215. Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-15 21:22:36 UTC
From: jpcurtinae7ld
Topic: 1212 Message: 1215

Hi, Robin!
I quickly tried what you suggested, but with no luck.

I then moved the DV-AP Dongle to my desktop computer (the initial computer was a laptop. The desktop is a Windows 7 Pro computer. I followed the installation instructions online at the DVAP Dongle website and everything worked okay. When running the DVAPTool, I received the window in which I was able to set up my call sign and frequency.

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I have verified that the DTDI driver is the proper driver.

At one point this morning, it occurred to me that the Norton Internet Security may be blocking things, but the desktop is configured similar to the laptop with Windows 7 Pro and Norton Internet Security.

Is there someway to "undo" the installation, so to speak, and start again?

Thank you in advance.

Best regards,
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1216. Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-15 21:23:34 UTC
From: jpcurtinae7ld
Topic: 1212 Message: 1216

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> No virus found in this message.
> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
> Version: 10.0.1392 / Virus Database: 1520/3897 - Release Date: 09/14/11
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1217. Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-16 11:42:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1212 Message: 1217

Hi Joe. I would download the latest drivers from ftdichip.com and re-install. It just sounds like the driver is not working properly.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1218. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-16 11:59:03 UTC
From: Leanne
Topic: 1212 Message: 1218

Did you try another USB port on the laptop? I have an older one that will give me the same message until I move it to another port.

Leanne
W1WXS

----- Original Message -----
From: "jpcurtinae7ld" <jpcurtinae7ld@...>
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 15, 2011 5:22 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV-AP Installation my

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1219. Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-16 20:16:46 UTC
From: jpcurtinae7ld
Topic: 1212 Message: 1219

Hi, Robin!
I re-installed the latest drivers (again), and seemed to be in the same loop. I again tried different USB ports, which was recommended else on this user group. Specifically, I have three USB ports. One was in use for a wireless mouse and I switched back and forth between the two available USB ports. Still no luck. Lastly, I switched the wireless mouse to one of the other two USB ports and plugged the DV-AP Dongle into the USB port that was previously in use for the wireless mouse. To make a long story shorter, everything worked fine after that. I restored the wireless mouse back to the its initial USB port and tried the DV-AP Dongle on the two remaining USB ports. Everything worked fine. After all of these years in using a Microsoft-based operating system, I am still remarkably impressed as to how Windows can be self-modifying and then later heal.

Thank you for your help. I can now turn to learning how to operate the DV-AP Dongle.

Best regards,
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> > > > Thank you in advance.
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1220. Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-16 20:19:49 UTC
From: jpcurtinae7ld
Topic: 1212 Message: 1220

Hi, Leanne!
I re-installed the latest drivers (again) per advise provided elsewhere on this user group, and seemed to be in the same loop. I again tried different USB ports, as you suggested. Specifically, I have three USB ports. One was in use for a wireless mouse and I switched back and forth between the two available USB ports. Still no luck. Lastly, I switched the wireless mouse to one of the other two USB ports and plugged the DV-AP Dongle into the USB port that was previously in use for the wireless mouse. To make a long story shorter, everything worked fine after that. I restored the wireless mouse back to the its initial USB port and tried the DV-AP Dongle on the two remaining USB ports. Everything worked fine. After all of these years in using a Microsoft-based operating system, I am still remarkably impressed as to how Windows can be self-modifying and then later heal.

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> Sent: Thursday, September 15, 2011 5:22 PM
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1221. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV-AP Installation my

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-17 14:23:57 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 1212 Message: 1221

Wow, I am impressed too!
You re-installed the drivers, swapped USB connections and did the necessary to restore everything to its initial USB port...
And YOU still think Windows is smart? ;-)

73, Bert (pe1kzu)

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> Hi, Leanne!
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Bert van der Zwaan <bert.vanderzwaan@...> verzonden via ibisMail!

1222. Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-25 22:20:36 UTC
From: chiefsfan2
Topic: 432 Message: 1222

I upgraded computers that I run my dvap on. Since I have done that when I connect to a gateway I get the message "remote system linked" but with the addition of "receive only". I have given DVAPtools full access in my McAfee firewall. Any other places I could look to remedy this problem? Thanks

1223. RUnning DVAP on Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-26 06:56:19 UTC
From: zl2arn@xtra.co.nz
Topic: 1223 Message: 1223

Hi Robin & the Group,

Just received my DVAP and having a great time with it.
Thanks Robin for a great device, keep up the development work....

Being a Linux fan, I have run up my DVAPTool under a number of Linux OS's.
And on my old DELL Laptop running Linux Debian 6.

In almost all instances I have come up with the problem of "unable to access the USB port".
This is a common situation with Linux and comes from the rather severe adherence to "permissions" in the Linux System. That is each "user" must, in this case, change the "permission" to use the ttyusb0 device.

This is done quite easily as "Super User", go to /etc and edit the file "group".
Make this change:-

dialout:x:20:(add your user name here) save, and reboot.

You will find dialout near the top of the list.

After doing this AND removing (brltty & Modem Manager) the DVAPTool will start up every time

Have fun

Gordon
ZL2ARN

ps D-Star DV ZL2VH will be going on line very soon.

1224. Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-26 11:48:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 432 Message: 1224

Hi ???. You didn't provide a name nor callsign so I can't look through the logs to try to find out what is going on. The most common cause of your issue is using a letter in the eighth position of your callsign that is not registered.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "chiefsfan2" <chiefsfan2@...> wrote:
>
> I upgraded computers that I run my dvap on. Since I have done that when I
> connect to a gateway I get the message "remote system linked" but with the
> addition of "receive only". I have given DVAPtools full access in my McAfee
> firewall. Any other places I could look to remedy this problem? Thanks
>

1225. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-26 12:18:51 UTC
From: chiefsfan2
Topic: 432 Message: 1225

Thank you, yea that was it so it is working fine now. Thanks Dale N0KQX

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Monday, September 26, 2011 6:49 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

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> firewall. Any other places I could look to remedy this problem? Thanks
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1226. DVAP AND IMAC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-26 13:44:03 UTC
From: g7akm@btinternet.com
Topic: 1226 Message: 1226

Hi All.
I am having problems with the dvap software for mac i install it all okay but when i start the dvap and plug it in the green light does not flash but the red one does any ideas please.

DAVE G7AKM.

1227. Re: DVAP AND IMAC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-26 17:47:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1226 Message: 1227

Hi Dave. Make sure you have installed the latest FTDI drivers from ftdichip.com. Also, make sure you plug the DVAP into the Mac before you start the DVAPTool software.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g7akm@..." <g7akm@...> wrote:
>
> Hi All.
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1228. Re: DVAP AND IMAC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-26 17:48:39 UTC
From: David Pearson
Topic: 1226 Message: 1228

Yes.

1229. Re: Question on Mac OS X DVAPTool recording feature

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-09-27 07:45:30 UTC
From: ik2xyp@ik2xyp.it
Topic: 1202 Message: 1229

Hi,
if you have installed the DVAPTool on the default location (that would be /Applications), then your recording will be located in there.
I just got my DVAP and tried the recording function, and found the file was in there.
I believe you will get a single *.dvrec file containing all the streams related all QSOs that where available at that time (so not a file for each transmission like with DVAR HotSpot).

If you have installed your DVAPTool somewhere else, then I believe the recording file will be located exactly where you have installed the APP; in such case you can use spotlight and search for dvrec and you will find it.

73's de Armando, IK2XYP.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Andy Mrozek <agmrozek@...> wrote:
>
> Hi all,
>
> I really enjoy the recording feature of the DVAP Tool , I am on Mac os X. I
> have looked around but haven't been able to locate where they keep a
> recorded qso ? I would like to archive some of my qso's and archive them ,
> does anyone know where the actual file is kept to be able to archive once a
> qso has been recorded ?
>
> 73 de KI6ZHC
>

1230. Receive Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-10-02 05:19:32 UTC
From: Cory
Topic: 1230 Message: 1230

Hi to all,

I've been using the DVAP for over a year now, all of which was without problems...until now. For some reason I get the well known "receive only" prompt upon linking to reflectors and/or repeaters. I have made no changes to warrant this. Would anyone be able to help me remedy this?

Thanks much!

Cory
WI9EMS

1231. Re: Receive Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-10-02 15:48:15 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1230 Message: 1231

Hi Cory. Your callsign is not registered. Is it possible that someone deleted your registration?

You'll need to re-register. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org/

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Cory" <spankymedic@...> wrote:
>
> Hi to all,
>
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> Thanks much!
>
> Cory
> WI9EMS
>

1232. New Firmware Soon?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-10-23 02:03:27 UTC
From: n8mdh
Topic: 1232 Message: 1232

Robin,

At Dayton this year you spoke of some pretty exciting things you were developing for the DVAP interface/firmware. Are you any closer to releasing an update?

I love my DVAP. But I am craving some new toys for it.

Thanks!

Andrew/N8MDH

1233. DVAP and DV Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-10-27 19:20:26 UTC
From: Andrew T
Topic: 1233 Message: 1233

Dear All,

Has anyone managed to have both the DVAP (red) and the DV Dongle (blue) running at the same time or plugged into the same computer.

I need to disconnect one or the other to have the other one working. If both connected they are showing different COM ports (9 & 11) on my computer but cannot seem to start the DVAP or have this working.

I would really like to use both at the same time on the same computer (with different IDs). This way I can listen when in the shack to 2 different reflectors or repeaters.

Operating system is Windows XP SP3.

Andrew

1234. Re: DVAP and DV Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-10-27 21:30:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1233 Message: 1234

Hi Andrew. I've seen this done by others and have done it myself. You just have to pick the right com port in each of DVTool/DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Andrew T" <es2dy@...> wrote:
>
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> Operating system is Windows XP SP3.
>
> Andrew
>

1235. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and DV Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-10-27 23:40:07 UTC
From: Wb5ugc
Topic: 1233 Message: 1235

Can confirm that this works.

Larry Bowman
817-905-5042

Sent from my iP

On Oct 27, 2011, at 4:30 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> AA4RC
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1236. DVAP not found Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-04 17:47:04 UTC
From: Zach
Topic: 1236 Message: 1236

Hi

first off i would like to say i have been able to get the DVAP working the way its supposed to in the past without a problem. However recently when i needed to reinstall Windows, I have encountered a problem. I installed the USB driver as usual, and that went fine, the Dvap's green light pulsed, and the driver was reported to been functioning right, according to device manager. However when i start Dvtools 1.2, the program informs me that it can't find the DVAP,and therefore won't bring the grey dialog box up. I have not run into this issue before and am a little stumped on where to proceed next in the troubleshooting - Otherwise it has worked great in Win 7, and Xp, before recently. Great product! Keep up the good work and R&D.

Thanks

Zach K7LTF

1237. Re: DVAP not found Windows XP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-04 19:13:20 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1236 Message: 1237

Hi Zach. You might try to download the latest FTDI drivers from www.ftdichip.com. Look for the VCP drivers for windows. Also, make sure the DVAP is plugged in before starting DVAPTool.

If things still do not work, try downloading the batch file:

http://opendstar.org/tools/ftdireg.bat

and run it. Send the output back for analysis.

Thanks,
Robin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Zach" <zach@...> wrote:
>
> Hi
>
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> Thanks
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> Zach K7LTF
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1238. DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-22 18:22:31 UTC
From: Gil
Topic: 1238 Message: 1238

I've had my DVAP for 9 months or so. I got it when our local D-Star repeater was not on the air yet, but the pc controller for it was in use at the trustee's houme, so I could link to its call sign via the DVAP and use my IC-92. It all worked just fine.

The repeater finally got on the air and I put the DVAP aside. The repeater is now out of service again and I dug out the DVAP, but I don't seem to be able to get it working again. I don't think the local repeater's control pc is up and running, so I've even tried linking to reflectors, but without success. My radio talks to the DVAP. The screen says "Devie Opened". The green light blinks when the DVAP is first connected to the USB port, the blue light blinks when the program is running, and the green light comes on steady when it's receiving. It hasn't done any transmitting so I don't remember what's supposed to happen with the lights for that. The device manager (Win7) says it's really connected to COM4. The DVAP software says it's all up to date.

Back when it was working, I had programmed the DVAP linking function for the local repeater call sign into the IC-92's memory for the simplex frequency I've always used with the DVAP. Since there was the remote possibility that the pc for the repeater had been retrieved from the site and set again as a stand alone D-Star pc (using the repeater's call sign, but just without the actual repeater), I tried that link and the DVAP actually said it was "unknown" which tells me that the repeater controller pc is not in use - which is quite likely true. That happened exactly once and I could not repeat it. Anything else I do, including trying (UR=)"DVAP I" (the "I" is in the eighth position...)results in only the signal strength meter showing that the DVAP radio is receiving. The same for (UR=)"REF030CL".

I've got the right simplex frequency in the radio; the radio is in DV mode; I've got MYCALL set to WB2UTI as it always has been; I've got no entries in R1 or R2. I just can't get the DVAP to respond.

There's probably something really simple or stupid that I'm just not seeing right now, but I'm getting quite puzzled by this and I was hoping someone could see the obvious thing I've overlooked. My guess is that it's something in the radio that I've not set up right. I'll confess that this radio still intimidates me somewhat, but I thought I had at least this much figured out already.

Any words of wisdom would be appreciated.

Gil, WB2UTI

1239. DVAP Problem Update...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-22 19:00:01 UTC
From: Gil
Topic: 1239 Message: 1239

For some reason that I can't explain, after about the tenth time of unplugging it and trying different USB ports and finally coming back to the original one, I am now getting responses from my DVAP. The red led lights up as it responds. However, it seems to say "DV Access Point Dongle" no matter what I send to it. I've tried "DVAP I" and "REF030CL" with only that same response. It does record and play back my voice.

When I send the request to link to Reflector 30C the radio displays "Not Linked" to confirm what the DVAP is telling me. (Well, the DVAP is only saying DV Access Point Dongle", not that I'm linked or not...)

I do have an internet connection. What else am I missing here?

Gil, WB2UTI

1240. Re: DVAP Problem Update...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-22 19:11:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1239 Message: 1240

Hi Gil. When you key up with "REF030CL" in URCALL in the radio, what does DVAPTool show as the UR field that it has received?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Gil" <gil.chapin@...> wrote:
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1241. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-22 20:14:38 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1238 Message: 1241

So, when you send something to the DVAP, and go back to receive, you see the signal meter on your radio react? Do you see a red transmitting LED on the DVAP to indicate it is sending something.

Sounds like it could be something silly like tone squelch or callsign squelch set on your radio.

BTW, your registration still looks ok.

73, Matt VK2ACL

On 23/11/2011, at 5:22 AM, "Gil" <gil.chapin@...> wrote:

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1242. Re: DVAP Problem Update...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-22 23:02:38 UTC
From: Gil
Topic: 1239 Message: 1242

Robin, thanks for replying. It doesn't get any better than that.

The DVAP is showing "DVAP I" as if I had interrogated it for information, so I guess it's giving the right answer. As far as I can tell, the radio was not transmitting that request. The display on the radio was showing the request to link to the reflector.

I should mention that the latest development is that I tried and supposedly succeeded in updating the device drivers according to some other posts here. Now I'm back to not hearing anything from the DVAP again and the COM port changed from 4 to 7 although the DVAP still indicates it's talking to the pc OK and the signal strength meter still indicates that it's receiving the radio transmissions, but not reacting to them.

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Gil, WB2UTI
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1243. Re: DVAP Problem Update...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-23 13:37:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1239 Message: 1243

Hmm, the device should not have changed after updating the drivers. Does more than one com port show in the device list? If so, select the other com port.

If the only thing that shows up in DVAPTool for urcall is "DVAP I", then it is either a programming issue with the radio, a noise issue that is keeping the header from making it to DVAPTool intact, a power issue (unlikely but make sure your power level is at its lowest level), or a frequency match issue.

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1244. Re: DVAP Problem Update...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-23 22:18:06 UTC
From: Gil
Topic: 1239 Message: 1244

Well, the reports of my successful recovery may be a little premature...

There's still something out of whack with my situation. Once again I deleted the registry entry for the program and ran it again with the defaults. It offered me only COM7 and I entered my call sign. I tuned the radio to 146.55 and keyed up with UR=REF030CL. It connected nicely.

I changed the program frequency to 147570000 and the radio frequency to 147.570 and tried to unlink. It wouldn't do it. I changed back to 146.55 and it worked. I gets my call sign right in the MY field and it says it's listening to WB2UTI, but it just doesn't pay attention to what I'm asking it to do. It only seems to remember the last thing I asked it to do on the default frequency.

If I ask it to try to connect to (UR=)W4VLG BL when the frequency is set to 146.55 it responds with "Gateway Unknown" as it should because that system is presently inoperative. If I then close the connection and change the frequency to 14757000, and try to link to Reflector 30C (and I see it on the radio's display - it's really sending that as "UR"), it still tells me "Gateway Unknown" and the UR on the computer screen still says WB4VLG BL when I key up (and the computer display says the program is listening to WB2UTI). If I send the unlink command it still says the same thing. But if I change back to the default frequency, and then send the same UR for the reflector, it immediately links to Reflector 30C.

As far as I can tell, the DVAP radio is tuning to the desired frequency. It appears to receive me there and it talks back to me there. It just doesn't do what I think I'm properly asking it to do when it's tuned to 147.57.

I guess the simple solution is just to use it on the default frequency (I haven't tried others yet besides the one I wanted to use but I never had any trouble doing that before (months ago).

I'm still puzzled...

Gil, WB2UTI

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> > > > For some reason that I can't explain, after about the tenth time of unplugging it and trying different USB ports and finally coming back to the original one, I am now getting responses from my DVAP. The red led lights up as it responds. However, it seems to say "DV Access Point Dongle" no matter what I send to it. I've tried "DVAP I" and "REF030CL" with only that same response. It does record and play back my voice.
> > > >
> > > > When I send the request to link to Reflector 30C the radio displays "Not Linked" to confirm what the DVAP is telling me. (Well, the DVAP is only saying DV Access Point Dongle", not that I'm linked or not...)
> > > >
> > > > I do have an internet connection. What else am I missing here?
> > > >
> > > > Gil, WB2UTI
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1245. Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-24 18:47:48 UTC
From: matt e
Topic: 1245 Message: 1245

Hello Group!

Please forgive me if this has been discussed before. I have multiple Android devices(Phones and Tablets). Is there any way to run the DVAP through the USB port? Are there any DVAP tool apps for Android etc?

Man would it be nice to run my DVAP through my cell phone or Galaxy Tab Plus! Talk about a portable setup!

Thanks!

Matt
WY8E

1246. LOUISIANA D-STAR NETS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-24 15:54:01 UTC
From: K5JMR
Topic: 1246 Message: 1246

Starting Tuesday Nov. 29th at 1930 hours central time there will be a D-Star Wx net on Reflector 48b. K5APB will be our 1st net controller. Please plan on checking in if at all possible.

During the Skywarn Recognition event beginning Dec. 2nd at 1800 hours there will be a D-Star net also on Reflector 48b. It will begain approx. 0930 hours on Saturday Dec. 3rd. This net is being advertised worldwide so plan to check in with us.

Mark/K5JMR

1247. Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 08:27:18 UTC
From: VK5ZEA
Topic: 1245 Message: 1247

Hi Matt,

I was thinking about this today as well. I'm not sure how the DVAP Dongle would connect to the Android device if it doesn't have a "host" USB connector. How many Android phones have both host and device USB connectors? Can a device USB connector be pressed into service as a host? I would imagine a special cable would be needed.

Regardless, I agree that an Android + DVAP DOngle or DV Hot Spot would be a killer device... instant and extremely D-Star comms anywhere you have cell phone coverage.

Michael.
VK5ZEA

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1248. Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 14:15:38 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1245 Message: 1248

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Interestingly, I plugged a dongle into a Samsung Galaxy S II and it powered up. There is hope for phones as well.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1249. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 15:09:39 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 1245 Message: 1249

So would someone PLEASE write the code ... it would make for many very happy hams!!!

73's de N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Wednesday, November 30, 2011 9:16 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

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1250. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 15:34:04 UTC
From: Aaron Wolfe
Topic: 1245 Message: 1250

On Wed, Nov 30, 2011 at 9:15 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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Unfortunately, powering a peripheral and actually communicating with it are
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1251. Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 16:15:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1245 Message: 1251

Actually, my android based Motorola Xoom tablet will power and talk with the DV Dongle/DVAP just fine. Most of the honeycomb based android tablets will.

Robin

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1252. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 17:05:45 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 1245 Message: 1252

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Eagerly waiting some replies. BTW, IF you can use it with the Xoom, is there anything special required or do you just plug the DVAP/Dongle in it and you're ready to go?

Donald ~ N2VU

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Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

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1253. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-11-30 19:22:51 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1245 Message: 1253

I have a dual boot 10.1 Viewsonic tablet with two 'real' USB 2 sockets, they power and work with a portable DVD burner fine (one power, the other power and data). It has a Sim card socket for any network too.
Its quite likely it will work with the Dongle or DVAP (on the Windows 7 side), but, the cellular part won't. Cellular does on the Android side however, typical!

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Maybe, if Robin could design a DVAP with a built in rechargeable battery, cellular broadband dongle and client software into one package, that would solve all our problems ;-)
(Only kidding Robin!)

Neil G7EBY.

On 30 November 2011 17:05, Donald James <Studionyc@...> wrote:

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> *Sent:* Wednesday, November 30, 2011 11:15 AM

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1254. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-01 01:11:37 UTC
From: Bob McCormick W1QA
Topic: 1245 Message: 1254

Robin wrote:

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Ah ... now you've got me interested. I need to check out the HP Touchpads
that I picked up a couple of months ago on fire sale (when HP got out of the
tablet business). They're running Cyanogenmod CM7 Alpha which works really
well ...

Bob W1QA

1255. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-01 07:47:55 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 1245 Message: 1255

Hello Neil,

Perhaps a dongle with a Wifi connection..... My Android offers a
Wifi hotspot connection to 3G, would solve a lot of problems.

Wednesday, November 30, 2011, 7:22:51 PM, you wrote:

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>> two different things. I don't doubt that there will come a time when usb
>> host mode is possible on mobile devices, but it's not quite here.
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>> > connectors? Can a device USB connector be pressed into service as a host? I
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Best regards,
John mailto:kvp@...

1256. firmware/software for dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-01 10:03:25 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1256 Message: 1256

is their any new firmware /software planed this year for the dvap with any new features its amazing peace of kit
thanks

1257. My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-01 11:47:44 UTC
From: grantjfleming
Topic: 1257 Message: 1257

First time DVAP user. I can receive stations on all reflectors etc ok. My audio is always reported as breaking up or fading in and out. My internet connection is a fast wireless so I can't see a problem there. The yellow LED on the device does not flash to show that I'm experiencing any packet loss.
Could my device be a little off frequency? I have tried shifting it a little each way as per set-up advice but still no good. My IC-92AD is working fine when connecting direct to D-Star network.

Any advice?

Thanks, Grant VK2HHC

1258. Re: My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-01 14:18:34 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1257 Message: 1258

Hi Grant. If you try a long echo test, that will rule out frequency issues. Wireless connections are often the issue. Can you try a wired connection to rule it out?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@...> wrote:
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> Could my device be a little off frequency? I have tried shifting it a little each way as per set-up advice but still no good. My IC-92AD is working fine when connecting direct to D-Star network.
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> Any advice?
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> Thanks, Grant VK2HHC
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1259. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-01 18:20:32 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1245 Message: 1259

True, but its another layer to the can of worms...

On 1 December 2011 07:47, John Parkins <john@...> wrote:

> Hello Neil,
>
> Perhaps a dongle with a Wifi connection..... My Android offers a
> Wifi hotspot connection to 3G, would solve a lot of problems.
>
> Wednesday, November 30, 2011, 7:22:51 PM, you wrote:
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> BN> I have a dual boot 10.1 Viewsonic tablet with two 'real' USB 2
> BN> sockets, they power and work with a portable DVD burner fine (one
> BN> power, the other power and data). It has a Sim card socket for any
> network too.
> BN> Its quite likely it will work with the Dongle or DVAP (on the
> BN> Windows 7 side), but, the cellular part won't. Cellular does on
> BN> the Android side however, typical!
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> BN> I would tether the other Android phone to the tablet (with
> BN> PDA.NET), but the mobile phone service over here is abysmal, you
> BN> have trouble keeping a voice convo going, let alone data most of the
> time.
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> BN> Maybe, if Robin could design a DVAP with a built in rechargeable
> BN> battery, cellular broadband dongle and client software into one
> BN> package, that would solve all our problems ;-)
> BN> (Only kidding Robin!)
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> BN> Neil G7EBY.
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> BN> On 30 November 2011 17:05, Donald James <Studionyc@...>
> wrote:
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> BN> ARE YOU KIDDING??? Please confirm ... you are using your DVAP
> BN> and/or Dongle with/through the Motorola Xoom tablet? Some here have
> said they couldn't (???)
> BN>
> BN> I'll seriously consider picking one up now if you and others can
> BN> confirm its possible, I've been looking for a convenient way to
> BN> run a DVAP in the car without having to lug a laptop with me for that
> purpose.
> BN>
> BN> Eagerly waiting some replies. BTW, IF you can use it with the
> BN> Xoom, is there anything special required or do you just plug the
> BN> DVAP/Dongle in it and you're ready to go?
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> BN> Donald ~ N2VU
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> BN> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> BN> [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
> BN> Sent: Wednesday, November 30, 2011 11:15 AM
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> BN> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> BN> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Android device....
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> BN> Actually, my android based Motorola Xoom tablet will power and
> BN> talk with the DV Dongle/DVAP just fine. Most of the honeycomb based
> android tablets will.
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> BN>
> BN> Robin

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> BN> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Aaron Wolfe <aawolfe@...> wrote:
> >>
> >> On Wed, Nov 30, 2011 at 9:15 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> >> > **
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> >> >
> >> > Hi Guys. The android tablets have USB OTG (on the go) ports which
> can act
> >> > as devices or hosts. I've plugged a dongle into a Motorola Xoom and
> it
> >> > powered up. The android 3.X release has support for USB host
> functionality
> >> > so it is just a matter of writing the code. :)
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> >> OTG mode is not equivalent to host mode (only a certain limited
> selection
> >> of peripherals types are supported when a port is in OTG mode, like
> >> keyboards). While recent Android software releases do support host
> mode,
> >> most current tablet hardware does not, so it's a moot point on the
> current
> >> crop of tablets (same with phones). Turning an OTG or peripheral port
> >> into a host port is not just a matter of software.
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> >> Unfortunately, powering a peripheral and actually communicating with
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> >> two different things. I don't doubt that there will come a time when
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> Best regards,
> John mailto:kvp@...
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1260. Re: My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-02 12:55:45 UTC
From: grantjfleming
Topic: 1257 Message: 1260

Hi Robin - great to get the reply from the man himself!

A long echo test performed well.
I must now try to find someone with a wired internet connection - this is difficult as everyone I know uses wireless internet these days! My wireless internet is usually at 54Mbps. In what way do you mean wireless connections are often the issue? Are you refering to interfering signals with the dongle?

A little more info to help with fault-finding:
My audio is reported NOT sounding like packet loss (R2D2), but more like broken speech like letting go of the PTT and sounding like having hickups! Sometimes my audio is reported much better than other times.
I have lowered my IC-92AD power to 100mW but regardless of power setting there is no improvement.

Thanks for all your help.

Grant VK2HHC

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> 73,
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> >
> > Any advice?
> >
> > Thanks, Grant VK2HHC
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1261. No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-02 19:20:00 UTC
From: joen7xxx
Topic: 1261 Message: 1261

I just tried to use my DVAP after a month or so of non-use. When I hit the open button, i get a "no gateway found check your internet connection" message. I just got a new dsl/wifi router and have been having port forwarding issues with my IRLP node. Might there be a connection, (

Joe - N7JEHor disconnection) here?

Thanks folks!

Joe - N7JEH

1262. Connectivity issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-03 00:52:48 UTC
From: joen7xxx
Topic: 1262 Message: 1262

I've had my DVAP for quite a while now and have had no problems. I tried to use it today and when I hit the connect button, I get a message saying it cannot find a gateway. The green led is flashing. I did get a new DSL /wireless router from my provider. I have internet connectivity but have had port forwarding problems with my IRLP node. Maybe a port forwarding issue?

Any help is appreciated.

Joe - N7JEH

1263. Re: My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-05 14:14:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1257 Message: 1263

Hi Grant. Wireless connections usually have some degree of packet loss. You don't typically notice it since most applications use TCP connections that resend lost packets. VOIP type apps like D-Star use UDP so that there is minimal latency between packets. UDP packets are not resent when lost. As a result, if you have a problematic wireless connection, you will notice more issues with UDP based apps. The symptoms are choppy audio, not R2D2. This sounds like the problem you are experiencing.

Try the hardwired link if you can. You might also try a different wireless link if possible.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@...> wrote:
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> > Robin
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> > > Any advice?
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> > > Thanks, Grant VK2HHC
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1264. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-05 14:16:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1261 Message: 1264

Hi Joe. That is usually an internet connectivity issue. If you cannot connect to the name server to get the list, it will give you that message. Try browsing the web to make sure you have a good connection and then retry the "Open" button.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "joen7xxx" <jgiraudo@...> wrote:
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> I just tried to use my DVAP after a month or so of non-use. When I hit the open button, i get a "no gateway found check your internet connection" message. I just got a new dsl/wifi router and have been having port forwarding issues with my IRLP node. Might there be a connection, (
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> Thanks folks!
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> Joe - N7JEH
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1265. Re: Connectivity issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-05 14:39:55 UTC
From: Michael Murphy
Topic: 1262 Message: 1265

I had the same problem Friday evening. I was able to connect to Reflector 1C and a one local repeater, but not to several other repeaters. Not sure what was happening. Need to try again this evening.

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1266. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-05 14:40:07 UTC
From: joen7xxx
Topic: 1261 Message: 1266

My web connectivity seems to be fine. Since installing the new DSL router/modem I have had issues with the DVAP, SKYPE and my IRLP node.
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> > Thanks folks!
> >
> > Joe - N7JEH
> >
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1267. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-05 15:21:55 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1257 Message: 1267

On Mon, 2011-12-05 at 14:14 +0000, aa4rc wrote:
> Hi Grant. Wireless connections usually have some degree of packet loss. You don't typically notice it since most applications use TCP connections that resend lost packets. VOIP type apps like D-Star use UDP so that there is minimal latency between packets. UDP packets are not resent when lost. As a result, if you have a problematic wireless connection, you will notice more issues with UDP based apps. The symptoms are choppy audio, not R2D2. This sounds like the problem you are experiencing.
>
> Try the hardwired link if you can. You might also try a different wireless link if possible.
>

Years back when I got into VoIP QOS statistics it was a real mess. Most products on the market ran their numbers as a man in the middle. A Packet sniffer. I said "the endpoints could do this so much better". It is 2011 and sniffing is old hat now in that industry. Everyone is supporting RTCP and the PBX systems are now delivering those statistics to monitoring and reporting applications.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/RTP_Control_Protocol

The dongle software and d-plus are the end points and can know best when packet delivery is causing problems. If the dvap dongle software was to send notice to the user of a problem then that user will slowly see a pattern develop and can solve these network issues.

Maybe they see patterns at night. Maybe they see them when Windows does an update.

There are ideas out there that can solve these problems so that this user does not get a poor quality report from other users. The software provides that.

Another concept that may be nice is a concept of a 'D-Channel'. Since we are not dealing with T1/E1s here we'll rename this to a control channel over TCP. Quality stats as well as connection data can be streamed over this channel.

Both these concepts will create additional load on the server (d-plus), but I think if we are looking to walk down the path of Android something does need to be done to provide a quality stream to network for the benefit of the OTHER users. Part of this requires pro-actively telling the offending user that there are issues in their network.

Chris

1268. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-06 14:30:38 UTC
From: Michael Murphy
Topic: 1261 Message: 1268

I tried mine again last night and got the "No Gateway Found" message on several local and out of state repeaters. However connected to Reflector 1C just fine.

Not sure what is going on unless the repeaters that I am connecting to have internet issues themselves.

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Michael Murphy - KI8R

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1269. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-06 15:53:09 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1261 Message: 1269

Hi Mike. We did notice some flakyness with hosts on the bellsouth (AT&T) network. It impacted several hosts connected to REF030. It seems that it was a short lived issue though.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Murphy <mike@...> wrote:
>
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> several local and out of state repeaters. However connected to Reflector 1C
> just fine.
>
> Not sure what is going on unless the repeaters that I am connecting to have
> internet issues themselves.
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> twitter.com/ki8r
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> www.ki8r.com
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1270. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-06 16:22:12 UTC
From: Pierre Thibaudeau
Topic: 1261 Message: 1270

Le 2011-12-06 10:53, aa4rc a ?crit :
> Hi Mike. We did notice some flakyness with hosts on the bellsouth (AT&T) network. It impacted several hosts connected to REF030. It seems that it was a short lived issue though.

Thanks for the tip Robin,

It might explain also that for the past few days I had an error message when starting DVAP Tool saying it can't get the gateway list and tells to check the Internet connexion. The Internet was othewise working fine, but the common point with this thread is that I was on a Bellsouth (AT&T) connexion when it happened.

'73 - Pierre

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Pierre Thibaudeau sysadmin
VA2RKA/VA2RKB/VE2RIO/VE2RVR/VE2RQF/VE2RTO/
VE2LKL/VE2FCT/VE2RKI/VE2VPS/VA2REX

1271. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-06 18:42:05 UTC
From: Michael Murphy
Topic: 1261 Message: 1271

I received an email from the local repeater owner about my problem of connecting. It appears that there is an issue at the repeater site that won't allow an inbound connection. He said that he would look into it later in the week.

One mystery solved...

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Michael Murphy - KI8R

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1272. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-10 00:04:17 UTC
From: joen7xxx
Topic: 1261 Message: 1272

I reset my router to the defaults and my problem went away. Unfortunately my IRLP node still is unhappy. One at a time!

Thanks for the help

Joe - N7JEH

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "joen7xxx" <jgiraudo@...> wrote:
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> Thanks folks!
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> Joe - N7JEH
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1273. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-11 18:27:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1261 Message: 1273

Hi Joe. We've seen this with some netgear routers. What type do you have?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1274. can it?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-11 19:15:03 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1274 Message: 1274

hello
I plan to buy another dstar radio soon, i wasnt impressed the last time.
I also plan to possibly get a DVAP thing, NOT the other one, the blue one.

Question
Can the DVAP be heard on the audio speaker system on a computer, or does it have to a radio to TX to so to hear the audio on RF only?
Or do I have to have radio to hear the DVAP output?
i am not concerned with txing at the moment, for which I know i must have a radio to0 use the DVAP.

patrick

patrick

1275. Re: can it?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-11 20:10:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1274 Message: 1275

Hi Patrick. The DV Dongle (the blue one) has an AMBE chip so the PC can encode/decode dstar audio. The DV Access Point Dongle (the red one) replaces the AMBE with an RF modem chip. As a result you cannot use one for the other.

Blue = PC speaker/mic
Red = dstar radio

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "blairs_viper2008" <lizzy@...> wrote:
>
> hello
> I plan to buy another dstar radio soon, i wasnt impressed the last time.
> I also plan to possibly get a DVAP thing, NOT the other one, the blue one.
>
> Question
> Can the DVAP be heard on the audio speaker system on a computer, or does it have to a radio to TX to so to hear the audio on RF only?
> Or do I have to have radio to hear the DVAP output?
> i am not concerned with txing at the moment, for which I know i must have a radio to0 use the DVAP.
>
> patrick
>
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> patrick
>

1276. Re: My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-13 11:45:06 UTC
From: grantjfleming
Topic: 1257 Message: 1276

Hi Robin,

Thanks for the reply and your detailed explanation.
When I get a chance I will try another wireless internet connection and also a hard-wired connection as you suggest, I'll let you know how I go.

Cheers
73, Grant

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Grant. Wireless connections usually have some degree of packet loss. You don't typically notice it since most applications use TCP connections that resend lost packets. VOIP type apps like D-Star use UDP so that there is minimal latency between packets. UDP packets are not resent when lost. As a result, if you have a problematic wireless connection, you will notice more issues with UDP based apps. The symptoms are choppy audio, not R2D2. This sounds like the problem you are experiencing.
>
> Try the hardwired link if you can. You might also try a different wireless link if possible.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@> wrote:
> >
> >
> >
> > Hi Robin - great to get the reply from the man himself!
> >
> > A long echo test performed well.
> > I must now try to find someone with a wired internet connection - this is difficult as everyone I know uses wireless internet these days! My wireless internet is usually at 54Mbps. In what way do you mean wireless connections are often the issue? Are you refering to interfering signals with the dongle?
> >
> > A little more info to help with fault-finding:
> > My audio is reported NOT sounding like packet loss (R2D2), but more like broken speech like letting go of the PTT and sounding like having hickups! Sometimes my audio is reported much better than other times.
> > I have lowered my IC-92AD power to 100mW but regardless of power setting there is no improvement.
> >
> > Thanks for all your help.

> >
> > Grant VK2HHC
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Grant. If you try a long echo test, that will rule out frequency issues. Wireless connections are often the issue. Can you try a wired connection to rule it out?
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > First time DVAP user. I can receive stations on all reflectors etc ok. My audio is always reported as breaking up or fading in and out. My internet connection is a fast wireless so I can't see a problem there. The yellow LED on the device does not flash to show that I'm experiencing any packet loss.
> > > > Could my device be a little off frequency? I have tried shifting it a little each way as per set-up advice but still no good. My IC-92AD is working fine when connecting direct to D-Star network.
> > > >
> > > > Any advice?
> > > >
> > > > Thanks, Grant VK2HHC
> > > >
> > >
> >
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1277. Icons for DVAP tool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-14 01:14:19 UTC
From: bigevilcorp
Topic: 1277 Message: 1277

for those of you who enjoy colorful icons like myself find below some links to icons I made for the DVAP tool (its just a image of the DVAP converted to icon format)

Here's what they look like typically

http://i221.photobucket.com/albums/dd299/BigEvilCorp/misc%20forum%20linkage/bc3d4942.jpg

the link below contains a zip with (2) folders, one with the DVAP Tool and the other with the DV Dongle tool icons (they're Mac OS folders). All you do is control+click the folder, click "get info" then click on the icon and command+c (that copies the icon). After that find your DVAP tool in your applications folder, control+click, select get info, click the current icon and hit command+v (that should paste the icon)

youll have a pretty little icon to accompany your DVAPing....

Here's the link. Enjoy!

http://bit.ly/rCV2zp

1278. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-23 22:13:26 UTC
From: dl2kbj
Topic: 1261 Message: 1278

Hello,
yesterday i started for the first time with my new dvap dongle. It worked fine. But today i get (without changing anything) this message...
How can i check if the IP-adress is online to which the dvap checks the internet connection?
The internet connection works properly with all other apps.
73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ/KF5HVE

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mike. We did notice some flakyness with hosts on the bellsouth (AT&T) network. It impacted several hosts connected to REF030. It seems that it was a short lived issue though.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Murphy <mike@> wrote:
> >
> > I tried mine again last night and got the "No Gateway Found" message on
> > several local and out of state repeaters. However connected to Reflector 1C
> > just fine.
> >
> > Not sure what is going on unless the repeaters that I am connecting to have
> > internet issues themselves.
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> > Michael Murphy - KI8R
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> > www.ki8r.com
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1279. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-23 23:23:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1261 Message: 1279

Hi Wolfgang. The logs showed that you got the gateway list today and connected to both REF005 and REF006 with your DVAP. Are you still having issues?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dl2kbj" <ham@...> wrote:
>
> Hello,
> yesterday i started for the first time with my new dvap dongle. It worked fine. But today i get (without changing anything) this message...
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1280. CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 02:56:20 UTC
From: KB8VAO
Topic: 1280 Message: 1280

Hello Group,
I set up my DVAP Dongle, and Registered on D-Star through the K3AWS Repeater. According to the directions I found, I typed my call sign into DVAP Tool with a space and then "A". In the directions I found, it said the "A" would not show up, but I see it when I check the "LAST HEARD on K3AWS". If I remove the "A", the system will say Connected, "RECEIVE ONLY". Can someone Please tell me how I can remove the "A"? I see other calls listed without the letter. I've searched around, but can't find info on this. Probably not looking in the right place, but I'm new at D-Star. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Looking forward to chatting with many of you in the future. Any hints or tricks, to help a newbie would be greatly appreciated. Got the Nifty EZ Guide, but just haven't had time to sit down and read the whole thing.
Thank You in Advance.
73 de KB8VAO, Steve

1281. Re: [DVAPDongle] CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 04:46:48 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1280 Message: 1281

just log into the repeater where you registered (K3AWS) and create a second terminal entry, where the "initial" field is set to a "space" character (you must physically type the space character into the box).

If you try to use a different repeater, you may need to wait some time for this change t propagate throughout the network.

73, Matt VK2ACL

On 24/12/2011, at 1:56 PM, KB8VAO wrote:

> Hello Group,
> I set up my DVAP Dongle, and Registered on D-Star through the K3AWS Repeater. According to the directions I found, I typed my call sign into DVAP Tool with a space and then "A". In the directions I found, it said the "A" would not show up, but I see it when I check the "LAST HEARD on K3AWS". If I remove the "A", the system will say Connected, "RECEIVE ONLY". Can someone Please tell me how I can remove the "A"? I see other calls listed without the letter. I've searched around, but can't find info on this. Probably not looking in the right place, but I'm new at D-Star. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Looking forward to chatting with many of you in the future. Any hints or tricks, to help a newbie would be greatly appreciated. Got the Nifty EZ Guide, but just haven't had time to sit down and read the whole thing.
> Thank You in Advance.
> 73 de KB8VAO, Steve
>
>

1282. Re: No Gateway Found message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 12:29:16 UTC
From: dl2kbj
Topic: 1261 Message: 1282

Hi Robin,
it works again :-) I don't know why, i didn't change anything. Maybe it was a local ketwork problem in DL? :-)
merry xmas to all.
73 de Wolfgang

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Wolfgang. The logs showed that you got the gateway list today and connected to both REF005 and REF006 with your DVAP. Are you still having issues?
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > Hello,
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> > The internet connection works properly with all other apps.
> > 73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ/KF5HVE
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> > > 73,
> > > Robin
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> > > > just fine.
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> > > > Not sure what is going on unless the repeaters that I am connecting to have
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1283. Re: [DVAPDongle] CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 13:46:42 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1280 Message: 1283

Robin has suggested that "A" be used so people know you are on a DVAP and can't be call sign routed to.

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

[image: WordPress] <http://fatcat46.wordpress.com/> My latest post:Illegal immigrants voting in New Haven Connecticut<http://fatcat46.wordpress.com/2011/12/23/illegal-immigrants-voting-in-new-haven-connecticut/>Mayor Distefano wants to allow illegal immigrants to vote in the city of New Haven. Why should th...
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On Fri, Dec 23, 2011 at 11:46 PM, Matt Maguire <vk2acl@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> just log into the repeater where you registered (K3AWS) and create a
> second terminal entry, where the "initial" field is set to a "space"
> character (you must physically type the space character into the box).
>
> If you try to use a different repeater, you may need to wait some time for
> this change t propagate throughout the network.
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> 73, Matt VK2ACL
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> On 24/12/2011, at 1:56 PM, KB8VAO wrote:
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> Hello Group,
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> Repeater. According to the directions I found, I typed my call sign into
> DVAP Tool with a space and then "A". In the directions I found, it said the
> "A" would not show up, but I see it when I check the "LAST HEARD on K3AWS".
> If I remove the "A", the system will say Connected, "RECEIVE ONLY". Can
> someone Please tell me how I can remove the "A"? I see other calls listed
> without the letter. I've searched around, but can't find info on this.
> Probably not looking in the right place, but I'm new at D-Star. Any help
> would be greatly appreciated. Looking forward to chatting with many of you
> in the future. Any hints or tricks, to help a newbie would be greatly
> appreciated. Got the Nifty EZ Guide, but just haven't had time to sit down
> and read the whole thing.
> Thank You in Advance.
> 73 de KB8VAO, Steve
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1284. Re: CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 15:01:40 UTC
From: KB8VAO
Topic: 1280 Message: 1284

Thank You for the help. I tried it, but when I log in the system replies with "RECEIVE ONLY". So I've asked the repeater owner to delete me from the system, and I will try to register again, without the "A". 73, Steve KB8VAO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KB8VAO" <kb8vao@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group,
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> Thank You in Advance.
> 73 de KB8VAO, Steve
>

1285. "Receive only"...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 15:49:33 UTC
From: Cory
Topic: 1285 Message: 1285

Happy Holidays to the group,

I'm sure that this topic has been brought up ad nauseum, but I do need to bring it up once more, as I couldn't find any posts that worked for my situation.

I've had my DVAP for about a year now, and it's worked flawlessly up until a couple months ago. Once day when I fired it up and it connected me with "receive only"...I didn't do anything different that time, and it has been this way ever since.

I understand that this is a common issue, one that I hope has a rather simple solution. If anyone could help me with this, I would really be grateful.

Wishing everyone and their families the very best this holiday season.

73,

Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, CCP
WI9EMS

1286. Re: "Receive only"...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 17:55:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1285 Message: 1286

Hi Cory. It doesn't look like your callsign is registered. To transmit, you'll need to follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org/. Perhaps you were deleted from the gateway where you registered before?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Cory" <spankymedic@...> wrote:
>
> Happy Holidays to the group,
>
> I'm sure that this topic has been brought up ad nauseum, but I do need to bring it up once more, as I couldn't find any posts that worked for my situation.
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> I've had my DVAP for about a year now, and it's worked flawlessly up until a couple months ago. Once day when I fired it up and it connected me with "receive only"...I didn't do anything different that time, and it has been this way ever since.
>
> I understand that this is a common issue, one that I hope has a rather simple solution. If anyone could help me with this, I would really be grateful.
>
> Wishing everyone and their families the very best this holiday season.
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> 73,
>
> Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, CCP
> WI9EMS
>

1287. Re: CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 18:02:53 UTC
From: Kenneth
Topic: 1280 Message: 1287

you need both one with the A at the end for your dvap. And the one without the A for your radio.

that is the correct way to setup it up. you just need to setup a terminal with out the A on the gateway
you registered on.

ken n1dot

that is the way i run mine with dvaptool.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KB8VAO" <kb8vao@...> wrote:
>
> Thank You for the help. I tried it, but when I log in the system replies with "RECEIVE ONLY". So I've asked the repeater owner to delete me from the system, and I will try to register again, without the "A". 73, Steve KB8VAO
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KB8VAO" <kb8vao@> wrote:
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> > Hello Group,
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> > Thank You in Advance.
> > 73 de KB8VAO, Steve
> >
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1288. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 18:04:40 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1280 Message: 1288

Don't do that, just create a new terminal entry in your existing registration like you did the first time, but for this entry use a ' ' (space) character instead of an 'A'

/Matt VK2ACL

On 25/12/2011, at 2:01 AM, "KB8VAO" <kb8vao@...> wrote:

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1289. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: "Receive only"...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 18:49:24 UTC
From: George
Topic: 1285 Message: 1289

Robin I have spoken to you in the past. I was registered on both w4aes and ka4res. At my request I was deleted from w4aes last Sunday. Since then I can't get on using my dongle. I get message linked but receive only. I checked my registration on ka4res and realized had not listed radios. I made 2 entries for my 92 ad and dongle using the letters R & V respectfully. Still get the same message. Have tried my call sign only, with a A and a V without success on the DVAP screen. Do you have any suggestions. Tnx
George
KD2AU
Sent from my Smart Phone

-----Original Message-----
From: "aa4rc" <aa4rc@interlabs.com>
Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sat, 24 Dec 2011 17:55:16
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: "Receive only"...

Hi Cory. It doesn't look like your callsign is registered. To transmit, you'll need to follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org/. Perhaps you were deleted from the gateway where you registered before?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Cory" <spankymedic@...> wrote:
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> I understand that this is a common issue, one that I hope has a rather simple solution. If anyone could help me with this, I would really be grateful.
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> Wishing everyone and their families the very best this holiday season.
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> 73,
>
> Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, CCP
> WI9EMS

>

1290. Re: "Receive only"...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 21:07:18 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1285 Message: 1290

Hi George. Until you complete the instructions as listed at www.dstargateway.org (by creating a "space" terminal), you will have to use the letters you register.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "George" <georged1_us@...> wrote:
>
> Robin I have spoken to you in the past. I was registered on both w4aes and ka4res. At my request I was deleted from w4aes last Sunday. Since then I can't get on using my dongle. I get message linked but receive only. I checked my registration on ka4res and realized had not listed radios. I made 2 entries for my 92 ad and dongle using the letters R & V respectfully. Still get the same message. Have tried my call sign only, with a A and a V without success on the DVAP screen. Do you have any suggestions. Tnx
> George
> KD2AU
> Sent from my Smart Phone
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> -----Original Message-----
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> Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Sat, 24 Dec 2011 17:55:16
> To: <DVAPDongle@...m>
> Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: "Receive only"...
>
> Hi Cory. It doesn't look like your callsign is registered. To transmit, you'll need to follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org/. Perhaps you were deleted from the gateway where you registered before?
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Cory" <spankymedic@> wrote:
> >
> > Happy Holidays to the group,
> >
> > I'm sure that this topic has been brought up ad nauseum, but I do need to bring it up once more, as I couldn't find any posts that worked for my situation.
> >
> > I've had my DVAP for about a year now, and it's worked flawlessly up until a couple months ago. Once day when I fired it up and it connected me with "receive only"...I didn't

do anything different that time, and it has been this way ever since.
> >
> > I understand that this is a common issue, one that I hope has a rather simple solution. If anyone could help me with this, I would really be grateful.
> >
> > Wishing everyone and their families the very best this holiday season.
> >
> > 73,
> >
> > Cory T. Spankowski, NREMT-P, CCP
> > WI9EMS
> >
>

1291. Re: CALL SIGN w/ "A" showing on REPEATER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-24 23:03:27 UTC
From: KB8VAO
Topic: 1280 Message: 1291

Hello Group, Happy Hanukkah! Merry Christmas!
Thank You for the help. Everything seems to be running as normal again.Now I just have figure out linking, and routing to other repeaters to make contacts.
Thanks again es 73,
I hope to catch you on D-STAR soon!
de KB8VAO, Steve

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KB8VAO" <kb8vao@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group,
> I set up my DVAP Dongle, and Registered on D-Star through the K3AWS Repeater. According to the directions I found, I typed my call sign into DVAP Tool with a space and then "A". In the directions I found, it said the "A" would not show up, but I see it when I check the "LAST HEARD on K3AWS". If I remove the "A", the system will say Connected, "RECEIVE ONLY". Can someone Please tell me how I can remove the "A"? I see other calls listed without the letter. I've searched around, but can't find info on this. Probably not looking in the right place, but I'm new at D-Star. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Looking forward to chatting with many of you in the future. Any hints or tricks, to help a newbie would be greatly appreciated. Got the Nifty EZ Guide, but just haven't had time to sit down and read the whole thing.
> Thank You in Advance.
> 73 de KB8VAO, Steve
>

1292. DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 00:13:49 UTC
From: bradcase.iphone
Topic: 1292 Message: 1292

Just installed the DVAP and get linked in but receive only mode. My callsign shows up on the reflector. Should I be using W0TVS or W0TVS A on the DVAP screen.

Brad

1293. Re: DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 00:17:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1292 Message: 1293

Hi Brad. Your callsign is registered but you don't have any terminals registered. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for adding a terminal.

Note that a terminal of "space" allows you to use "W0TVS" and adding a terminal of "A" lets you use "W0TVS A".

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bradcase.iphone" <bradcase.iphone@...> wrote:
>
> Just installed the DVAP and get linked in but receive only mode. My callsign shows up on the reflector. Should I be using W0TVS or W0TVS A on the DVAP screen.
>
> Brad
>

1294. Re: DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 00:31:42 UTC
From: bradcase.iphone
Topic: 1292 Message: 1294

ok thanks for the quick response, I think I have tried to register, but not sure if I did it right.

I guess I don't understand how to add a terminal, if you could send a URL that would help.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Brad. Your callsign is registered but you don't have any terminals registered. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for adding a terminal.
>
> Note that a terminal of "space" allows you to use "W0TVS" and adding a terminal of "A" lets you use "W0TVS A".
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bradcase.iphone" <bradcase.iphone@> wrote:
> >
> > Just installed the DVAP and get linked in but receive only mode. My callsign shows up on the reflector. Should I be using W0TVS or W0TVS A on the DVAP screen.
> >
> > Brad
> >
>

1295. Windows 7 64

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 01:16:08 UTC
From: k4fh
Topic: 1295 Message: 1295

Normally I use Linux with the DVAP. Today I tried my parent's Pc with is a HP Windows 7 64 bit. This is a HP TouchSmart. The computer and LCD are made as one. When I plugged in the DVAP the LEDs flashed briefly and the computer immediately made the sound of unsucessful detection. This is not the normal "Installing.." then a prompt for drivers. This is as if it tried, but failed to detect anything. I then fired up my netbook and it worked fine.

Has anyone else experienced this?

73,
Chris k4fh

1296. Just ordered a dvap gotta dongle with a macbook pro os lion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 10:03:18 UTC
From: Darren
Topic: 1296 Message: 1296

Hi guys ,

I am about to use a Dvap , one thing does concern me with the ordinary dongle is I seem to get logge out after a couple of mins on the reflector , "emptying buffer "
No idea what this is all about , hopig i am not gonna have the same hassles with dvap ,i have gotUbuntu but dont reallywant to fork out buying windows. Would be very grateful of any ideas on this one ?

Deepest Respect

Stu

1297. Re: DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 14:03:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1292 Message: 1297

Hi Brad. The URL was included in my message. You will see it below. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bradcase.iphone" <bradcase.iphone@...> wrote:
>
> ok thanks for the quick response, I think I have tried to register, but not sure if I did it right.
>
> I guess I don't understand how to add a terminal, if you could send a URL that would help.
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi Brad. Your callsign is registered but you don't have any terminals registered. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for adding a terminal.
> >
> > Note that a terminal of "space" allows you to use "W0TVS" and adding a terminal of "A" lets you use "W0TVS A".
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bradcase.iphone" <bradcase.iphone@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Just installed the DVAP and get linked in but receive only mode. My callsign shows up on the reflector. Should I be using W0TVS or W0TVS A on the DVAP screen.
> > >
> > > Brad
> > >
> >
>

1298. Re: Windows 7 64

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 14:05:15 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1295 Message: 1298

Hi Chris. It sounds like the drivers did not install properly. Go to http://www.ftdichip.com and download the latest VCP drivers for Windows.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k4fh" <k4fh@...> wrote:
>
> Normally I use Linux with the DVAP. Today I tried my parent's Pc with is a HP Windows
> 7 64 bit. This is a HP TouchSmart. The computer and LCD are made as one. When I
> plugged in the DVAP the LEDs flashed briefly and the computer immediately made the
> sound of unsucessful detection. This is not the normal "Installing.." then a prompt
> for drivers. This is as if it tried, but failed to detect anything. I then fired up
> my netbook and it worked fine.
>
> Has anyone else experienced this?
>
> 73,
> Chris k4fh
>

1299. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle Installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-26 15:57:34 UTC
From: Brad Case
Topic: 1292 Message: 1299

Robin

Added the info last night for W0TVS as of this morning still can't access the reflector to transmit. How long does it normally take?

Brad
Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 26, 2011, at 8:03, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi Brad. The URL was included in my message. You will see it below. :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bradcase.iphone" <bradcase.iphone@...> wrote:
>>
>> ok thanks for the quick response, I think I have tried to register, but not sure if I did it right.
>>
>> I guess I don't understand how to add a terminal, if you could send a URL that would help.
>>
>> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
>>>
>>> Hi Brad. Your callsign is registered but you don't have any terminals registered. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for adding a terminal.
>>>
>>> Note that a terminal of "space" allows you to use "W0TVS" and adding a terminal of "A" lets you use "W0TVS A".
>>>
>>> 73,
>>> Robin
>>> AA4RC
>>>
>>>
>>> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bradcase.iphone" <bradcase.iphone@> wrote:
>>>>
>>>> Just installed the DVAP and get linked in but receive only mode. My callsign shows up on the reflector. Should I be using W0TVS or W0TVS A on the DVAP screen.
>>>>
>>>> Brad
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1300. ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-27 12:34:06 UTC
From: benybarr
Topic: 1300 Message: 1300

Hello: Now that we have a great new radio (ID-31)are there is any plan to make a DVAP 70cm ,so the unlucky guys can enjoy the new radio too ??
or maybe make something a little big biger a dual band peraphs?
the info will be greatly appreciated.
Respectfully yours
Ben KC2RXV.

1301. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-27 14:24:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1300 Message: 1301

Hi Ben. We are "thinking" about it... :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "benybarr" <benybarr@...> wrote:
>
> Hello: Now that we have a great new radio (ID-31)are there is any plan to make a DVAP 70cm ,so the unlucky guys can enjoy the new radio too ??
> or maybe make something a little big biger a dual band peraphs?
> the info will be greatly appreciated.
> Respectfully yours
> Ben KC2RXV.
>

1302. dvap tool new features

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-27 15:06:37 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1302 Message: 1302

is there going to be any new features to the dvaptool in the future (e.g. aprs , dvap to dvap qso) thanks

1303. DVAP red Case cracking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-27 15:06:46 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1303 Message: 1303

Is there a process for purchasing a replacement case for my DVAP?

Thanks

WA6JFK

1304. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-27 21:51:47 UTC
From: Glenn Wright
Topic: 1300 Message: 1304

While your thinking about it, I'm waiting to order.

On 12/27/2011 02:24 PM, aa4rc wrote:
>
>
> Hi Ben. We are "thinking" about it... :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "benybarr" <benybarr@...> wrote:
> >
> > Hello: Now that we have a great new radio (ID-31)are there is any
> plan to make a DVAP 70cm ,so the unlucky guys can enjoy the new radio
> too ??
> > or maybe make something a little big biger a dual band peraphs?
> > the info will be greatly appreciated.
> > Respectfully yours
> > Ben KC2RXV.
>
--
73 de Glenn

1305. Re: DVAP red Case cracking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-28 04:04:56 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1303 Message: 1305

Hi Brian. Send me a direct email and I'll see what can be done.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Brian Frobisher <froby@...> wrote:
>
> Is there a process for purchasing a replacement case for my DVAP?
>
> Thanks
>
> WA6JFK
>

1306. Re: My audio is reported as breaking up or fading in/out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-28 10:52:38 UTC
From: grantjfleming
Topic: 1257 Message: 1306

Hi again Robin & the group.

Well, after being back at my home QTH for a week I have found that my DVAP audio is always reported as fine now, issue solved!

I am using the same internet wireless modem as always. The only difference would have probably been in the quality (or lack of quality) of my internet wireless connection while I was travelling. My home QTH apparently achieves a good data transfer wirelessly.

As I stated before, this wireless modem has no problems surfing the net and downloading at a good speed while I am travelling. But as you say - maybe not always good enough in some locations for a 'real-time' application like D-Star.

Thanks again for all your help.
73, Grant, VK2HHC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@...> wrote:
>
>
>
> Hi Robin,
>
> Thanks for the reply and your detailed explanation.
> When I get a chance I will try another wireless internet connection and also a hard-wired connection as you suggest, I'll let you know how I go.
>
> Cheers
> 73, Grant
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi Grant. Wireless connections usually have some degree of packet loss. You don't typically notice it since most applications use TCP connections that resend lost packets. VOIP type apps like D-Star use UDP so that there is minimal latency between packets. UDP packets are not resent when lost. As a result, if you have a problematic wireless connection, you will notice more issues with UDP based apps. The symptoms are choppy audio, not R2D2. This sounds like the problem you are experiencing.
> >
> > Try the hardwired link if you can. You might also try a different wireless link if possible.
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
> >

> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@> wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > >
> > > Hi Robin - great to get the reply from the man himself!
> > >
> > > A long echo test performed well.
> > > I must now try to find someone with a wired internet connection - this is difficult as everyone I know uses wireless internet these days! My wireless internet is usually at 54Mbps. In what way do you mean wireless connections are often the issue? Are you refering to interfering signals with the dongle?
> > >
> > > A little more info to help with fault-finding:
> > > My audio is reported NOT sounding like packet loss (R2D2), but more like broken speech like letting go of the PTT and sounding like having hickups! Sometimes my audio is reported much better than other times.
> > > I have lowered my IC-92AD power to 100mW but regardless of power setting there is no improvement.
> > >
> > > Thanks for all your help.
> > >
> > > Grant VK2HHC
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Hi Grant. If you try a long echo test, that will rule out frequency issues. Wireless connections are often the issue. Can you try a wired connection to rule it out?
> > > >
> > > > 73,
> > > > Robin
> > > > AA4RC
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "grantjfleming" <grantjfleming@> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > First time DVAP user. I can receive stations on all reflectors etc ok. My audio is always reported as breaking up or fading in and out. My internet connection is a fast wireless so I can't see a problem there. The yellow LED on the device does not flash to show that I'm experiencing any packet loss.
> > > > > Could my device be a little off frequency? I have tried shifting it a little each way as per set-up advice but still no good. My IC-92AD is working fine when connecting direct to D-Star network.
> > > > >
> > > > > Any advice?
> > > > >
> > > > > Thanks, Grant VK2HHC
> > > > >
> > > >
> > >
> >

>

1307. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-28 14:59:37 UTC
From: Wayne
Topic: 1300 Message: 1307

I'm with them, need 70cm version.
Waiting patiently.....

1308. How to TX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-29 20:18:21 UTC
From: owain.m0opg
Topic: 1308 Message: 1308

Just bought a DVAP but it only allows RX only. I have loaded everthing as per instructions. Please can someone help with a detaild way of solving this issue many thanks. M0OPG.

1309. RX on DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-29 20:21:03 UTC
From: owain.m0opg
Topic: 1309 Message: 1309

Sorry forgot to metion that I use an IC-E2820

1310. Re: How to TX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-29 23:07:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1308 Message: 1310

Hi. You have registered a "space" terminal but are using an "A" as the eighth character of mycall. Either change the "A" to a space or register an "A" terminal as well.

The eighth character of mycall must match a registered terminal (initial).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "owain.m0opg" <owain.m0opg@...> wrote:
>
> Just bought a DVAP but it only allows RX only. I have loaded everthing as per instructions. Please can someone help with a detaild way of solving this issue many thanks. M0OPG.
>

1311. gps idea

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2011-12-31 13:55:22 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1311 Message: 1311

hi is ther anyway of implamenting into the gps side the tells the outher station ware you last tx (e.g ref001a) can this be sent over with your gps latatude and longdatude and show on aprs.fi in the status message side would be a good if this could be done then people would know ware to go to find you insted of hunting all the reflectors i know that the yaesu ftm350 radio can do this it show ware you are on the band and what freq this would be a good feature for the dvap
thanks

1312. RE: [DVAPDongle] gps idea

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-01 20:03:01 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1311 Message: 1312
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I believe that what you are asking for is already there.

Currently if I am sending GPS-A positions, they will get sent to aprs.fi. On APRS.fi, you will see your position AND it will show the distance to the "digi" which in D-STAR is the repeater (module and often frequency) that your friend's signal was heard on. Connect to the repeater and there he is.

And of course call sign routing should also work, without know his location.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of SCOTT
Sent: Saturday, December 31, 2011 8:55 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] gps idea

hi is ther anyway of implamenting into the gps side the tells the outher station ware you last tx (e.g ref001a) can this be sent over with your gps latatude and longdatude and show on aprs.fi in the status message side would be a good if this could be done then people would know ware to go to find you insted of hunting all the reflectors i know that the yaesu ftm350 radio can do this it show ware you are on the band and what freq this would be a good feature for the dvap
thanks

1313. Re: gps idea

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-01 20:39:20 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1311 Message: 1313

Actually, this does not happen with the DVAP currently.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@...> wrote:
>
> I believe that what you are asking for is already there.
>
> Currently if I am sending GPS-A positions, they will get sent to aprs.fi. On APRS.fi, you will see your position AND it will show the distance to the "digi" which in D-STAR is the repeater (module and often frequency) that your friend's signal was heard on. Connect to the repeater and there he is.
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> And of course call sign routing should also work, without know his location.
>
>
> Ed WA4YIH
>
> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of SCOTT
> Sent: Saturday, December 31, 2011 8:55 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] gps idea
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>
> hi is ther anyway of implamenting into the gps side the tells the outher station ware you last tx (e.g ref001a) can this be sent over with your gps latatude and longdatude and show on aprs.fi in the status message side would be a good if this could be done then people would know ware to go to find you insted of hunting all the reflectors i know that the yaesu ftm350 radio can do this it show ware you are on the band and what freq this would be a good feature for the dvap
> thanks
>

1314. Re: [DVAPDongle] gps idea

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-02 15:58:12 UTC
From: Dale Tongue
Topic: 1311 Message: 1314

I'm new to this group so please forgive me if this isn't appropriate, but there may be another fix for this (workaround). I'm not familiar with APRS, but isn't there a way to put a small message in your APRS transmission? I thought in the many briefings I've been in...that you could put a message in there. The message could be "hanging out on ref001a" and people would know where to go look for you.
Dale
AC7NP

On Sat, Dec 31, 2011 at 5:55 AM, SCOTT <mm3lso@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> hi is ther anyway of implamenting into the gps side the tells the outher
> station ware you last tx (e.g ref001a) can this be sent over with your gps
> latatude and longdatude and show on aprs.fi in the status message side
> would be a good if this could be done then people would know ware to go to
> find you insted of hunting all the reflectors i know that the yaesu ftm350
> radio can do this it show ware you are on the band and what freq this would
> be a good feature for the dvap
> thanks
>
>
>

1315. Re: gps idea

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-02 20:02:38 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1311 Message: 1315

yes you could do that but their is load of reflectors and you would have to go into your menu system all the time and change it to ware you are the way it would be good if it worked if you were on ref010c and you keyed your mic the software would put it on the aprs map in the status message part that your on ref010c then if you moved to ref001a and keyed the mic it would do the same and so on it might no be able to be done but it just a idea but the dvaptool currently do sent support gps/aprs

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dale Tongue <dale.tongue@...> wrote:
>
> I'm new to this group so please forgive me if this isn't appropriate, but
> there may be another fix for this (workaround). I'm not familiar with
> APRS, but isn't there a way to put a small message in your APRS
> transmission? I thought in the many briefings I've been in...that you
> could put a message in there. The message could be "hanging out on
> ref001a" and people would know where to go look for you.
> Dale
> AC7NP
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> > **
> >
> >
> > hi is ther anyway of implamenting into the gps side the tells the outher
> > station ware you last tx (e.g ref001a) can this be sent over with your gps
> > latatude and longdatude and show on aprs.fi in the status message side
> > would be a good if this could be done then people would know ware to go to
> > find you insted of hunting all the reflectors i know that the yaesu ftm350
> > radio can do this it show ware you are on the band and what freq this would
> > be a good feature for the dvap
> > thanks
> >
> >
> >
>

1316. A bad idea?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-08 13:13:36 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1316 Message: 1316

hello
I am just floating the idea of using advap dongle as a hotpsot for
DV (dstar). I was thinking about the possibility of amplifying the RF
to maybe 10 watts ERP, as allowed in the uk. Of course I understand the dongle was never
designed or intended to be used in that way.
I have concerns about the spectrual purity and harmonics etc when increasing the output
using an amplifier. Of course the other factors need thinking about, such as overloading
the dongles reciever amongst other things. it isd omly an idea. it is a lot less
aggravation than building a potentially unreliable GMSK node.

(Of course in the UK i will need an NOV, and OFCOM are currently NOT permitting GMSK nodes
in the UK on 2 meters).

Any opinions on this, especially from Robin?

pk

1317. DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-08 21:03:03 UTC
From: kk4clf_shawn
Topic: 1317 Message: 1317

I have owned my DVAP for almost a year with no problems. I have had it running under Windows as well as Ubuntu.

Now when I try to connect to my DVAP (in my normal Windows OS), my radio flashes the "DV" indicator and I get a message that says "FM DET". I have no idea what this is.

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Thank you for any help,
Shawn
AD4SB

1318. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-09 02:02:51 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1317 Message: 1318

fm detect usually means the radio is detecting a non-digital signal on that frequency. try a different frequency.

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Sun, Jan 8, 2012 at 4:03 PM, kk4clf_shawn <kk4clf@...> wrote:

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> Thank you for any help,
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1319. Dvap Newbie

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-09 06:38:37 UTC
From: bradmccoy@att.net
Topic: 1319 Message: 1319

I just bought the DVAP and I have windows 7 64 bit,
I plugged it in to USB port but nothing popped up No new device found or anything the lights blinked but that was it. I downloaded a folder CDM20817 but I cant figure out where to go from there any help would be welcome this is very new to me so please forgive the noob question.

thanks

Bradley

1320. Re: Dvap Newbie

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-09 15:34:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1319 Message: 1320

Hi Bradley. If you plug in the DVAP and it slowly pulses green, you may have the drivers already in place. Run DVAPTool and see if it shows the device.

If not, you can extract the CDM zip file to a folder and manually run the new hardware wizard. You can do that by right clicking on "Computer" icon on your desktop and selecting "Properties", then look for the devices section. You can right click on the uninstalled USB device and do a driver update from there.

If you have problems with this, send me an email directly and I will walk you through it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> thanks
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> Bradley
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1321. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-09 15:41:43 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1317 Message: 1321
Attachments: 4 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

You didn't say which radio you're using, but FM detect on the IC-80AD can be turned on or off. It may be completely unrelated to the issue you described. Check that feature on your radio.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Fran Miele
Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2012 9:03 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

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1322. Re: [DVAPDongle] A bad idea?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-09 18:18:02 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1316 Message: 1322

PK,

You are correct in being concerned with the spectral purity, this is in effect a low power data transceiver, not designed to be amplified as it is already within tolerances set by the EU. Amplify it and the tolerances simply fly out the window, unless you are up or building a super Hi-Q filter to notch out anything but the frequency you want to use, then you would need a microWatt amp to up the power to something you can amplify more, I'd forget it if I were you :-)

Anyway, what's wrong with the cheaper German board (sorry Robin, a bit OT..) which is less than a bottle of decent Scotch, combined with a cheap S/H ex PMR rig for £5 at a junk sale and that will do 5W happily all day.

Also, where did you hear about the NoV's for VHF hotspots being stopped? Maybe you mean UHF, but they are as long as in attended mode, if you want one this decade. As far as I know, VHF is still OK for attended or unattended.

I would save your DVAP for home, holiday or showing it off to friends, its a really decent bit of kit in a small package :-)
I.E. don't ruin it!

Neil G7EBY.

On 8 January 2012 13:13, blairs_viper2008 <g1dra@...> wrote:

> **
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> hello
> I am just floating the idea of using advap dongle as a hotpsot for
> DV (dstar). I was thinking about the possibility of amplifying the RF
> to maybe 10 watts ERP, as allowed in the uk. Of course I understand the
> dongle was never designed or intended to be used in that way.
> I have concerns about the spectrual purity and harmonics etc when
> increasing the output using an amplifier. Of course the other factors need
> thinking about, such as overloading the dongles reciever amongst other
> things. it isd omly an idea. it is a lot less aggravation than building a
> potentially unreliable GMSK node.
>
> (Of course in the UK i will need an NOV, and OFCOM are currently NOT
> permitting GMSK nodes in the UK on 2 meters).
>
> Any opinions on this, especially from Robin?
>
> pk

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1323. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-09 23:40:15 UTC
From: Shawn Borden
Topic: 1317 Message: 1323
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I did try a new freq Fran when I got the email. It did not help any.

I am using the IC-92AD. I will check the FM Detect option on the radio.

Shawn
AD4SB

On Mon, Jan 9, 2012 at 9:41 AM, Tim Hardy AF1G <hardyt@...g>wrote:

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> ** **
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> Tim, AF1G****
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> ** **
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] *On
> Behalf Of *Fran Miele
> *Sent:* Sunday, January 08, 2012 9:03 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue****
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> that frequency. try a different frequency. ****
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> --Fran, W1FJM****
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1324. Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-10 00:03:06 UTC
From: kk4clf_shawn
Topic: 1317 Message: 1324

I tried looking threw the manual, and everything I read says that the ic-92ad is receiving a non-digital signal. Could Ubuntu have damaged the DVAP when it thought that it was a printer, and sent a test print page to it?

Shawn
AD4SB

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tim Hardy AF1G" <hardyt@...> wrote:
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> turned on or off. It may be completely unrelated to the issue you
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> Tim, AF1G
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of Fran Miele
> Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2012 9:03 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue
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1325. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-10 13:38:23 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1317 Message: 1325
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Are you close to you internet modem or router when you see this? They are known to create havoc. That is what was getting me

--Fran

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On Mon, Jan 9, 2012 at 6:40 PM, Shawn Borden <kk4clf@...> wrote:

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> I did try a new freq Fran when I got the email. It did not help any.
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> I am using the IC-92AD. I will check the FM Detect option on the radio.
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> Shawn
> AD4SB
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> On Mon, Jan 9, 2012 at 9:41 AM, Tim Hardy AF1G <hardyt@...>wrote:
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>> *Subject:* Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue****
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1326. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-10 13:51:36 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1317 Message: 1326

I'm at a loss to imagine how damaging your DVAP could generate the FM signal you are picking up on your handheld. The best person to direct your original question to is Robin, AA4RC, the developer of the DVAP.

Do you see the FM Det when the DVAP is not transmitting or when it is transmitting? Do you see the FM Det when you're not using the DVAP at all? Do you see the FM Det when the DVAP is unplugged from the computer and not powerred?

I also use a DVAP, and when I first chose my operating frequency, I noticed a lot of FM Det on my IC-80AD handheld from spurious household signals. It wasn't causing any problem that I could tell, but I searched for another frequency where I did not see the FM Det activate and changed the DVAP's operating freq to that.

There are many items in the typical household (and office) that generate signals that cause my radio to see FM Det on certain frequencies. Any computer chip-based product may generate surious signals - your desktop or laptop computer, TVs, clock radios, you name it -- they are all over the house. Try changing your DVAP operating frequency and see if the problem goes away.

Tim, AF1G

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73 de Tim, AF1G

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> Tim, AF1G
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> Behalf Of Fran Miele
> Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2012 9:03 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue
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1327. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-10 14:24:37 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1317 Message: 1327

How about trying a power on reset?

Derek
G4WXN

On Mon, 2012-01-09 at 17:40 -0600, Shawn Borden wrote:
>
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> Shawn
> AD4SB
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> Tim, AF1G
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> [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Fran Miele
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1328. Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-10 14:29:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1317 Message: 1328

Hi Shawn. There have been many good responses here. One thing to note: If you open the DVAP in DVAPTool and key up in dstar mode on your 92, does your callsign show up? If so, it is in dstar mode and should not generate FM.

If you feel your DVAP is damaged, send me an email and you can send it in for a diagnostic test.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1329. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-10 19:54:01 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1317 Message: 1329
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Shawn,

I would recommend turning off the Auto-DV detect and listening to the signal as a DV only channel and then listen to it as FM.

Is there another D-STAR radio, from maybe a fellow ham, available to listen to the signal? Can your radio hear the Madison or Huntsville repeaters ok?

While it might be a slightly long trek, one option would be to bring it over to the GARS Techfest this weekend (http://www.gars.org/joomla/index.php) and let us take a look at it. I believe that Robin may be there as well.

I know that just making the trek for your DVAP would be a little long, but there's a log of other things going on that may be of interest to you and others if you want to put a carpool together. Techfest is in Lawrenceville GA, about 30 miles NE of Atlanta.

Ed WA4YIH

Other things at TechFest
>Ham Radio on a Smart Phone - Atlanta Radio Club
>Our Club and Keenahoochee Hamfest - KARC
>RadioWavz Product Display - RadioWavz Antennas
>10-10 International - 10-10 International
>Georgia 900 MHZ Group - Georgia 900 MHZ Group
>The Excitement of DX -SEDXC
>Georgia QSO Party and South Eastern Contest Club - GQP/SECC
>Now you've got a license. What Next? David Harden
>Satellite contacts with a Hand Held Radio - Clint Bradford
>CW is alive and well. How to enjoy it more Paul Kelley
>CW Keys and the fun of CW in Amateur Radio Dick Bently
>Portable APRS and the Portable IGATE - Larry Whited
>Digital Slow Scan TV for fun and emergency communications
- Tri County Amateur Radio Club
>ARRL Section Manager - ARRL
>ARES in Gwinnett County - Gwinnett ARES
>D-STAR in Georgia - Georgia D-STAR
>Using Digital VHF in Emergency Communications
- The Silver Comet Amateur Radio Society
>Amateur TV - North East Georgia Amateur Radio Club
>GARS Youth Lounge - GARS and Gwinnett ARES
>The Original Text Machines RTTY before computers
- Alford Memorial Radio Club
>VE Session - W5YI VE
>Digital Modes for Dummies - Hall County ARES
>Fun with Low Power Radio (QRP) - North Georgia QRP

>QSLing the Quick and Easy Way -North Fulton Amateur Radio League
>Venture Crew 73 Steve Back
>HamsonCams.com Using Video to Promote Amateur Radio - HamsOnCams.com

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Shawn Borden
Sent: Monday, January 09, 2012 6:40 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

I did try a new freq Fran when I got the email. It did not help any.

I am using the IC-92AD. I will check the FM Detect option on the radio.

Shawn
AD4SB

On Mon, Jan 9, 2012 at 9:41 AM, Tim Hardy AF1G <hardyt@...<mailto:hardyt@...>> wrote:

You didn't say which radio you're using, but FM detect on the IC-80AD can be turned on or off. It may be completely unrelated to the issue you described. Check that feature on your radio.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@...m<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
[mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>] On Behalf Of Fran Miele
Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2012 9:03 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP issue

fm detect usually means the radio is detecting a non-digital signal on that frequency. try a different frequency.

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Sun, Jan 8, 2012 at 4:03 PM, kk4clf_shawn <kk4clf@...<mailto:kk4clf@...>> wrote:

I have owned my DVAP for almost a year with no problems. I have had it running under Windows as well as Ubuntu.

Now when I try to connect to my DVAP (in my normal Windows OS), my radio flashes the "DV" indicator and I get a message that says "FM DET". I have no idea what this is.

The only thing strange that has happened lately happened last night. I was reinstalling Ubuntu, and when I set up the printer it thought the DVAP was the printer. When this happened, it started printing the test page to the DVAP. Could this cause an issue with the DVAP?

Thank you for any help,
Shawn
AD4SB

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2012.0.1901 / Virus Database: 2109/4732 - Release Date: 01/09/12
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1330. Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-11 01:58:28 UTC
From: kk4clf_shawn
Topic: 1317 Message: 1330

I am not sure if my last message went threw, but i did try to re-flash the firmware. That did not work either. I am still not getting anything to my radio. If I manually break the squelch, I do hear R2D2. Even though the RX signal meter is showing full strength signal from the DVAP, it is not getting threw as DV.

Shawn
AD4SB

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Shawn. There have been many good responses here. One thing to note: If you open the DVAP in DVAPTool and key up in dstar mode on your 92, does your callsign show up? If so, it is in dstar mode and should not generate FM.
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> If you feel your DVAP is damaged, send me an email and you can send it in for a diagnostic test.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > Shawn
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1331. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-11 19:11:03 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1300 Message: 1331

Here's another ID-31A owner (who wrongly purchased a DVAP this afternoon -- really, it's ok to laugh) waiting in line to place the order.

jpthegek -- KI4YLU

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi Ben. We are "thinking" about it... :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "benybarr" <benybarr@> wrote:
> >
> > Hello: Now that we have a great new radio (ID-31)are there is any plan to make a DVAP 70cm ,so the unlucky guys can enjoy the new radio too ??
> > or maybe make something a little big biger a dual band peraphs?
> > the info will be greatly appreciated.
> > Respectfully yours
> > Ben KC2RXV.
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1332. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-11 23:05:32 UTC
From: dominichawken
Topic: 1300 Message: 1332

If you have anything that will crossband 2 to 70 you can give that a try...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@...> wrote:
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> Here's another ID-31A owner (who wrongly purchased a DVAP this afternoon -- really, it's ok to laugh) waiting in line to place the order.
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> jpthegek -- KI4YLU
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1333. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-12 00:50:46 UTC
From: Shawn Borden
Topic: 1317 Message: 1333

OK, let me try to answer some of these questions. I posted a reply to most of these messages yesterday, but I guess it did not go threw. I think yahoo groups have been acting flaky as of late.

Fran wrote: "Are you close to you internet modem or router when you see this?"

Not necessarily. I have tried it next to my computer, in the living room, and out in the middle of my front yard. It really does not matter where I am at.

Tim wrote:"Do you see the FM Det when the DVAP is not transmitting or when it is transmitting?"

I am getting the problem only when the DVAP is transmitting, and at no other time. When it transmits I will either get the FM Det or nothing at all. My 92ad will show a full strength signal being transmitted, but the signal does not break the squelch to my radio. I believe this is because it is transmitting the reply from the DVAP either in FM and not in DV or garbled DV. More on this further on.

Derek wrote: "How about trying a power on reset?"

I did try the warm reset as well as the full cold reset to factory defaults on my radio. Neither approach has helped. After I reset to factory defaults, I downloaded a known good program with memories and general settings back to my radio via my RT systems software. Same problem still occurs.

Robin asked: "One thing to note: If you open the DVAP in DVAPTool and key up in dstar mode on your 92, does your callsign show up?"

When I key up my radio, the DVAPtool software does register my callsign, and whatever action I am taking. When I try an info command, DVAPtool shows the input. It then, in turn, transmits "something" that I can not receive on my radio. When I ask it to link to a reflector, it does so, then any incoming calls I see either as FM Det with no sound, or a full strength signal from the DVAP that does not break the squelch. I am not sure if this is because it is not seen as a DV signal or not.

ED wrote: "I would recommend turning off the Auto-DV detect and listening to the signal as a DV only channel and then listen to it as FM."

I have not turned Auto-DV off yet, and I will test that, but if I manually break the squelch, I hear a R2D2 signal. I have tried several commands all with the the R2D2, but only if I break the squelch. The signal from the DVAP does not break the squelch. Just for note, the squelch on the radio is

set to Auto and I have no problem with it with any other mode.

I had the opportunity to test my radio yesterday with the KI4PPF Huntsville repeater yesterday after work. I live just barely outside of the range of this repeater. I got an immediate reply to my request for a radio check. I was told that it had a great signal into the repeater without any issues at all. So it would seem that the radio is functioning properly. I did try to re-flash the firmware in the DVAP without any success.

As far as I can remember, that is the full update. I do not think I have left anything out.

A huge thank you to all you guys trying too help me threw this issue. All suggestion are welcome and appreciated.

Shawn
AD4SB

On Tue, Jan 10, 2012 at 7:58 PM, kk4clf_shawn <kk4clf@...> wrote:

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> I am not sure if my last message went threw, but i did try to re-flash the
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> signal meter is showing full strength signal from the DVAP, it is not
> getting threw as DV.
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> Shawn
> AD4SB
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1334. Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-12 12:42:45 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1317 Message: 1334

Hi Shawn. One other thing you might try is to vary the frequency you enter in DVAPTool +/- 5Khz to see if there is a frequency issue.

Feel free to email me directly if you'd like to send the DVAP in for testing. If there is a problem with the DVAP, we'll be happy to fix or replace it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Shawn Borden <kk4clf@...> wrote:
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1335. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-12 18:01:57 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1317 Message: 1335

This is a rather odd fault I must admit, it almost sounds like its inverted the TX data.

Can you listen in to the DVAP with an anlog radio, then compare the signal from your HT? If they sound the same, maybe its time to send it back to Robin.
However, would it be possible to re-upload the firmware to the DVAP I wonder (Robin)? IF the printer has corrupted something, it might just be the answer....

Cheers,

Neil G7EBY.

On 12 January 2012 12:42, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> Hi Shawn. One other thing you might try is to vary the frequency you enter
> in DVAPTool +/- 5Khz to see if there is a frequency issue.
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> testing. If there is a problem with the DVAP, we'll be happy to fix or
> replace it.
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1336. Re: DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-12 21:20:34 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1317 Message: 1336

Hi all. A firmware update should never be needed. If the firmware is corrupted, you probably won't be able to update it since the update happens in the firmware. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, BEDFORD NEIL <barrymung@...> wrote:
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> > > > firmware. That did not work either. I am still not getting anything to
> > my
> > > > radio. If I manually break the squelch, I do hear R2D2. Even though
> > the RX
> > > > signal meter is showing full strength signal from the DVAP, it is not
> > > > getting threw as DV.
> > > >
> > > > Shawn
> > > > AD4SB
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1337. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-13 02:00:08 UTC
From: n1toq@arrl.net
Topic: 1300 Message: 1337

I tried to crossband through a yaesu 8800. Doesn't work.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dominichawken" <dom@...> wrote:
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> If you have anything that will crossband 2 to 70 you can give that a try...
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@> wrote:
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> > Here's another ID-31A owner (who wrongly purchased a DVAP this afternoon -- really, it's ok to laugh) waiting in line to place the order.
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> > jpthegek -- KI4YLU
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
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> > > Hi Ben. We are "thinking" about it... :)
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> > > 73,
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> > > AA4RC
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> > > > the info will be greatly appreciated.
> > > > Respectfully yours
> > > > Ben KC2RXV.
> > > >
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1338. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-13 14:03:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1300 Message: 1338

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73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1339. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-15 04:02:33 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1300 Message: 1339

I have used the Alinco DR-635T, as a cross band passing D-Star.

Works well...

Mark
ZL2UFI

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1340. So wot now?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-18 14:50:41 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1340 Message: 1340

Hello
I am sure tehse questions have ben answered before some where?

I have just bought a dvap, I have an ic92.
I have installed what I think are all the dvap files.
I have a green flaashing light.
What axactly am i supposed to be seeing on the computer which I am not?
Should I be seeing long list of reflectors or stuff which I am not?

patrick

1341. Re: So wot now?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-18 19:53:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1340 Message: 1341

Hi Patrick. Have you read the manual? :)

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> patrick
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1342. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: So wot now?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-18 22:52:13 UTC
From: PK .
Topic: 1340 Message: 1342

Yes i have.

-----Original Message-----
From: aa4rc
Sent: 1/18/2012 7:53:33 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: So wot now?

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1343. maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-19 01:11:33 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1343 Message: 1343

Hello
thanx for replying robin
Yes i have read it, yes i used the dvtools and dvfm
both radio and dvap dongle talk to each other perfectly.

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This may be the wrong group for radio setup.
pk

1344. Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-19 13:33:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1343 Message: 1344

Hi PK. Valid points. I'll look at adding a gateway/reflector list to DVAPTool.

If you are looking for busy reflectors, REF001 module C is probably the most popular. REF030 and REF014 are also quite busy at times.

73,
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1345. RE: [DVAPDongle] maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-19 16:22:56 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1343 Message: 1345
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

PK,

Just put REF001CL in the UR field and kerchunk. This should cause the DVAP to link to REF001C. Before talking, switch back to CQCQCQ in the UR field.
To unlink, UR: ▪▪▪▪▪▪▪U where "▪" represents a space

The DVAP is basically totally controlled by your radio. You do not need, nor can you really use the keyboard to do anything.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of blairs_viper2008
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2012 8:12 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] maybe i ask the wrong question

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1346. Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-19 20:36:18 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1343 Message: 1346

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I have problem with recalling and using, callsign memories, IE
changes in another memory to unlink the radio/dvap.
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1347. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 02:52:11 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1343 Message: 1347
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

In the standard memories, create a number of entries for your DVAP, one for CQCQCQ, one for Status, one for Echo. One for Unlink and one for each of the repeaters/reflectors that you want to link to. Then all you need to do is to switch channels for each function.

Once you are happy with that, many put assign them to a specific bank and then use the banks to switch between groups of memories, which is often switching between repeaters.

Maybe something like:

CH No

Frequency

Dup

Offset

TS

Mode

Name

SKIP

TONE

Repeater Tone

TSQL Frequency

DTCS Code

DTCS Polarity

DV SQL

DV CSQL Code

Your Call Sign

RPT1 Call Sign

RPT2 Call Sign

0

145.67

OFF

0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP

OFF

OFF

88.5Hz

88.5Hz

23

BOTH N

OFF

0

CQCQCQ

1

145.67

OFF

0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP I

OFF

OFF

88.5Hz

88.5Hz

23

BOTH N

OFF

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I

2

145.67

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0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP E

OFF

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BOTH N

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3

145.67

OFF

0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP U

OFF

OFF

88.5Hz

88.5Hz

23

BOTH N

OFF

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U

4

145.67

OFF

0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP001C

OFF

OFF

88.5Hz

88.5Hz

23

BOTH N

OFF

0

REF001CL

5

145.67

OFF

0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP002A

OFF

OFF

88.5Hz

88.5Hz

23

BOTH N

OFF

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REF002AL

6

145.67

OFF

0.6

5kHz

DV

DVAP003B

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88.5Hz

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BOTH N

OFF

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REF003BL

Just always make sure you switch back to memory 0 to talk.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of blairs_viper2008
Sent: Thursday, January 19, 2012 3:36 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

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> pk
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1348. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 06:41:13 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1343 Message: 1348

Patrick,

The RPT1 and 2 are only used by the local repeater or node to validate you are wanting to use that repeater (not another one on the same frequency), then if you want to use it for local or gateway QSO's, or, talk between modules (frequency's/bands) on the same 'stack' (pile of different band repeaters hi).

The chances of someone owning a DVAP near you and using it on the same frequency, is quite remote, so the RPT settings are not needed.

The 92 is actually a better radio to use than some, all you have to do is hit menu, go fully clockwise to 'callsign', hit 5 (enter) then scroll clockwise through the callsigns then hit 5 (enter) when you get to where you want. Kerchunk the radio then go back to 'normal' (CQ's). The DVAP should go to where you tell it.
The memories will populate each time you add one, rather than overwrite previous ones, unlike some of the other radios, so just keep scrolling...

You can save the working routines in physical memories too, when you get there. Say your 'CQ' channel (CQCQCQ) is 100, you could save the Unlink command (7 spaces then 'U') in channel 99, Reflector 5A ('REF005AL') in 105, Reflector 1C ('REF001CL') in 101...etc.

Just remember, Unlink first, just to be sure (you get either 'Not Connected' or 'Remote System Unlinked' from Robin come back), then tell the DVAP where you want to go, listen for the 'Remote System Linked' then go back to the CQ channel when you want to talk.

Its quite simple when you get the hang of it :-)

Cheers,

Neil G7EBY.

On 19 January 2012 20:36, blairs_viper2008 <g1dra@hotmail.com> wrote:

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1349. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 12:22:35 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1343 Message: 1349

FWIW: A really quick and easy way to switch back to CQCQCQ is to simply change channel, then back again, when you select a channel it always defaults to CQCQCQ in UR, so you're good to go then.

Well that's how it works on my IC80.

Derek

On Fri, 2012-01-20 at 02:52 +0000, Woodrick, Ed wrote:
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> DTCS Code
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> DTCS Polarity
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> DV
> SQL
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>
> DV
> CSQL Code
>
>
> Your Call Sign
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> RPT1 Call Sign
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>
> RPT2 Call Sign
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> 0
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> 145.67
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> OFF
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> 0.6
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1350. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: maybe i ask the wrong question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 15:27:44 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1343 Message: 1350

That will just confuse the OM as he doesn't have the software, plus we use 12.5KHz channels in the UK :-)

--N.

On 20 January 2012 02:52, Woodrick, Ed <ewoodrick@...> wrote:

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> In the standard memories, create a number of entries for your DVAP, one
> for CQCQCQ, one for Status, one for Echo. One for Unlink and one for each
> of the repeaters/reflectors that you want to link to. Then all you need to
> do is to switch channels for each function. ****
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> Once you are happy with that, many put assign them to a specific bank and
> then use the banks to switch between groups of memories, which is often
> switching between repeaters. ****
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1351. Show name & location with call?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 20:04:10 UTC
From: ka2jse
Topic: 1351 Message: 1351

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KA2COP

1352. eh what!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 19:24:04 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1352 Message: 1352

" confuse the "OM"?

i am not old enough to be called an "OM" or "old man" thank
you very much "neil"

god what an insult

pk
:)

1353. You wondered?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 00:55:03 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1353 Message: 1353

eds memory stuff was taken off the following website

http://www.dstarinfo.com/DVAP-Memories.aspx

Om that site you will find all kinds of stuff for radios.....and the DVAP dongle.

The site is NOT easy to find!

pk

1354. yes i do

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-20 19:32:17 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1354 Message: 1354

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THAT could only happen in the uk.

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is possibly disconnecting me deliberatly.This NOT the place to discuss that though, thats for sure.

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1355. Re: [DVAPDongle] eh what!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 02:51:21 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 1352 Message: 1355

It's not meant as an insult; at least in the US, the term "Old Man" refers to any male Amateur, no matter how old they are. Female Amateurs are referred to as "Young Lady" no matter the age.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

Sent from my Wireless Device

-----Original Message-----
From: "blairs_viper2008" <g1dra@...>
Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Fri, 20 Jan 2012 19:24:04
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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1356. Re: [DVAPDongle] Show name & location with call?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 03:30:32 UTC
From: David Korchin
Topic: 1351 Message: 1356

Easy!

Press MENU ---> scroll to MESSAGE/POS --> choose TX MESSAGE where you can configure what you want to say on transmit.

73s de KC2WNW
David

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1357. Re: [DVAPDongle] eh what!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 07:13:28 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1352 Message: 1357

Thank you Matthew.

Have you got the hang of the radio now Patrick? If your really in trouble,
I'm sure I could pop in one day when I'm in your area next...

Neil G7EBY.

On 21 January 2012 02:51, Matthew Pitts <daywalker_blade_2004@...>wrote:

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1358. Re: eh what!! (OFF TOPIC)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 13:31:59 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1352 Message: 1358

Hello barrymung!
thankuyou for your convern about my well being and the radio, HA! HA!
:)
Yes, i am getting the hang of it. Having said this I am now pulling the plug from monday omwards for me and dstar, I MAY return to it at a later date, im sending the dongle back. This is the rsult of a "run in" with a certain scottish station, fairly newly licemced in dunstable.

When i get accused of being a pirate, and siad person then goes to the ends of the earth searching google all about me, and THEN tells an american station to do the same, stirring up trouble for me, its time to get out of dstar. Ihis is all because i CHOOSE not to say whwre I am on qrz. This was my first encounter with dstar,and it likely be my last, I am NOT impressed.He and the other american station even talked about trying to get my callsign banned from dstar. I had to emnail the relevant admins to put my side of the story.
I love the technology, but the social side of dstar leaves much to be desired. BTW neil i never let ANYONE from amateur radio come to our home.

the dongle
nice peace of gear, well made, clever stuff, and high quality.

I dont really expect robin to allow this posting.

email me personally on your views neil, i will look forward to it.

patrick

1359. Re: Show name & location with call?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 14:03:36 UTC
From: Darren
Topic: 1351 Message: 1359

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ka2jse" <ka2jse@...> wrote:
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> KA2COP
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I think the question has been answered which is aboutIcom rigs , the menu is not easy to read . DVAP set up is not too difficult but alwAys room to learn

Stu
G4WCP

1360. DVAP Gone Deaf - Noise Floor "Stuck" at -127dBm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 17:42:24 UTC
From: mike_cll
Topic: 1360 Message: 1360

Howdy-

Great group here.

I wondered if there might be any suggestions regarding an issue that has recently surfaced with my DVAP.

The device has always worked flawlessly until recently. The computer still recognizes it, and I have the latest DVAPTool software (1.02), however the noise floor never comes alive. . it is "dead" at the bottom limit of -127dBm. . when I transmit with my HT, the DVAP will only hear me if the HT is literally 2" from the DVAP, otherwise no response.. this is even with the squelch "wide open."

I wondered if there might be any suggestions or if anyone has encountered this before. I didn't find any similar reports after doing some searching.

Thanks!

73 DE AG5CQ

1361. Re: Show name & location with call?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 21:52:06 UTC
From: ka2jse
Topic: 1351 Message: 1361

Thanks for the tip. I added my name to the message and am waiting for someone to confirm it is displayed. Thanks again.

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1362. RE: [DVAPDongle] yes i do

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 22:10:11 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1354 Message: 1362
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

This is from Ham Radio Outlet, one of the largest retailers in the US. Doesn't really look free to me.

(hopefully the following picture and text make it through the Yahoo filters)

[Description: IC-RS-92]
PGM SOFTWARE AND CABLE FOR IC-92AD
IC-RS-92<http://www.hamradio.com/detail.cfm?pid=H0-009332>
$99.95

The software is free for the IC80/880 and the ID-31, but not for the IC-92.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of blairs_viper2008
Sent: Friday, January 20, 2012 2:32 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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1363. Re: [DVAPDongle] yes i do

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 23:22:01 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1354 Message: 1363
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I think it happens to everyone Patrick, not just you.

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Glad you got it working now anyway.

Neil G7EBY.

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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] *On
> Behalf Of *blairs_viper2008
> *Sent:* Friday, January 20, 2012 2:32 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] yes i do****
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> yes neil i do have the software,if you are talking the rs92 stuff for the
> 92?
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> I have had it for weeks. I just dont have the cable
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> Did you all know that the software for the e92 is FREE at icom usa, and
> the rest of the world, only in the UK are we still being charged £78 for
> cable and the cd.Soooo we are paying £78 for just the cable.
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> THAT could only happen in the uk.
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> Anway more to the point I have no real problems now with the DVAP, but i
> do have BIG problems with FREDS windv constantly disconnection me, when i
> connect to dstar reflector or repeater, its ok we know why.Its because fred
> is possibly disconnecting me deliberatly.This NOT the place to discuss
> that though, thats for sure.
>
> pk****
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> ****
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1364. Re: yes i do

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 23:40:12 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1354 Message: 1364

not sure i kn ow what you are talking about neil?

i said nothing about updates?
or anything about running slow??

puzzled

pk

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, BEDFORD NEIL <barrymung@...> wrote:
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1365. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: eh what!! (OFF TOPIC)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-21 23:48:01 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1352 Message: 1365

Patrick,

Sorry to hear your experience has been thwarted with these problems and, sorry I didn't see your message until just now, you changed the subject line (again) :-)

I did recently (well last year), talk to someone who knows you, plus I believe we have chatted on a repeater briefly a couple of times, so I do understand your concerns about certain people trying to 'track you down'. Notice I have not put any location or repeater ID in this message, as you may or may not know, I do cover all off the UK for work, so it could literally be *anywhere* hi hi.

Strange that you chose a date in the future to decide to stop using the DVAP, if the problems were that bad, most people would of pulled the plug already, packaged it up ready for shipment back Monday morning.

Can't say I've heard you on D-Star, but obviously you have had some enjoyment out of it, otherwise you wouldn't be possibly coming back.

And yes, the DVAP is a nice bit of kit to own, shame you are returning it.

Take care,

Neil G7EBY.

On 21 January 2012 13:31, blairs_viper2008 <g1dra@...> wrote:

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> Hello barrymung!
> thankuyou for your convern about my well being and the radio, HA! HA!
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> nice peace of gear, well made, clever stuff, and high quality.
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> I dont really expect robin to allow this posting.
>
> email me personally on your views neil, i will look forward to it.
>
> patrick
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1366. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: eh what!! (OFF TOPIC)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 12:18:48 UTC
From: David.G6OCD
Topic: 1352 Message: 1366
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi Patrick

Don't give up I have been "Barred" "Accused" " Barred" again by the UK DStar Police fight back and kiss A** you may just win,

Regards

David G6OCD

Ps if you want any further help email me off group my address etc is on QRZ

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of blairs_viper2008
Sent: 21 January 2012 13:32
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: eh what!! (OFF TOPIC)

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email me personally on your views neil, i will look forward to it.

patrick

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Version: 2012.0.1901 / Virus Database: 2109/4757 - Release Date: 01/21/12

1367. Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 13:38:45 UTC
From: John Parkins
Topic: 1367 Message: 1367

Hello All,

Not that I'm being pushy or anything..... but didn't I read here
that there might be some updated software for the DVAP around
Christmas time. Just wondering.

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Best regards,
John G8KVP mailto:kvp@...

1368. Re: Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 16:22:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1367 Message: 1368

Hi John. New DV Dongle software was released. I'm working on updates to DVAPTool... :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1369. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: eh what!! (OFF TOPIC)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 17:43:27 UTC
From: PK .
Topic: 1352 Message: 1369

OK
Many thanks to the emails from some of you suggesting i dont let "them" get down. They won't! lets just say I'm having a break from dstar.
Speak to you again soon (whoever you may be).

Glad to hear about the software updates Robin, all good stuff.

pk

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: david.g6ocd@...
Date: Sun, 22 Jan 2012 12:18:48 +0000
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: eh what!! (OFF TOPIC)

Hi Patrick Don’t give up I have been “Barred” “Accused” “ Barred” again by the UK DStar Police fight back and kiss A** you may just win,RegardsDavid G6OCDPs if you want any further help email me off group my address etc is on QRZ From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of blairs_viper2008
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1370. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Gone Deaf - Noise Floor "Stuck" at -127dBm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 18:22:37 UTC
From: Michael Dodge
Topic: 1360 Message: 1370

Thanks for the reply, Fred. Have you found a way to clear the issue by chance? I've tried everything (reboot, reinstall drivers, download software over again, etc.), but the issue persists.

Mike

From: Fred van Kempen <decwiz@...>
To: mike_cll@...; DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, January 22, 2012 10:20 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Gone Deaf - Noise Floor "Stuck" at -127dBm

Hi,

HA! So I am *not* the only one with that, using fw V1.5...

Every now and then, this happens. It *seems* to be happening
when I try to transmit just as someone else keys it up from the
network side ("doubling"), and this usually is not a problem, but,
as said, every now and then it results in the device being 'stuck'.

Sometimes the RSSI freezes as well (like what you see) but
most of the time when this happens, it just stops receiving. The
weird thing is, that *transmitting* still works fine: I hear everying
come in just fine, but it no longer receives me..

Weiiird!

--fred

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mike_cll
Sent: Saturday, January 21, 2012 6:42 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Gone Deaf - Noise Floor "Stuck" at -127dBm

Howdy-

Great group here.

I wondered if there might be any suggestions regarding an issue that has recently surfaced with my DVAP.

The device has always worked flawlessly until recently. The computer still recognizes it, and I have the latest DVAPTool software (1.02), however the noise floor never comes alive. . it is "dead" at the bottom limit of -127dBm. . when I transmit with my HT, the DVAP will only hear me if the HT is literally 2" from the DVAP, otherwise no response.. this is even with the squelch "wide open."

I wondered if there might be any suggestions or if anyone has encountered this before. I didn't find any similar reports after doing some searching.

Thanks!

73 DE AG5CQ

1371. Mac installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 19:42:29 UTC
From: Peter Tasker
Topic: 1371 Message: 1371

Hi,

Wonder if anyone could help.

I have recently moved over to a MAC and re installed my DVAP. All the instructions on Robin's web site have been followed, but After plugging in the DVAP I cannot se the device anywhere on the MAC.

Any suggestions greatfully received.

Peter

Sent from my iPad

1372. Re: Mac installation

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-22 20:46:46 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1371 Message: 1372

Hi Peter. The key is to make sure the FTDI drivers are properly installed. If they are, you will a device like /dev/cu.usbserial...

If you don't see that device, the drivers are probably not installed.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1373. Feature Request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-23 15:56:28 UTC
From: cybersapient
Topic: 1373 Message: 1373

Robyn,
Is this the appropriate venue for feature requests?

If so, I would very much like to see a UHF version of the DVAP. What a neat idea DVAP is!

73,
Shane
KE7TR

1374. WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-23 21:57:32 UTC
From: kc0siq
Topic: 920 Message: 1374

Hello all!

I've searched around at the various websites, can't really seem to find many DVAPs for sale used. Those that are , are usually listed full price. I'm looking to start playing with the DVAP, but don't want to drop the amount of money they are wanting for a new one.

If anyone has or knows of a used DVAP that I could purchase that is a bit cheaper, I'd appreciate a message.

1375. Re: WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-24 07:26:48 UTC
From: Derek Haden
Topic: 920 Message: 1375

I was in a similar situation around 8 months ago, just keep watching the auction sites like eBay. I was lucky enough to pick one up for 170GBP as opposed to the 250GBP* for new, still not cheap, but they are a very versatile piece of kit, basically anywhere you can get the internet you are on DSTAR, and you dont have any of the disadvantages of a Dongle.

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Derek
G4WXN

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1376. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-24 13:16:23 UTC
From: David.G6OCD
Topic: 920 Message: 1376
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Ditto, I will have another one too brilliant piece of equipment,

Regards

David G6OCD.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Derek Haden
Sent: 24 January 2012 07:27
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: WTB DVAP

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1377. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-24 13:23:20 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 920 Message: 1377

I think that's because of the ridiculous "Value-added tax" your government imposes over there, something we keep fighting to keep from being imposed over here. Every now and then some American politician brings up the idea to generate more revenue.

"Politics," from the words "Poly," meaning many, and "Tics," meaning blood-sucking insects!

To stay on topic, I own a DVAP and wouldn't part with it. It is one of the most useful and dynamic pieces of kit that I own. The non-availability of used ones speaks to how much they are liked by their owners.

73 de Tim, AF1G

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1378. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-24 13:25:52 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 920 Message: 1378

There is one on ebay right now.

73 de Tim, AF1G

---- Derek Haden <g4wxn@...> wrote:

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1379. Re: [DVAPDongle] WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-24 13:44:57 UTC
From: Allan May
Topic: 920 Message: 1379

Good morning
I have a DVAP that I am no longer using. I may have used it maybe 4 times and that was just to listen. Please contact me offline. Thanks,
Allan May, WD4ITE EC Mathews Co. Va

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 23, 2012, at 16:57, "kc0siq" <kc0siq@...> wrote:

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1380. Re: WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-24 15:02:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 920 Message: 1380

It looks like the right angle sma adapter on that one is broken.

If someone on the list purchases it, let me know and I might have a spare... :)

Robin

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1381. im staying

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-26 01:28:32 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1381 Message: 1381

Im staying on dstar after all no one is going to drive me off it/

pk

1382. Re: im staying

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-26 15:32:56 UTC
From: kf6qcq
Topic: 1381 Message: 1382

Good for you. I'm glad you made the decision not to be intimidated by some knucklehead.

I have a button on my radio that takes care of those guys pretty quick..It's in the upper corner on most rigs. ;)

John
N7JL

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1383. Re: WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-26 16:56:05 UTC
From: Jess
Topic: 920 Message: 1383

I broke the SMA adapter which came with my DVAP by leaving it and the "stubby ducky" antenna attached to my DVAP in my briefcase. The torque generated when I moved stuff around in the briefcase pulled the SMA adapter apart. I bought a replacement, then realized that I could fix the original adapter by carefully pressing the bent pin back into place. It worked fine so now I have two.

Now I leave the right-angle SMA adapter connected to the "stubby ducky", not the DVAP, so there's never any torque on the adapter. I have to waste a moment reconnecting the antenna to the DVAP but it's worth the extra half-minute to avoid damaging the connector.

I think the DVAP is a great tool. I use it frequently. I'd stopped using my DV Dongle for several months but when Robin released the updated software I began playing with it again. It has features the DVAP doesn't, so lately I use both about equally.

73
Jess ND1L

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> It looks like the right angle sma adapter on that one is broken.
>
> If someone on the list purchases it, let me know and I might have a spare... :)
>
> Robin
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Tim Hardy AF1G <hardyt@> wrote:
> >
> > There is one on ebay right now.
> >
> > 73 de Tim, AF1G
> >
> >
> > ---- Derek Haden <g4wxn@> wrote:
> >
> > ==========
> > I was in a similar situation around 8 months ago, just keep watching the auction sites like eBay. I was lucky enough to pick one up for 170GBP as opposed to the 250GBP* for new, still not cheap, but they are a very versatile piece of kit, basically anywhere you can get the internet you are on DSTAR, and you dont have any of the disadvantages of a Dongle.
> >
> > *yes that's right, we pay 250 pounds, you guys in the states pay 250 dollars, something wrong there methinks.
> >
> > Derek
> > G4WXN

> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups .com, "kc0siq" <kc0siq@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hello all!
> > >
> > > I've searched around at the various websites, can't really seem to find many DVAPs for sale used. Those that are , are usually listed full price. I'm looking to start playing with the DVAP, but don't want to drop the amount of money they are wanting for a new one.
> > >
> > > If anyone has or knows of a used DVAP that I could purchase that is a bit cheaper, I'd appreciate a message.
> > >
> >
>

1384. WTB DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-29 22:45:07 UTC
From: kg8oc
Topic: 920 Message: 1384

I'm looking for DVAP Dongle. If you have one for sale please email me.

1385. Norton Firewall Blocking DV AP Tool (No Gateways Found)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-30 01:46:02 UTC
From: fineshot1
Topic: 1385 Message: 1385

Can anyone please tell me the port or ports used by the DV AP Tool? My firewall is blocking it. I turned off the firewall and it works aok but I can not leave it off of course. I can go into the firewall options and enable the individual ports so I do not have to leave it disabled.....dan n2aym

1386. Re: Norton Firewall Blocking DV AP Tool (No Gateways Found)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-30 13:37:35 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1385 Message: 1386

Hi Dan. Unblock ports 20001-20005 TCP and UDP. It is surprising that your firewall software is blocking it. All connections are currently outbound.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "fineshot1" <drf3@...> wrote:
>
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> off the firewall and it works aok but I can not leave
> it off of course. I can go into the firewall options
> and enable the individual ports so I do not have to
> leave it disabled.....dan n2aym
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1387. Re: Norton Firewall Blocking DV AP Tool (No Gateways Found)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-30 23:18:59 UTC
From: fineshot1
Topic: 1385 Message: 1387

Thanks Robin but that did not work for me.

Not sure why but it still does not work until
I disable the norton firewall.

Perhaps there is better software to use?
I am using your standard DV AP Dongle Tool Ver 1.02

Drats, murphy has me in his cross hairs again....dan n2aym

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1388. Re: Norton Firewall Blocking DV AP Tool (No Gateways Found)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 13:34:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1385 Message: 1388

Check to see if Norton Firewall has a configuration section where you unblock programs as well as ports. Also, check the Norton logs to see if it shows why it is being blocked.

You are running the latest DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Thanks Robin but that did not work for me.
>
> Not sure why but it still does not work until
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1389. DVAP on Ubuntu 11.10 - Device not opening...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 14:14:45 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1389 Message: 1389

Greetings!

I'm having trouble getting the DVAP Tool running on Ubuntu.

Version is 1.02 running on Ubuntu 11.10.

Plug in the dongle and get the pulse. Tool launches and allows config for call & freq.

Try to open the device on the proper USB0 and nothing happens. Get "device opening" indefinitely. No time out or error.

I removed BRLTTY, still no luck ever after restart.

I'm sure I'm missing something obvious. Help is appreciated.

Regards,

jeremy - ki4ylu

1390. Re: DVAP on Ubuntu 11.10 - Device not opening...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 14:43:51 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1389 Message: 1390

Hi Jeremy. If you have more than one ttyUSB device, try the other. Also, try running from the command line and look at the messages that come out there.

I just ran a DVAP on Ubuntu 11.10 with no issues so it should work there.

Feel free to send the output of the program to me directly via email if you continue to have problems.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@...> wrote:
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> Plug in the dongle and get the pulse. Tool launches and allows config for call & freq.
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>
> Regards,
>
> jeremy - ki4ylu
>

1391. Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 14:48:41 UTC
From: Dave
Topic: 1391 Message: 1391

Robin, Will the Dongle and Dvap work on a tablet (iPad2, Amazon's Fire, and other tablets with the Android OS) I know most of the smaller (7 inch)tablets have a micro USB port. The iPad may not have any ports. Thanks

1392. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 14:58:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1391 Message: 1392

Hi Dave. Not "yet". :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dave" <ka4txy@...> wrote:
>
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>

1393. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 17:24:45 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1391 Message: 1393

Awesome that you are thinking about though.

I stopped traveling with a notebook about a year ago due to iPad's functionality. Adding DVAPDongle capability (in the future) would make my day even better.

Cheers Robin!

jeremy

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1394. RE: [DVAPDongle] Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 22:19:07 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1391 Message: 1394
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Dave,

There's actually one pretty big issue in doing it (although there are some workarounds)

How many microUSB to minUSB cables have you seen? They aren't a normal cable.

USB is a master / slave configuration. Slaves plug into masters. The iPad and the DVDongle are both slaves. The iPad is designed to plug into a full computer as a slave.

Yes, Apple does have an adapter for cameras, but indeed it is a specialized adapter to convert from slave to master to slave.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Dave
Sent: Tuesday, January 31, 2012 9:49 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Robin, Will the Dongle and Dvap work on a tablet (iPad2, Amazon's Fire, and other tablets with the Android OS) I know most of the smaller (7 inch)tablets have a micro USB port. The iPad may not have any ports. Thanks

1395. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-01-31 22:34:41 UTC
From: Eduardo Freitas PY2VR
Topic: 1391 Message: 1395

Hello Jeremy,

I agree with you and I do actually the same thing, the tablets are thin, fast, light weight and small, there is no doubt it much betters, even than netbooks. I hope as soon as possible we have it working our Dongles.

Best regards.

73s,
Ed - PY2VR

Sent from iPhone

On 31/01/2012, at 15:24, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@...> wrote:

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>
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1396. Re: DVAP on Ubuntu 11.10 - Device not opening...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-01 14:29:51 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1389 Message: 1396

Cheers Robin, thanks for the quick reply.

Was able to get the DVAP working last evening. Here's what I did:

1. Verified the 'pulse" once again.
2. Checked for additional devices on USB.
3. Clicked on USB0 device in the drop down.
4. Restarted app.

It worked. Operated last evening via Ubuntu 11.10. Merely clicking and verifying that the device was active seemed to do the trick. Wanted to throw this out in case anyone else ran into the same thing.

Thanks again.

jeremy - ki4ylu

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1397. Re: Norton Firewall Blocking DV AP Tool (No Gateways Found)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-01 23:13:14 UTC
From: fineshot1
Topic: 1385 Message: 1397

Yes - i did check the logs and it does not tell me much, and in fact it looks like the norton firewall is allowing it but i continue to get blocked anyway. This is the corporate version of norton firewall so its not quite the same as the normal version.

In the configuration tab i do have dvaptool.exe setup as an allowed app but still it happens. i guess i am just lucky(haha).
...dan n2aym

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Check to see if Norton Firewall has a configuration section where you unblock programs as well as ports. Also, check the Norton logs to see if it shows why it is being blocked.
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1398. Valid callsign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-10 15:20:33 UTC
From: Thomas B
Topic: 1398 Message: 1398

Hello ,

I wonder how long it takes to get my callsign valid

on the D-star system.
I have just get my icom 880H and my D-vap
From Ham Radio Outlet in Atlanta and i wait to get my first contact

via D-star.I lokk forward to use this good system.

Have nice weekend from SM6KUT Thomas in Sweden
Owner at IRLP 5233 and Echolink simplex repeater 351126

1399. Re: [DVAPDongle] Valid callsign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-11 10:29:03 UTC
From: Johan Hansson - SM0TSC
Topic: 1398 Message: 1399

Hej Thomas

Var reggade du dig?

//SM0TSC

Thomas B skrev 2012-02-10 16:20:
> Hello ,
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> on the D-star system.
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1400. RE: [DVAPDongle] Valid callsign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-12 02:05:21 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1398 Message: 1400
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Thomas,

Who registered you and where? Registration is a multi-step process (as outlined at www.dstargateway.org<http://www.dstargateway.org>) and if you signed up at a repeater, then the sysadmin has to approve you and then you have to register a terminal. The entire process can take a few hours, or a few weeks if the sysadmin doesn't happen to notice that you have registered.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Thomas B
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2012 10:21 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Valid callsign

Hello ,

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on the D-star system.
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1401. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-19 14:29:11 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 1391 Message: 1401

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dave" <ka4txy@...> wrote:
>
> Robin, Will the Dongle and Dvap work on a tablet (iPad2, Amazon's Fire, and other tablets with the Android OS) I know most of the smaller (7 inch)tablets have a micro USB port. The iPad may not have any ports. Thanks
>

I would like to see an app for the android like the echo link app for android.....

Now that would be cool.....!!

1402. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-19 16:05:31 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 1391 Message: 1402

Doing it would require a special adapter, as the Android phones and tablets have to receive power over the connector as well.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android

1403. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-19 17:21:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1391 Message: 1403

Hi Matthew. The DV Dongle and DVAP use very little power and, as a result, do not require power other than from the tablet or phone.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Matthew Pitts <daywalker_blade_2004@...> wrote:
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1404. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-19 23:06:23 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 1391 Message: 1404

Hello Robin,

It's not that an Android device couldn't provide the power, it's that the USB subsystem isn't intended to work that way; on current Android phones (at least this is the case with my Pantech Breakout) the version of Android installed likely doesn't support Host mode, which was first implemented in Android 3. Even support for Accessory mode isn't likely to be available, as that was backported to 2.3.4 of Android, which isn't a common platform for phones. This may also be the case with iOS, but since I'm not familiar with the development system for that platform, I can't say for sure. If you want to discuss this further with me, feel free to email me off the list, since I doubt too many folks here are interested in the internals of their cell phones.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

>_____
> From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Sunday, February 19, 2012 12:21 PM
>Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap
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1405. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-20 01:18:51 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1391 Message: 1405

Hi Matthew. Both my Motorola Xoom and my Samsung Galaxy S II have on-the-go USB ports. The Xoom works fine talking to the DV Dongle. The S II will power it up but, as you state, needs 4.X ICS to have host mode API support (since Samsung will not be releasing 3.X for it). That is supposed to happen in the next month.

I imagine that, by Dayton, both devices will support the DV Dongle. :)

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1406. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-20 01:32:28 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1391 Message: 1406

On Mon, 2012-02-20 at 01:18 +0000, aa4rc wrote:
> Hi Matthew. Both my Motorola Xoom and my Samsung Galaxy S II have on-the-go USB ports. The Xoom works fine talking to the DV Dongle. The S II will power it up but, as you state, needs 4.X ICS to have host mode API support (since Samsung will not be releasing 3.X for it). That is supposed to happen in the next month.
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How about this:

http://www.spemall.com/Ainol-Novo7-Aurora-Android-4-0-Tablet-PC-7-0inch-IPS-Capacitive-Screen-8GB-1-2GHz-1GB-RAM_g.html

Chris

1407. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-20 01:47:28 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1391 Message: 1407

It does not mention a microphone and has no bluetooth so audio input might be tough.

Robin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Chris Fowler <k4fh@...> wrote:
>
> On Mon, 2012-02-20 at 01:18 +0000, aa4rc wrote:
> > Hi Matthew. Both my Motorola Xoom and my Samsung Galaxy S II have on-the-go USB ports. The Xoom works fine talking to the DV Dongle. The S II will power it up but, as you state, needs 4.X ICS to have host mode API support (since Samsung will not be releasing 3.X for it). That is supposed to happen in the next month.
> >
> > I imagine that, by Dayton, both devices will support the DV Dongle. :)
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> How about this:
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> http://www.spemall.com/Ainol-Novo7-Aurora-Android-4-0-Tablet-PC-7-0inch-IPS-Capacitive-Screen-8GB-1-2GHz-1GB-RAM_g.html
>
> Chris
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1408. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-20 01:49:26 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1391 Message: 1408

On Mon, 2012-02-20 at 01:47 +0000, aa4rc wrote:
> It does not mention a microphone and has no bluetooth so audio input might be tough.

I did not think about blue tooth. I think these use a 4 conductor headphone/mic jack. There is a cheaper one that is MIPS instead of ARM. $99.

1409. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-20 01:52:40 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 1391 Message: 1409

We'll see; I plan to compile a custom ICS rom for my Breakout one of these days, so maybe I will be able to use a dvdongle client on it as well. I do plan to attend Dayton this year, so maybe we will have a chance to meet there.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android

1410. Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-26 19:42:42 UTC
From: ejaffe_98
Topic: 1300 Message: 1410

Mark did you do any special settings - like FM? PAcket or something to get it to work - tried playing with it on my Kenwood d710 and can't get it to work as of yet. If anyone has any suggestings for getting the crossband functionality to work solidly that would be awesome.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mark_zl2ufi" <mark@...> wrote:
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> I have used the Alinco DR-635T, as a cross band passing D-Star.
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> Works well...
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> Mark
> ZL2UFI
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> >
> > The Icom 2820 is the only radio I've heard of that will crossband dstar properly.
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> > Robin
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, n1toq@ wrote:
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> > > I tried to crossband through a yaesu 8800. Doesn't work.
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> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dominichawken" <dom@> wrote:
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> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@> wrote:
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1411. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-31

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-27 19:47:05 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1300 Message: 1411
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

It all depends on how the radio connects the receiver to the transmitter. The ID-2820 seems to be doing it before all of the audio shaping stages, which allows the digital signals to pass through. Most radios seem to have done it after the audio stages, which generally means that it won't work.

So in general, that means, if it works, it works. Except for setting up the cross band repeater itself, there usually isn't anything else you can do.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ejaffe_98
Sent: Sunday, February 26, 2012 2:43 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-31

Mark did you do any special settings - like FM? PAcket or something to get it to work - tried playing with it on my Kenwood d710 and can't get it to work as of yet. If anyone has any suggestings for getting the crossband functionality to work solidly that would be awesome.

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1412. Using a DVAP and D-RATS on D Mode Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-02-28 03:44:23 UTC
From: ann_charles2001
Topic: 1412 Message: 1412

I have a D-STAR radio with D-RATS on one computer. The radio has a serial connection to D-RATS. One computer two,I have a DVAP connected to the Internet. The DVAP transmits and is received on the Reflector. When another station sends data, the DVAP does not show the data on the screen, but I hear the radio beeping. When the two station do a alternate data count, one count odd numbers and the other counts even numbers, it works great. The counting is a very short message. When I set the station to send Raw Data, the data cuts off after about threes words. I have used different computers with the same results. It seems like a buffer is full or overflowing. When we work the Reflector with a couple of DVDongles,they work great. They send messages, chat, and file transfer just fine. Can you offer some help?

1413. DV Dongle Quit working after switching to MAC OS 10.7 Lion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-01 18:51:17 UTC
From: Michael Kaufman
Topic: 1413 Message: 1413

I am needing some help! I have both the DVAP and Dongle and have been using them on my MAC's for several years without a glitch. I have upgraded the Dongle software to the latest just after the first of the year and still no problem. Yesterday I upgraded both to OS 10.7 Lion and the dongle will not work on either computer. I tried switching the USB connection cable and did a fresh download from the website and reinstalled the software all with no luck. The green light flashes on the dongle but the error message said there was no dongle connected. Any Ideas?

Mike

WB9SLI

1414. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV Dongle Quit working after switching to MAC OS 10.7 Lion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-02 04:08:38 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1413 Message: 1414

You could try installing the latest 64-bit FTDI drivers for OSX?
http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm

73 Matt VK2ACL

On Fri, Mar 2, 2012 at 5:51 AM, Michael Kaufman <wb9sli@...> wrote:

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1415. Re: DV Dongle Quit working after switching to MAC OS 10.7 Lion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-02 09:59:34 UTC
From: Peter
Topic: 1413 Message: 1415

Hi Mike!

Have you tried to reinstall the comport driver found at
http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm

/peter sa7bgg

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Kaufman <wb9sli@...> wrote:
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1416. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV Dongle Quit working after switching to MAC OS 10.7 Lion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-02 11:55:50 UTC
From: Jeff Davis
Topic: 1413 Message: 1416

Did you reinstall the USB drivers?

On Mar 1, 2012, at 1:51 PM, Michael Kaufman wrote:

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1417. Arduino type adapter

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-03 17:25:02 UTC
From: aubreybarbara@bellsouth.net
Topic: 1417 Message: 1417

Has anybody made a small internet adapter rather than use a PC?

Nigel
KG4ARS

1418. D-RATS with a DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-03 20:50:57 UTC
From: ann_charles2001
Topic: 1418 Message: 1418

Can you do D-RATS with a DVAP Dongle? I can not get it to work. I have tried using one computer and then I tried it with two computers. I could use some help.

Charles

1419. DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-04 05:07:57 UTC
From: w5pfr
Topic: 1419 Message: 1419

Why DVAP wont work on Callsign Routing??
Is it because it's and ICOM pattend?

1420. Re: DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-04 14:13:38 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1419 Message: 1420

Hi Johnny. Both the DV Dongle and DVAP use "linking" to connect with gateways/reflectors. Callsign routing is a feature of the Icom G2 repeater software. I'm working on a way to implement the same type functionality.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1421. Re: DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-04 21:51:41 UTC
From: w5pfr
Topic: 1419 Message: 1421

Thanks for the reply robin and thanks for all you do with this project. Got my dvap the other day and it's been working great. Was wondering if there would be ever a chance to implement the dvap with IPHONE, by just simply connecting the two together via USB cabling, but use an external 5 volt or whatever dvap needs to have for being powered up and just be able to use the data from the IPHONE?? Don't really want to use the power from the iPhone.
Thanks in advance:
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1422. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-05 22:18:29 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1419 Message: 1422
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

By default, the iPhone is a USB slave, not a master. The DVAP is a slave. Two slaves can't talk to each other. Remember, both the DVAP and iPhone are designed to plug into a full-fledged computer. With some of the latest iOS updates, this may be changing.

One of the big issues with call sign routing is that a D-STAR repeater requires an non-translated IP address with specific ports opened through any intervening firewalls. So when call sign routing is used, your local repeater starts a connection with the IP address of the remote gateway computer.

With a DVAP/DVDongle on a PC, quite often, your PC is behind a NAT (Network Address Translation) boundary. This is easily seen if you run ipconfig and have a 192.X.X.X, 172.X.X.X or 10.X.X.X address. If you are behind a NAT address, the outside world can't initiate a connection to you unless specific routing is setup in your firewall/routing.

This can be worked around by allowing your client to connect to a remote service and then having the service contact you when someone routes to you, but that's not the way that the native Icom Call Sign routing works, it expects to talk directly to you.

Both of these issues come back to the fact that both the iPhone and DVDongle were designed as client devices and not server devices. While they may seem similar, there's some significant technical details that make the two different.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of w5pfr
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 4:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP callsign routing

Thanks for the reply robin and thanks for all you do with this project. Got my dvap the other day and it's been working great. Was wondering if there would be ever a chance to implement the dvap with IPHONE, by just simply connecting the two together via USB cabling, but use an external 5 volt or whatever dvap needs to have for being powered up and just be able to use the data from the IPHONE?? Don't really want to use the power from the iPhone.
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1423. Re: DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-06 10:16:15 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 1419 Message: 1423

Well the radio using the DVAP is creating the call route for the DVAP to pass. The DVAP is not supposed to do the routing.

But what do you mean by AN "ICOM pattend?"

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

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1424. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-06 13:16:37 UTC
From: Johnny
Topic: 1419 Message: 1424

Thanks for the reply Ed. This is what makes this hobby interesting. I'm learning something new everyday about D-star. Tnx again and 73 an good dx
Johnny, w5pfr

On Mar 5, 2012, at 4:18 PM, "Woodrick, Ed" <ewoodrick@ed-com.com> wrote:

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1425. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP callsign routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-06 19:04:10 UTC
From: Johnny
Topic: 1419 Message: 1425

Was trying to connect to my friend, by callsign routing, which you will set ur field to whoever u want to connect to, and was explained, that was a future of the g2 software in icom dstar repeater. Maybe in the future we can do that with the DVAP. I thought icom had that part of the programming patent, so no one else would be able to use it
73, Johnny, w5pfr

On Mar 6, 2012, at 4:16 AM, "Beischel" <beischel@...> wrote:

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1426. Question on using

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-10 01:16:30 UTC
From: wolobmp
Topic: 1426 Message: 1426

Hello all.

Have a question about the usage of this device. I looked thru previous postings but didnt see anything pertaining to this so here's my question.
I have an Android smartphone Droid Razr (unlimited data 4G LTE plan) and I connect this smartphone to my LapDock 500 Pro (branded with the Motorola logo, but am sure not made by Motorola). This Lapdock 500 Pro model is configured very similar to a laptop. It had ports for: keyboard, mouse, usb ports, Ethernet connection, extrnal monitor and speaker/mic, SD-card reader. As an example, when the smartphone is plugged into my Lapdock the Lapdock functions as a laptop, and I'm able to answer calls, and make calls right thru the Lapdock itself.

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Any thoughts; suggestions on this type of setup?

I'm hoping that with merging 4G LTE wireless network (Android OS) with DSTAR would really be great fun.

Thanks for reading, I'm open to comments.
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Mike

1427. Re: [DVAPDongle] Question on using

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-11 03:33:03 UTC
From: andrewcrowl@yahoo.com
Topic: 1426 Message: 1427

You need to run the DVAP client in order for it to work. Your dock is simply running Android. Currently only Windows and Apple OS will run the DVAP client.

The short answer is that configuration will not work.

73. De Andrew\N8MDH
Sent on the Sprint® Now Network from my BlackBerry®

-----Original Message-----
From: "wolobmp" <wolobmp@yahoo.com>
Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sat, 10 Mar 2012 01:16:30
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Question on using

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1428. Re: Question on using

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-11 09:24:15 UTC
From: m0lta
Topic: 1426 Message: 1428

Dear Mike,

Not familiar with the lapdock but I assume it uses the andriod system? If it does I dont think there is a version for the DVAP that runs under andriod.

Andrew

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "wolobmp" <wolobmp@...> wrote:
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1429. Please close DVAP Tool anche check your internet connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-11 12:30:21 UTC
From: iz8twx
Topic: 1429 Message: 1429

Hello everyone, is'some day when I start the dvap tools I get the following message:"Please close dvap tool and check your internet connection", but the connection is active, where 's the problem?

1430. Re: [DVAPDongle] Question on using

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-11 12:31:50 UTC
From: alan sadolsky
Topic: 1426 Message: 1430

dont know if this will help,i dont know anything about your computer but i use my dvap with my toshiba laptop and the verizon wireless connection and it works good I would think as long as you have internet you should be able to use it.I have tried both satellite and verizon wifi and the wifi is the best.Satellite does not work good at all

--- On Fri, 3/9/12, wolobmp <wolobmp@...> wrote:

From: wolobmp <wolobmp@yahoo.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Question on using
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, March 9, 2012, 8:16 PM

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1431. Re: Question on using

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-11 22:54:28 UTC
From: Tommy
Topic: 1426 Message: 1431

What OS does it use?
You have to install some drivers for the DVAP to work. I know there are window OS drivers not sure about any other OS.

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1432. Re: [DVAPDongle] Question on using

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-12 07:46:00 UTC
From: G4WXN
Topic: 1426 Message: 1432

"Currently only Windows and Apple OS will run"

Do not forget Linux, it works on "almost" all versions.

Derek
G4WXN

On Sun, 2012-03-11 at 03:33 +0000, andrewcrowl@... wrote:
>
> You need to run the DVAP client in order for it to work. Your dock is
> simply running Android. Currently only Windows and Apple OS will run
> the DVAP client.
>
> The short answer is that configuration will not work.
>
> 73. De Andrew\N8MDH
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> Sent on the Sprint® Now Network from my BlackBerry®
>
> _____
> From: "wolobmp" <wolobmp@...>
> Sender: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Sat, 10 Mar 2012 01:16:30 -0000
> To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> ReplyTo: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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1433. Repeater Routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-13 15:59:49 UTC
From: rabbicy
Topic: 1433 Message: 1433

Can I use the DV-AP for repeater routing (I know callsign routing won't work) but what if I want to access a repeater only? Or, can I only access reflectors? Thanks.

Cy Stanway VE3IFS
rabbicy@...

1434. Re: Repeater Routing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-13 22:49:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1433 Message: 1434

Hi Cy. You can link to both gateways (repeaters) and reflectors. For example, to link to repeater W4DOC module C, use "W4DOC CL" in URCALL.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1435. Question for a DVAP newbie

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-14 23:15:39 UTC
From: rabbicy
Topic: 1435 Message: 1435

Okay, I got the DVAP all installed and working but I get a message that says 'receive only.' How can I transmit audio so the world can hear my melodius tones?

1436. Re: Question for a DVAP newbie

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-15 00:44:13 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1435 Message: 1436

Hi ? (I didn't get your name).

You need to be registered on one DSTAR gateway in order to transmit anywhere in the network. Take a look at http://www.dstargateway.org for instructions.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1437. Re: Question for a DVAP newbie

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-15 10:37:54 UTC
From: Rabbi Cy Stanway
Topic: 1435 Message: 1437

Hi Robin,

I am registered. That was not the issue. The problem was that the callsign entered into the URCALL area of DVAPTool was VE3IFS A and not just VE3IFS. I changed it to my call and lo and behold, everything worked just fine. This little doohickey is working perfectly and gives me so much more flexibility than the RF input through a NY repeater which, as good as it is, is still limited with the reflectors I can access. A whole new DStar world opened up.

Rabbi Cy Stanway

Temple Beth Miriam

http://www.bethmiriam.org <http://www.bethmiriam.org/>

1438. Dvap looses gateway after a few connect and disconnects

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-16 13:39:47 UTC
From: w5pfr
Topic: 1438 Message: 1438

Strange problem I'm having here. I've tried different computers running XP with the latest updates, at home and at work. Sometimes it tells me, no gateway found, check ur Internet setting, and I know Internet is working, because I'm able to view web pages. I have to unplug dvap for awhile and reconnect and run it again and it may give me the good massage of, it's got the latest updates or sometimes no gateway found. This happens from different locations and different computers. The other problem is, once I'm connected to a repeater or ref, after disconnecting and trying to connect somewhere else, it won't work, and has to be shut down and try again, and hopefully it will connect. Strange thing is, I can stay connected for a long time, without any problem, but once I disconnect, and try again, sometimes no luck.
Any ideas???
Thanks in advance:
Johnny, w5pfr

1439. Re: Dvap looses gateway after a few connect and disconnects

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-16 14:03:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1438 Message: 1439

Hi Johnny. The DVAP does not interact with the internet connection so disconnecting/reconnecting will not impact connecting/disconnecting.

The "no gateway found" message shows that you were unable to connect to the name/auth server. The problem still sounds like an internet issue. Are you using wifi? If so, try a cabled connection to the internet.

When you click "Open", it verifies the DVAP and then connects to the name/auth server. If you receive the "no gateway" message, try clicking close and open again.

I looked through the logs and saw you connect several times to both the name/auth server and REF004/K5TIT/K5RKN.

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1440. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap looses gateway after a few connect and disconnects

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-16 15:11:37 UTC
From: Gerald L. Dubzak, Jr. (W2GLD)
Topic: 1438 Message: 1440

Robin,

I think it's more than Internet related as I too have been encountering the same issue on Windows 7 64-Bit and Windows XP 32-Bit. The problem arose with this latest round of Windows updates released earlier this week... The connection has issues on startup of the DVAP Tool and then looses connection to the gateways quite often once you are able to establish a connection. If I roll back the Windows updates, the issue goes away... I think some investigative work is still needed here before we simply blame the ISP connection!

Regards,

Jerry - W2GLD

Sent from my iPad

On Mar 16, 2012, at 10:03 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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1441. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap looses gateway after a few connect and disconnects

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-16 15:25:08 UTC
From: Johnny
Topic: 1438 Message: 1441

I have tried wired and wireless and it does it both ways. I was trying it out and it did work ok that last time, but at one point it told me that I was on, RECIEVE only, when connected to REF1C, but after a couple of try's, it went in and worked. I'm at work now and listening on REF1C, and staying idle and no problem so far. At first I thought it may have been firewall issues, but had them off and it did the same.
Thanks,
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On Mar 16, 2012, at 9:03 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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1442. dvap not working now

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-16 21:47:51 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1442 Message: 1442

my dvap has stopped working in dv it is not picking up my transmission from my radio and when the dvap is in tx my radios go into fm detect and wont pick up the dv audio i have tried it on three different pc and still the same result can anyone help thanks

1443. dvap off freq

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-17 09:29:24 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1443 Message: 1443

i have had problems with my dvap it has just started doing this my radio is not decoding the data from the dvap and the dvap is not picking up my tx from my id880 i have my dvap set to 144.600mhz but i have to put my radio to 144.595mhz for the dvap and the radio to work it was working OK till now i have had the dvap 4 month now

i have been reading in the yahoogroup and have came across someone with this problem i have used the dvaputil to have a look. when my dvap is connected to dvaputil the freq calibration is at 0 I don't have any test gear so what number should this bee set at should it be 0

thanks

1444. Re: dvap off freq

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-17 22:55:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1443 Message: 1444

Hi Scott. If you have a frequency counter, you could watch as you adjust the calibration. If not, just adjust up and down to find the sweet spot for your choosen frequency.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "SCOTT" <scott.arnott575@...> wrote:
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1445. Re: dvap off freq

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-17 23:42:57 UTC
From: SCOTT
Topic: 1443 Message: 1445

hi robin
i have adjusted the dvap i had to set it to -500 for it to be ok what could have caused it to go off freq is -500 about right for this but it is tx/rx ok now

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1446. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap off freq

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-18 20:00:04 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1443 Message: 1446
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Are you sure that your radio didn't go off frequency? Before changing frequencies of anything, you should always make sure that you are testing against a calibrated source.

Crystals are finicky things. They change frequency when they warm up, they change as they get older, and they can change if they get hit in the wrong way. And the higher in frequency you go, the more pronounced the change is.

With FM and Digital, you can often be quite far from each other in frequency and you'll never notice it. Only when it becomes too far does it become a big issue. It wasn't too many years ago when just about every ham had a frequency counter to keep their radios on channel. But the VHF/UHF fully synthesized radios have slowly changed the practice.

Frequency change, just happens.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of SCOTT
Sent: Saturday, March 17, 2012 7:43 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: dvap off freq

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1447. Make programming your radio for a DVAP easier

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-18 20:08:48 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1447 Message: 1447

In case you haven't seen it, for anyone new to the DVAP, DSTARInfo has the ability to create an import file for your radio to work with your DVAP. Just head to http://www.dstarinfo.com/DVAP-Memories.aspx , specify the frequency that you want to use for your DVAP and specify some of your favorite reflectors and you can quickly load it into your radio's programming software.

Ed WA4YIH

1448. dvrec files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-20 17:24:34 UTC
From: n5zno
Topic: 1448 Message: 1448

Has anyone know what format the audio files created by the dvaptool software are?

I would like to make them into wav files or mp3.

1449. Newby question...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-21 08:28:33 UTC
From: Martin
Topic: 1449 Message: 1449

If I link to a repeater - I hear people on it. Even stations working through the local repeater from REF005A. If I link to a reflector - say in another country, I don't hear anything. Is that normal? Do I need to put a call out first in order to hear a distant reflector?

Dongle delivered yesterday :)

73 de Martin
G6MMA

1450. Re: Newby question...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-21 12:46:42 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1449 Message: 1450

Hi Martin. Just make sure you are linking to an active reflector/module. Try REF001 module C or REF030 module C. Those are usually active. You can also check activity by going to the status page of the reflector (e.g. http://ref001.dstargateway.org).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1451. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvrec files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-21 18:28:17 UTC
From: G4WXN@digitography.co.uk
Topic: 1448 Message: 1451

I think you will find they are dvrec or something like that, compressed
by the vocoder.
Pretty sure you are not going to be able to convert.

--
Derek Haden
G4WXN
If you see the candle as flame the meal is already cooked.

On Tue, 2012-03-20 at 17:24 +0000, n5zno wrote:

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1452. Re: Newby question...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-22 16:29:59 UTC
From: martin barlow
Topic: 1449 Message: 1452

nothing from ref001c and the page http://ref001.dstargateway.org is not being found by safari.

ref030.dstargateway.org is fine and shows me listening to it. I entered UR REF030CL. Nothing heard so far but maybe I need to be patient.

73 de Martin
G6MMA

1453. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvrec files

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-22 20:22:47 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 1448 Message: 1453

Yes, they'll be AMBE-encoded. You'll need to process them using am AMBE decoder chip (eg. like in the DVDongle) in order to convert them to a format like wav or mp3. If you have a DVDongle, it shouldn't be too difficult to write a small program that feeds the ABME-encoded data in and captures the unencoded raw audio out, then use something like SOX to massage the raw format to wav, mp3, etc..

73, Matt VK2ACL

On 22/03/2012, at 5:28 AM, G4WXN@digitography.co.uk wrote:

> I think you will find they are dvrec or something like that, compressed by the vocoder.
> Pretty sure you are not going to be able to convert.
>
> --
> Derek Haden
> G4WXN
> If you see the candle as flame the meal is already cooked.
>
> On Tue, 2012-03-20 at 17:24 +0000, n5zno wrote:
>>
>> Has anyone know what format the audio files created by the dvaptool software are?
>>
>> I would like to make them into wav files or mp3.
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1454. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newby question...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-23 13:56:20 UTC
From: Johnny
Topic: 1449 Message: 1454

Hey martin. Connect to, K5RKN BL, and I listen for you. I usually hang out there, since that's our local repeater
73, Johnny, w5pfr

On Mar 22, 2012, at 11:29 AM, martin barlow <mbarlo@...> wrote:

> nothing from ref001c and the page http://ref001.dstargateway.org is not being found by safari.
>
> ref030.dstargateway.org is fine and shows me listening to it. I entered UR REF030CL. Nothing heard so far but maybe I need to be patient.
>
> 73 de Martin
> G6MMA
>

1455. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newby question...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-24 10:13:17 UTC
From: martin barlow
Topic: 1449 Message: 1455

Hi Johnny,

I'll give you a call on K5RKN, thanks. But not right now since its 5am in Jackson MS. I'm getting there with d-star, but still finding something new most days.

Martin
G6MMA

From: Johnny <w5pfr@...>
To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Cc: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Friday, 23 March 2012, 13:56
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newby question...

Hey martin. Connect to, K5RKN BL, and I listen for you. I usually hang out there, since that's our local repeater
73, Johnny, w5pfr

On Mar 22, 2012, at 11:29 AM, martin barlow <mbarlo@yahoo.com> wrote:

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>73 de Martin
>G6MMA

1456. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newby question...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-24 12:56:51 UTC
From: Johnny
Topic: 1449 Message: 1456

No problem Martin. I'm gonna be gone for a hamfest this weekend in new Orleans , so will catch u on Monday when I get back home.
73's
Johnny, w5pfr

On Mar 24, 2012, at 5:13 AM, martin barlow <mbarlo@...> wrote:

> Hi Johnny,
>
> I'll give you a call on K5RKN, thanks. But not right now since its 5am in Jackson MS. I'm getting there with d-star, but still finding something new most days.
>
> Martin
> G6MMA
>
> From: Johnny <w5pfr@comcast.net>
> To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> Cc: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> Sent: Friday, 23 March 2012, 13:56
> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newby question...
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1457. D-Star Repeater access issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-25 09:28:11 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1457 Message: 1457

I have recently purchased a DVAP. I have programmed up both my E80 and 2820 to use with it.

When I try to access a D-Star repeater which I normally use using the DVAP I get the voice prompt ' remote system linked '. When I change over to CQCQCQ and try transmitting nothing comes out. Neither do I recieve anything from it

I have done the same test but on other gateways / reflectors and it works perfect.

Is this a problem with the repeater that I am trying to use.

I have checked the settings of the radio and it all seems fine. The L is the 8th character in the repeater callsign, GB7OK..L.

I have also switched my cable modem/router off/on

This question might have already been asked of someone but I have had a look and could not find anything similar

Thanks

Ed
M3NSY

1458. Re: D-Star Repeater access issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-25 09:50:21 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1457 Message: 1458

Problem solved. I missed out putting the port letter in the settings.

Works fine now

Ed

1459. Re: D-Star Repeater access issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-26 09:56:08 UTC
From: m0lta
Topic: 1457 Message: 1459

Ed,

Just saw your post. Glad you worked it out :) Seems like our discussions helped in the original setup.

Have fun with it and maybe I will catch you from Australia as VK2DYI :)

Andrew
M0LTA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "m3nsy" <m3nsy@...> wrote:
>
> Problem solved. I missed out putting the port letter in the settings.
>
> Works fine now
>
> Ed
>

1460. Receive only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-26 16:46:49 UTC
From: jneff60
Topic: 1460 Message: 1460

Recently installed my DVAP and am registered, but when I try to connect it will connect to "XXXXXX C R/O and I received a message "Link established receive only" it also shows up on the "D-Star users site but I can't transmit audio.

1461. Re: Receive only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-26 19:53:12 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1460 Message: 1461

Hi (didn't get your name nor callsign).

If you include your callsign, I can look it up. If you are fully registered, you have a "terminal" created in the registration database that matches the 8th character of the MYCALL field. If you don't have that configured, it will keep you from transmitting.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jneff60" <jneff60@...> wrote:
>
> Recently installed my DVAP and am registered, but when I try to connect it will connect to "XXXXXX C R/O and I received a message "Link established receive only" it also shows up on the "D-Star users site but I can't transmit audio.
>

1462. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-26 19:53:53 UTC
From: Johnny
Topic: 1460 Message: 1462

Make sure you are registered to use the Gateway. You can do that on any US trust servers. Just takes one time to register and your good to go.
73
Johnny, w5pfr

On Mar 26, 2012, at 11:46 AM, "jneff60" <jneff60@...> wrote:

> Recently installed my DVAP and am registered, but when I try to connect it will connect to "XXXXXX C R/O and I received a message "Link established receive only" it also shows up on the "D-Star users site but I can't transmit audio.
>
>

1463. Re: Receive only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-26 20:48:42 UTC
From: jneff60
Topic: 1460 Message: 1463

Sorry my name is Jerry and call sign is KC7HA
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi (didn't get your name nor callsign).
>
> If you include your callsign, I can look it up. If you are fully registered, you have a "terminal" created in the registration database that matches the 8th character of the MYCALL field. If you don't have that configured, it will keep you from transmitting.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jneff60" <jneff60@> wrote:
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> > Recently installed my DVAP and am registered, but when I try to connect it will connect to "XXXXXX C R/O and I received a message "Link established receive only" it also shows up on the "D-Star users site but I can't transmit audio.
> >
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1464. Re: Receive only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-27 02:41:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1460 Message: 1464

Hi Jerry. You have and "A" and "B" terminal registered. You need to register a "space" terminal. Just follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org. In the mean time, if you place an "A" or "B" in the 8th character of your callsign (so KC7HA space space A), you should be able to transmit.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jneff60" <jneff60@...> wrote:
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> Sorry my name is Jerry and call sign is KC7HA
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
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> > Hi (didn't get your name nor callsign).
> >
> > If you include your callsign, I can look it up. If you are fully registered, you have a "terminal" created in the registration database that matches the 8th character of the MYCALL field. If you don't have that configured, it will keep you from transmitting.
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> > Robin
> > AA4RC
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jneff60" <jneff60@> wrote:
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1465. Re: Receive only question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-27 15:48:59 UTC
From: jneff60
Topic: 1460 Message: 1465

Robin, Thank you for the reply, I followed your suggestion for the 8th character and now I can transmit. I am not sure how to register a space terminal but will hopefully figure it out. Thanks again.
73
Jerry
KC7HA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Jerry. You have and "A" and "B" terminal registered. You need to register a "space" terminal. Just follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org. In the mean time, if you place an "A" or "B" in the 8th character of your callsign (so KC7HA space space A), you should be able to transmit.
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1466. D-Star Net/New Louisiana Repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-03-30 13:08:54 UTC
From: K5JMR
Topic: 1466 Message: 1466

Come and join us on the "NEW" LOUISIANA D-STAR REFLECTOR 48. The Ark-La-Tex D-Star net is on Reflector 48b every Tuesday evening at 7:30pm central time.... Also our newest repeater is up and doing very well; N5APB Ruston, LA 145.140-....

1467. Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-03 12:32:01 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1467 Message: 1467

Hi..

If I am connected to a gateway via DVAP and listening to a QSO , I sometimes get DUP PACKET (-1) with the (-1) increasing in numbers, 1,2,3, etc.

The QSO I am listening to becomes very intermitent with the audio dropping in and out.

I have tried changed the DVAP frequency and my laptop is connected directly the wireless modem/router but I still get this problem.

Anyone else had this problem

Ed
M3NSY

1468. Re: Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-03 12:40:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1467 Message: 1468

Hi Ed. The dup packets are coming from the internet to your DVAP connected PC. VOIP protocols like dstar use UDP (datagrams) to communicate. UDP does not have any retransmit or pacing mechanism so it is more real-time. Unfortunately, that means when you drop a packet, it is gone. Routers in the path between the reflector/gateway and your PC can just drop UDP packets if they get congested. They can also sometimes duplicate a packet. That is usually what is happening when you see the DUP PACKET messages. It is pretty much a warning that the internet connection between you and the source host is having difficulties keeping up.

Sometimes it can be something as simple as "the wife/husband" streaming a video or downloading a CD/DVD image while you are operating. The little linksys/netgear/dlink routers are notorious for not keeping up.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "m3nsy" <m3nsy@...> wrote:
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> Hi..
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> I have tried changed the DVAP frequency and my laptop is connected directly the wireless modem/router but I still get this problem.
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> Anyone else had this problem
>
> Ed
> M3NSY
>

1469. Re: Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-03 13:35:09 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1467 Message: 1469

Thanks Robin

The ADSL modem I use has a built in wifi. The modem, technicolour, plugs directly into the wall and is supplied by the telephone company.

I might have to change it for a belkin adsl modem to see if that solves the problem

Ed

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Robin
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "m3nsy" <m3nsy@> wrote:
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> > M3NSY
> >

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1470. D-STAR Class at Dayton Hamvention

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-04 19:11:32 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 1470 Message: 1470

There are many new D-STAR users and we can help them get the most out of D-STAR. DSTARinfo.com will be hosting a class during Dayton Hamvention 2012 to help those new to D-STAR learn the basics and how to experience all of the features and capabilities of D-STAR. If you are going to Dayton Hamvention this year and are a new D-STAR user or know someone who could benefit from a comprehensive D-STAR class for new users, here is the info.

The three hour class will be held on Friday morning from 9:00am to 12:00 noon at the Drury Inn Ballroom, 6616 Miller Lane, conveniently located near many of the Hamvention hotels. The class will be given by experienced D-STAR instructors who have conducted D-STAR training across the country. The cost of the class is $25.00 and advance registration is required. All participants will receive full course materials and a chance to win an Icom ID-31A handheld radio. Register before April 25th and receive a special edition t-shirt at the class.

For complete information and to register, visit the DSTARinfo.com website
<http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2012.aspx> .

1471. Re: Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-06 01:57:37 UTC
From: m0lta
Topic: 1467 Message: 1471

Ed,

I sometimes get this with mine. Often it is related to the repeater. Do you get it more often of connected to GB7OK rather than the reflector? It could be on the other end. Also I can have days where this happens a lot and others where it doesnt happen at all so I have learnt to live with it.

Sometimes when I am connected to the Australian repeater it happens also but other times it is fine all day.

Andrew
M0LTA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "m3nsy" <m3nsy@...> wrote:
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> Anyone else had this problem
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> Ed
> M3NSY
>

1472. Re: Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-06 12:16:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1467 Message: 1472

Hi All. It is usually an issue of congestion on one or more routers somewhere in the path between you and the gateway/reflector. Dup UDP packets are permitted per the spec. I put the DUP message there just to show when there were issues with the connection.

Interestingly, you can get the DUP message when so many packets are lost that the sequence numbers wrap around.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "m0lta" <m0lta@...> wrote:
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> Andrew
> M0LTA
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> >
> > Ed
> > M3NSY
> >
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1473. Re: Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-06 12:18:59 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1467 Message: 1473

Hi Andrew

Yes just on GB7OK this happens. I was connected to Ref 12A for a few hours the other night and there was no problems. Same on 5A. It just happens with GB7OK.

I am changing my ADSL wireless modem router to see if this makes a difference

Hope you are having fun down under in VK land. If you get boref and want to arrange a sked with me and the others let me know.

73

Ed

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "m0lta" <m0lta@...> wrote:
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> Ed,
>
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> >
> > Ed
> > M3NSY

> >
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1474. Re: Dup packet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-06 12:24:28 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1467 Message: 1474

Hi Robin

Dup packet only seems to happen on the local d-star repeater, GB7OK, that I use. It does not happen if I am connected to another repeater or reflector.

Unfortunately GB7OK has an intermitent internet connection so it is not always on during the day / night.

There must be an issue the repeater side / internet gateway if others are also experincing this

73

Ed

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi All. It is usually an issue of congestion on one or more routers somewhere in the path between you and the gateway/reflector. Dup UDP packets are permitted per the spec. I put the DUP message there just to show when there were issues with the connection.
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> > > Ed
> > > M3NSY
> > >
> >
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1475. No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 01:48:34 UTC
From: RalphH
Topic: 1475 Message: 1475

I purchased a DVAP this morning. Installed it, Set my radio up. Connected to reflector 12A. I hear people talking. I see myself (K1GGS P) connected to the reflector. I get a "Connected to Reflector 12" voice notification.

Issues is that nobody can hear me. When I do an echo test with the DVAP it sounds fine. I have the radio set up with

My Call: K1GGS P
UR Call: CQCQCQ
R1: Direct
R2: Direct

I'm sure I've missed something. I did add the Direct to the R1 and R2 fields in the radio. Should i leave them blank?

Rusty K1GGS

1476. Re: No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 14:07:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1475 Message: 1476

Hi Rusty. It can take a few hours for your registration to propagate through the system. It looks like your callsign has now made it through and you should be able to transmit.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "RalphH" <nnn0fjk@...> wrote:
>
> I purchased a DVAP this morning. Installed it, Set my radio up. Connected to reflector 12A. I hear people talking. I see myself (K1GGS P) connected to the reflector. I get a "Connected to Reflector 12" voice notification.
>
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> UR Call: CQCQCQ
> R1: Direct
> R2: Direct
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> I'm sure I've missed something. I did add the Direct to the R1 and R2 fields in the radio. Should i leave them blank?
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> Rusty K1GGS
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1477. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 15:04:13 UTC
From: Brian Christensen
Topic: 1475 Message: 1477

Rusty,

What's the "P" for at the end of your call sign in the "My Call" field?
With my radio (92AD) and DVAP just my call is in the field.

Been using the DVAP for weeks and loving it.

Brian
K6SCC

On Fri, Apr 6, 2012 at 6:48 PM, RalphH <nnn0fjk@...> wrote:

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> I purchased a DVAP this morning. Installed it, Set my radio up. Connected
> to reflector 12A. I hear people talking. I see myself (K1GGS P) connected
> to the reflector. I get a "Connected to Reflector 12" voice notification.
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> Issues is that nobody can hear me. When I do an echo test with the DVAP it
> sounds fine. I have the radio set up with
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> My Call: K1GGS P
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K6SCC

1478. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 15:29:07 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1475 Message: 1478

Robin

I've been registered on the system for over a year. I tried this morning and managed to hear one call using the DVAP. The HT works ok if I go to the D-STAR system on the air (not DVAP). Here is my info .

Registered on KI6KQU

Two terminals registered.

K1GGS 10.227.10.200

K1GGS P 10.227.10.201

I have the DVAP set up as K1GGS P and the HT (80AD) is also using the same call sign.

I've been listening to Refl12A on radioreference and talking using the DVAP and into the system on a repeater. I hear myself every time on the repeater, but only made it thru once on the DVAP.

Any suggestions?

Rusty

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Saturday, April 07, 2012 07:08
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Transmit audio

Hi Rusty. It can take a few hours for your registration to propagate through the system. It looks like your callsign has now made it through and you should be able to transmit.

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AA4RC

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1479. RE: [DVAPDongle] No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 15:45:52 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1475 Message: 1479

Since I have two radios I have one with my base call sign and the other with a "P" for portable. Its been working fine for over a year. Since I'm registered with both call signs, I'll remove the "P" and see what happens. My original plan was to make the "P" a "A", as suggested by whomever wrote the instructions for the DVAP.

Rusty

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Christensen
Sent: Saturday, April 07, 2012 08:04
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] No Transmit audio

Rusty,

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K6SCC

1480. Re: No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 17:24:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1475 Message: 1480

Hi Rusty. I looked through the logs on REF012. You are using a "P" in the 7th position of mycall. It needs to be in the 8th. You can also just place a space there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Saturday, April 07, 2012 07:08
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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1481. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 19:38:52 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1475 Message: 1481

I removed the extraneous character "P" from my call sign on the radio and DVAP and its working.

Thanks for all the help.

Rusty

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1482. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-07 22:05:40 UTC
From: Brian Christensen
Topic: 1475 Message: 1482

Welcome to DVAP, Rusty!

'73

Brian
K6SCC

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K6SCC

1483. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Transmit audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-08 03:12:16 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1475 Message: 1483

Thanks Brian. I plan to use it in my RV when traveling this summer. I'll be spending some time in states where there are no listed D-Star repeaters!

Rusty

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Christensen
Sent: Saturday, April 07, 2012 15:06
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Transmit audio

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Brian

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1484. Newbie today

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-08 06:13:50 UTC
From: George R.
Topic: 1484 Message: 1484

I've received my used, but new to me DVAP today, but cannot get it installed.

I'm using XP and ran through the install steps. I've got my call sign in and recognized. A frequency in and recognized.

Then the trouble starts. It says "opening DVAP device Com5" and then "cannot open com port 5." Then "cannot open DVTool device Com5" and that;s where I am after trying this for over an hour.

I do have the pulsing green light.

I need help please,

George
KG6LSB

1485. Re: Newbie today

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-08 14:04:21 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1484 Message: 1485

Hi George. Is there only one com port in the selection box? If you have any other serial to USB type devices, they can show up as well.

Just click on the arrow in the com port selection box to see.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1487. DVAPTool 1.02: Can't link again after failed link attempt

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-15 19:00:52 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 1487 Message: 1487

Hi;

I'm using DVAPTool 1.02 on Vista 64, with a wired internet connection, and an Icom IC-92AD HT.

Things work OK until I try to link to a repeater that won't allow a connect (i.e. one that has has remote linking disabled). After that failed attempt, the DVAP Tool will not link to anything else. It has to be completely closed and restarted.

For example, I set UR: KD0NJCCL, RPT1: (blank), RPT2: NOT USE*, MYCALL: W6KD and try to establish a link to KD0NJC Port C. The DVAPTool text window shows:

Connect requested
Connecting to gateway KD0NJC
Cannot connect to gateway

I then try to connect to KC0CVU port C by changing UR: to KC0CVUCL

The text window shows:

Connect requested
Connecting to gateway KC0CVU

and then the connection is never completed. I have to close DVAPTool down and restart, then linking works again.

It appears that something is hanging from the original connect request. I've tried issuing an unlink command after the failed attempt to link (UR:_____U) and it comes back with "not currently linked" and does not help. My guess is DVAPTool is getting hung in a "connect in progress" state when the connect attempt is refused.

Regards

Bob Scott, W6KD

1488. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool 1.02: Can't link again after failed link attempt

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-15 21:53:02 UTC
From: chiefsfan2
Topic: 1487 Message: 1488

I have been having the same problem for about a week now also. N0KQX

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of w6kd
Sent: Sunday, April 15, 2012 2:01 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool 1.02: Can't link again after failed link attempt

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1489. Random unblinking from reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-16 01:43:29 UTC
From: n1toq@arrl.net
Topic: 1489 Message: 1489

Greetings. I am having a problem where my dvap will randomly disconnect from a reflector even during a net. I've kerchunked the reflector when I link up and that doesnt help. I've tried this on several different reflectors and have the same issue. Anyone have this problem and a solution? Thanks and 73.

1490. Cutting out after 2 - 3 seconds

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-16 04:50:16 UTC
From: kiwiman168
Topic: 1490 Message: 1490

Hi. Tom zl4hd. I'm using a ic92ad and a ic2820h. I beleave I have this problem with both.

I just got my dvap today. I tried to connect to ref001cl I can here stations ok. when I try to connect back to them they only get the firt to letter of my call, then I cut out. any idears.

cheers Tom ZL4HD

1491. Re: Cutting out after 2 - 3 seconds

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-16 12:46:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1490 Message: 1491

Hi Tom. We saw some problems with "hacking" on REF001C yesterday. The hackers have been blocked. Let me know if you are still having issues.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kiwiman168" <kiwiman168@...> wrote:
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1492. 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-16 17:46:11 UTC
From: n1ic4
Topic: 1492 Message: 1492

I just got a 31ad to replace my 92ad. Before selling the 92ad I just wanted to make sure the Dvap was 440mhz compatible. I can't seem to find it in the documentation.

-Nick N1IC

1493. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 02:03:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1492 Message: 1493

Hi Nick. The DVAP is 2M only.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1494. Re: [DVAPDongle] 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 02:04:17 UTC
From: Brian Christensen
Topic: 1492 Message: 1494

Nick,

No, the DVAP currently only works on 2M.

Brian
K6SCC

On Mon, Apr 16, 2012 at 10:46 AM, n1ic4 <nickn1ic@...> wrote:

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K6SCC

1495. Re: [DVAPDongle] 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 02:25:07 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1492 Message: 1495

Nic, keep the 92AD.

--Fran

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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1496. Re: Cutting out after 2 - 3 seconds

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 04:04:48 UTC
From: kiwiman168
Topic: 1490 Message: 1496

Its going great in winxp. It appears it was the reflector. I am tring to get it to go in ubuntu 11.10. I've taken out the brttly driver, how do I disable the modem manager?

cheers

Tom zl4hd

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1497. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 12:14:02 UTC
From: Eric
Topic: 1492 Message: 1497

Robin,

Did ytou have intention to make a DVAP UHF module for make it compatible with Icom ID-31??

I want also get this beautifull handy, but i'm not sure because of my VHF DVAP, it useless with ID-31 !

I'm think creating Module UHF DVAP is a good thing ??

Best 73'z

Eric VE2NBZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1498. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 14:55:00 UTC
From: Patrick Green
Topic: 1492 Message: 1498

Is this because of FCC licensing issues with the DVAP? It looks like the device could go there, it's blocked by the software in doing so?

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

1499. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 21:33:20 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1492 Message: 1499

It is not designed for 70cm.

Robin

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1500. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 21:39:51 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 1492 Message: 1500

It isn't blocked, the unit uses a 2 meter transceiver module.

I have heard that finding a suitable 440 xceiver has been a problem.

73
Ted
W1GRI

"The comfort of the rich depends on an abundant supply of the poor. -
Voltaire"

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of Patrick Green
Sent: Tuesday, April 17, 2012 10:55 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Is this because of FCC licensing issues with the DVAP? It looks like
the device could go there, it's blocked by the software in doing so?

73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2411/4942 - Release Date: 04/17/12

1501. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 22:03:28 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1492 Message: 1501

No, its to do with RF issues on the internal hardware not playing ball.
Until that is sorted out we won't be seeing a 70cms DVAP.

Neil G7EBY.

On 17 April 2012 15:55, Patrick Green <pagreen@...> wrote:

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> Is this because of FCC licensing issues with the DVAP? It looks like
> the device could go there, it's blocked by the software in doing so?
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> 73 de Pat --- KA9SCF.
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1502. Re: DVAPTool 1.02: Can't link again after failed link attempt

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-17 22:16:58 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1487 Message: 1502

I am having the same issue although I am using windows 7. I never had this issue before today...

1503. Re: DVAPTool 1.02: Can't link again after failed link attempt

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-19 09:21:27 UTC
From: martin barlow
Topic: 1487 Message: 1503

Me too, I'm also having this problem and while I'd like to blame vista for just about anything, I'm running OSX 10.6.8

I tried to connect - GB7WP BL - which failed, after that I couldn't connect to any of the nodes or reflectors I usually use.

73 de martin
G6MMA

1504. Re: DVAPTool 1.02: Can't link again after failed link attempt

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-19 20:31:44 UTC
From: T
Topic: 1487 Message: 1504

I had this happen in both winxp and Ubuntu Linux. All I did to restart was shutdown the dvap software,unplug dvap then plugin dvap and start software again. No more problems. It was ref021a that caused problem for me.

Tom zl4hd

Tom zl4hd

Sent from my iPod

1505. Re: Arduino type adapter

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-20 16:45:45 UTC
From: craigdamlo
Topic: 1417 Message: 1505

I was thinking the same thing. I think the Rasberry Pi would be very interesting as it is a full computer for under $50 with ethernet and USB. Only problem could be that it doesn't have enough ram, but with a thin linux on it you may still be able to use it with less ram.

Craig
KU7CAD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aubreybarbara@..." <aubreybarbara@...> wrote:
>
> Has anybody made a small internet adapter rather than use a PC?
>
> Nigel
> KG4ARS
>

1506. dchat and drats

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-21 13:17:08 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1506 Message: 1506

Hello
this may have been asked before and answered?

can the dvap and the e92 be used with DRATS and/or DCHAT?
I don't mean connecting the davp straight to DRATS or DCHAT.
If it can't why not?
I have heard of "drats reflectors" what are they and can the dvap be used with that as well?

pk

1507. Connect DVAP with IPhone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-22 05:54:23 UTC
From: Valery Titievsky
Topic: 1507 Message: 1507

Hi, All!

Application to connect DVAP with IPhone or IPod.
Is there a ready-made solutions?

73!
Valery, UA9OTW

P.S. Sorry for may bad English

I would like to see DVAP for band 70 cm :)

1508. RE: [DVAPDongle] Connect DVAP with IPhone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-22 14:30:39 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1507 Message: 1508
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Valery,

Don't worry about your English. It's much better than my Russian!

до свидания

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Valery Titievsky
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2012 1:54 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Connect DVAP with IPhone

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Application to connect DVAP with IPhone or IPod.
Is there a ready-made solutions?

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Valery, UA9OTW

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2012.0.1913 / Virus Database: 2411/4951 - Release Date: 04/21/12

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2012.0.1913 / Virus Database: 2411/4951 - Release Date: 04/21/12

1509. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connect DVAP with IPhone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-22 23:42:06 UTC
From: Eduardo Freitas PY2VR
Topic: 1507 Message: 1509

Hi Valery,

I would like to get the same application, it would be very nice.

73s
Ed - PY2VR

Sent from iPhone

On 22/04/2012, at 02:54, "Valery Titievsky" <dotfoto@...> wrote:

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> Application to connect DVAP with IPhone or IPod.
> Is there a ready-made solutions?
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> 73!
> Valery, UA9OTW
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1510. Getting Started in D-STAR class at Dayton

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-26 14:53:41 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 1510 Message: 1510

There are many new D-STAR users and we can help them get the most out of D-STAR. DSTARinfo.com will be hosting a class during Dayton Hamvention 2012 to help those new to D-STAR learn the basics and how to experience all of the features and capabilities of D-STAR. If you are going to Dayton Hamvention this year and are a new D-STAR user or know someone who could benefit from a comprehensive D-STAR class for new users, here is the info.

The three hour class will be held on Friday morning from 9:00am to 12:00 noon at the Drury Inn Ballroom, 6616 Miller Lane, conveniently located near many of the Hamvention hotels. The class will be given by experienced D-STAR instructors who have conducted D-STAR training across the country. The cost of the class is $25.00 and advance registration is required. All participants will receive full course materials and a chance to win an Icom ID-31A handheld radio. Register by this Friday, April 25th, and receive a special edition t-shirt at the class.

Please pass along this information to anyone planning to be at Dayton and could benefit from the exciting D-STAR technology. To register, go to www.DSTARinfo.com/IC12 <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle/www.DSTARinfo.com/IC12> .

1511. mobile hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-26 20:08:51 UTC
From: jwgardiner
Topic: 1511 Message: 1511

I am trying to find out if it is possible to get internet connectivity
when out of range of wi-fi..
I will be at a remote location without wi-fi but very near to cell towers. I have a laptop and a DVAP.
So the question is...can i use/buy a device to get internet service??
Such as a mobile hotspot
Thanks for any help/comments.
Bill N3DXE

1512. Re: mobile hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-26 20:14:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1511 Message: 1512

Hi Bill. I use a Verizon aircard and I know several folks use Sprint hotspots as well. I had issues with AT&T and switched to Verizon for their data service.

I've driven to Dayton and Orlando for hamfests and used the aircard most of the way with good results.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jwgardiner" <jwgardiner@...> wrote:
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> I will be at a remote location without wi-fi but very near to cell towers. I have a laptop and a DVAP.
> So the question is...can i use/buy a device to get internet service??
> Such as a mobile hotspot
> Thanks for any help/comments.
> Bill N3DXE
>

1513. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: mobile hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-26 22:16:19 UTC
From: Gmail
Topic: 1511 Message: 1513

I have used iPhone tethered to my laptop through AT&T. Works a charm!

73s KC2WNW

David Korchin | 646.491.0047

On Apr 26, 2012, at 16:14, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi Bill. I use a Verizon aircard and I know several folks use Sprint hotspots as well. I had issues with AT&T and switched to Verizon for their data service.
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> I've driven to Dayton and Orlando for hamfests and used the aircard most of the way with good results.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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1514. AGAIN (any chance of a reply)?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-27 00:19:15 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1514 Message: 1514

Hello
this may have been asked before and answered?

can the dvap and the e92 be used with DRATS and/or DCHAT?
I don't mean connecting the davp straight to DRATS or DCHAT.
If it can't why not?
I have heard of "drats reflectors" what are they and can the dvap be used with that as well?

pk

1515. Re: [DVAPDongle] mobile hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-27 00:42:04 UTC
From: alan sadolsky
Topic: 1511 Message: 1515

i use a verizon hotspot to run my dvap,as long as you have cell service you should be fine

--- On Thu, 4/26/12, jwgardiner <jwgardiner@...> wrote:

From: jwgardiner <jwgardiner@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] mobile hotspot
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thursday, April 26, 2012, 4:08 PM

I am trying to find out if it is possible to get internet connectivity

when out of range of wi-fi..

I will be at a remote location without wi-fi but very near to cell towers. I have a laptop and a DVAP.

So the question is...can i use/buy a device to get internet service??

Such as a mobile hotspot

Thanks for any help/comments.

Bill N3DXE

1516. DVAPTool 1.02 - Fresh Install on XP SP3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-27 03:35:36 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1487 Message: 1516

I am having an issue.

I just installed a fresh copy of DVAPTool 1.02

This was after installing the windows drivers.

The DVAP is blinking green and I see a COM PORT 5 device in device manager.

The COM port setting is greyed out when I fire up the software and I don't seem to be able to set the frequency.

WA6JFK

PS not running any crazy port blocking software or AV programs that would interfere

1517. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool 1.02 - Fresh Install on XP SP3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-27 04:41:10 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1487 Message: 1517

I guess I had not entered the frequency correctly, once I took the decimal point out..all is ok.

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Frobisher
Sent: Thursday, April 26, 2012 8:36 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool 1.02 - Fresh Install on XP SP3

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1518. Re: AGAIN (any chance of a reply)?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-27 14:45:36 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 1514 Message: 1518

I don't know why you couldn't...the DVAP is just a means of routing the RF packets sent by the radio via internet to a reflector or repeater gateway. The D-RATS data is embedded by the radio into a standard D-STAR data stream...the DVAP isn't changing that data, only routing it through.

A ratflector is a conference bridge specifically for D-RATS data connections. When a group of users are connected to one, everything sent to the ratflector is bounced to all other connected users.

Regards

Bob, W6KD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "blairs_viper2008" <g1dra@...> wrote:
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> that as well?
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> pk
>

1519. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-28 14:46:26 UTC
From: Phil
Topic: 1492 Message: 1519

The Analog Devices transceiver chip used supports 440, so I don't-think that is it. If there was a 440 version I would buy it today. -- Phil K7APS

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Ted Wrobel" <twrobel@...> wrote:
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> It isn't blocked, the unit uses a 2 meter transceiver module.
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> I have heard that finding a suitable 440 xceiver has been a problem.
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> Behalf Of Patrick Green
> Sent: Tuesday, April 17, 2012 10:55 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?
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1520. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 02:02:01 UTC
From: dale.tongue@gmail.com
Topic: 1492 Message: 1520
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I've been seeing all the traffic on a "gotta have" 440 xceiver/dongle. Why? Is there a 440 only D-star radio out there people will use? The IC-92AD is both. 2m and 440. Why would anybody only want to buy and use a dongle only on 440? Isn't the 2m portion of anybody's 2m bandplan allow for the simplex use of the dongle on 2m?

Dale

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Phil
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 7:46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

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1521. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 03:22:40 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 1492 Message: 1521
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Dale,

Yes; many of the people requesting the 440 only DVAP either have the ID-31 or would like to buy it.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

>_____
> From: "dale.tongue@..." <dale.tongue@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 10:02 PM
>Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?
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1522. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 03:53:40 UTC
From: Eric Jaffe
Topic: 1492 Message: 1522

31ad is 440 only.

In His Service,

Eric C Jaffe
Http://www.integritycsg.com
Http://www.journeychurch.org
Please ignore typos sent from my iPhone!

On Apr 28, 2012, at 11:12 PM, "dale.tongue@gmail.com<mailto:dale.tongue@gmail.com>" <dale.tongue@gmail.com<mailto:dale.tongue@gmail.com>> wrote:

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1523. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 04:29:47 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 1492 Message: 1523

On 4/28/2012 7:02 PM, dale.tongue@... wrote:
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> xceiver/dongle. Why? Is there a 440 only D-star radio out there
> people will use?
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As has been indicated in several of the messages in this thread, the
ID-31A is such a UHF only single band radio... the latest and greatest.

Mark

1524. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 09:46:16 UTC
From: m0lta
Topic: 1492 Message: 1524

Dave,

Some people have been buying the ID31 which is a 70cm only DStar box and thus cannot access a dongle. I think this is where all the noise for a 440 device has come from.

Apparently the device has some funky features. Non of which I personally see that useful but many people will.

Andrew
M0LTA

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1525. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 11:07:35 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 1492 Message: 1525

The newest Icom HT - The ID-31 is 440 only and seems to be very popular.

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of dale.tongue@...
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 10:02 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

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Dale

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Phil
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 7:46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

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> Behalf Of Patrick Green
> Sent: Tuesday, April 17, 2012 10:55 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?
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1526. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 11:08:34 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1492 Message: 1526
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Yes, Icom came out with a 440-on;y handheld, the ID-31A.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of dale.tongue@...
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 10:02 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

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Dale

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Phil
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 7: 46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

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1527. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 11:27:25 UTC
From: Mark Halabuda
Topic: 1492 Message: 1527

Hi Dale,

A few months ago Icom began selling a Dstar HT that is a 440 single band unit. These trascievers have become very popular. That is why all the interest in a 440 DVAP.

73,
Mark

On 4/28/12 10:02 PM, "dale.tongue@gmail.com" <dale.tongue@...> wrote:

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> I¹ve been seeing all the traffic on a ³gotta have² 440 xceiver/dongle. Why?
> Is there a 440 only D-star radio out there people will use? The IC-92AD is
> both. 2m and 440. Why would anybody only want to buy and use a dongle only
> on 440? Isn¹t the 2m portion of anybody¹s 2m bandplan allow for the simplex
> use of the dongle on 2m?
> Dale
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1528. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 13:26:21 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1492 Message: 1528
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Andrew,

Evidently you may have missed what the "funky features" really are.

* Would you like the ability to buy a radio, open the box, hit a few buttons and you are on the air with NO REPEATER PROGRAMMING in less than 5 minutes?

* Would you like a radio that can quickly tell you the closest repeaters and how far away from you that they are?

* What about a radio with a built-in GPS?

And that's the short list of new features!

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of m0lta
Sent: Sunday, April 29, 2012 5:46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Dave,

Some people have been buying the ID31 which is a 70cm only DStar box and thus cannot access a dongle. I think this is where all the noise for a 440 device has come from.

Apparently the device has some funky features. Non of which I personally see that useful but many people will.

Andrew
M0LTA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, <dale.tongue@...>
wrote:
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1529. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 17:28:32 UTC
From: DALE
Topic: 1492 Message: 1529
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

A lot of areas are putting a 440 D-star radio only.
440 is becoming the most used frequency.
I use my hotspot on 440.
the other dale.

----- Original Message -----

Dale,

Yes; many of the people requesting the 440 only DVAP either have the ID-31 or would like to buy it.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

From: "dale.tongue@..." <dale.tongue@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2012 10:02 PM
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

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1530. DVAP Mobile 3G in UK

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-29 18:09:15 UTC
From: m3nsy
Topic: 1530 Message: 1530

Hi

I have read various posts on this group about running a DVAP mobile via 3G.

I was wondering if there was anyone in the UK on here who had tried it and what results you got?

I have run the DVAP with a Dell Inspiron mini 10 notebook which has been connected to my Samsung Galaxy S2 via tethering on the T-mobile network.

If the 3G signal is not brilliant I get the voice prompt command that I have been disconnected.

I believe the disconnection is down to the 3G signal dropping out. Anyone have any views on this. Is this what is causing the disconnection??

Anyone who runs a DVAP via this method have any suggestions on how to improve the signal. I have looked at the various 3G dongles you can get that have an external antenna port but I would not know how much gig to go for from 1gb - 15gb a month. I know it would depends how much you use it but it would not be a great amount of use and also the cost of having to have a contract.

I would like to be able continue to tether it via my phone if only I did not get the disconnects.

My Samsung Galaxy S2 does not have a way of connecting an external aerial.

73

Ed
M3NSY

1531. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-04-30 13:44:49 UTC
From: dale.tongue@gmail.com
Topic: 1492 Message: 1531

One and all,

Thanks for bringing me up to speed on the new 440 only radio. Looks like a lot more people are up to speed on the latest and greatest stuff out there, and you keep up on my toes.

Dale

1532. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Mobile 3G in UK

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-01 02:27:59 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1530 Message: 1532
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

A couple of us have found that quite often, a 2G connection is much more reliable than the 3G or 4G connections. Hypothesis is that the higher speeds are often saturated and UDP packets can get significantly delayed.

I've seen it where UDP packets are queued and delayed for 5+ seconds. Normal operation would say that UDP packets are never queued, just dropped, but the telcos her in the states seem to just queue them.

It's really interesting when this happens, because when you unkey, you can hear yourself talk.

Try forcing your device to 2G speeds and see if it helps.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of m3nsy
Sent: Sunday, April 29, 2012 2:09 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Mobile 3G in UK

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1533. Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-01 23:00:56 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1533 Message: 1533

DVAP has been working fine .
I turned on computer today and get "unable to query dvap dongle device".
Running Win7 64bit.
Tried reinstalling the driver and makes no difference.
It has been working on port 7 and no other ports listed.

Rich W0RWC

1534. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-02 00:24:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1533 Message: 1534

Hi Rich. Two things, 1) is the device slowly pulsing green, and 2) if so, is it the only device in your device list?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@...> wrote:
>
> DVAP has been working fine .
> I turned on computer today and get "unable to query dvap dongle device".
> Running Win7 64bit.
> Tried reinstalling the driver and makes no difference.
> It has been working on port 7 and no other ports listed.
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> Rich W0RWC
>

1535. Re: 440mhz?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-02 00:30:08 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 1492 Message: 1535

Robin, AA4RC, was a guest on last week's DSTAR net on the Southern California PAPA system. During the Q&A he was asked about a 440 DVAP--he said that the signal quality on the 440 device they are testing is just a smidge outside the limits for certification of the device for sale in the US/EU, and that's what's been holding tham back. He also said that they are well aware of the growing interest and demand for a 440 dongle. (my paraphrase).

73

Bob, W6KD

1536. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-02 00:37:10 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1533 Message: 1536

No green pulse. It is the only device on the device list.
When I select OPEN, it says "device open" for about 5 seconds and thens says the "unable to query...." message. During that time the blue light pulses about 15 times. No other lights displayed.

Rich W0RWC
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Rich. Two things, 1) is the device slowly pulsing green, and 2) if so, is it the only device in your device list?
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> 73,
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1537. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-02 11:23:04 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1533 Message: 1537

Also just installed on another PC win 32bit, same results .

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi Rich. Two things, 1) is the device slowly pulsing green, and 2) if so, is it the only device in your device list?
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> 73,
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1538. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-02 12:45:45 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1533 Message: 1538

Hi Rich. Do you have another USB cable that you could try?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@...> wrote:
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> > > Rich W0RWC
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1539. DVAP issue when I request a new link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-06 13:07:06 UTC
From: py2vr
Topic: 1539 Message: 1539

Folks,

I have experienced a issue in the last days. When I make the first link to a reflector or repeater DVAP works normally, perfect. However when I disconnect (unlink)and I request a new link to another repeater / reflector the DVAP stops and it don't make anyone connection. Making self tests with DVAP "My Voice Test feedback" and "DVAP System Test" I get the feedbacks, it's works normally.

To fix that issue I need to close the DVAP Application and reboot it, however the issue repeats when I unlink and request a new link.

Please anyone has experienced the same issue ? Could be a nice idea reinstall the DVAP Tool, it could be a solution ?

Thank you
Ed - PY2VR

1540. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-08 20:32:44 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1533 Message: 1540

Thanks, Robin for the great support. Have the DVAP back in service, working great.

Rich W0RWC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Rich. Do you have another USB cable that you could try?
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> 73,
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> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@> wrote:
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> >
> > Also just installed on another PC win 32bit, same results .
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Rich. Two things, 1) is the device slowly pulsing green, and 2) if so, is it the only device in your device list?
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > DVAP has been working fine .
> > > > I turned on computer today and get "unable to query dvap dongle device".
> > > > Running Win7 64bit.
> > > > Tried reinstalling the driver and makes no difference.
> > > > It has been working on port 7 and no other ports listed.
> > > >
> > > > Rich W0RWC
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1541. Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-20 23:55:53 UTC
From: markg
Topic: 1541 Message: 1541

Hi Guys, I loaded dvaptool 1.02 this morning and turned on the 92ad and linked to reflector 38C. Now, this afternoon I unlinked and then tried to link to 1C and it will not link at all. I can key the radio on unlink and I get the not currently linked and of course when I key on the memory channel that is for transmit it keys and I hear the tone that normally happens when you transmit.

I went through the process of installing the firmware again. I reset the 92AD and loaded the memories again and I even downloaded and installed the DVAPTOOL 1.02 again. And nothing seems to work!!!!!! I am getting very frustrated. And I also reboot the computer and reset the internet connection plus tried a new USB cable and it was to no avail! I don't know what to do. Any help would be much appreciated. Mark KB3Z

1542. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 01:45:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1542

Hi Mark. REF001 went down on Friday and is still down. It should be back up in the next couple of days.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "markg" <pastormg2@...> wrote:
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1543. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 01:58:41 UTC
From: markg
Topic: 1541 Message: 1543

Robin, thanks for responding. The problem is not only 1c but any reflector when I try to use the dvap. This just started late this afternoon. That's why this is rather perplexing. I don't think it's the 92ad because I did a complete reset and reloaded everything from the installer program I have to the 92AD. Any other suggestions would really help. Thanks!!
Mark KB3Z
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1544. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 02:51:00 UTC
From: markg
Topic: 1541 Message: 1544

Robin it is every reflectir. That's what I don't understand.
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1545. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 04:20:40 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1541 Message: 1545

I am having the same issue. I believe the server may be down because I cannot connect to any reflector now...

1546. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 11:59:46 UTC
From: markg
Topic: 1541 Message: 1546

Robin, I was searching thru the messages and I saw that someone had a similar problem as I do. When I try to link on any reflector I do not get the verbal linked message or can't link message. And yet when I key my 92ad on the unlink I do get a verbal "not currently linked". I turned off my fios modem and let it sit for about 10 seconds and then turned it back on. I then rebooted the computer and that didn't seem to work. The PC is making contact with the DVAP because the serial number of the dvap shows up on the DVAP tool 1.02. Should I unplug the Modem from the power supply and try to reset it that way? The only other devices accessing the modem is sirius radio and my PC. Trying to give as much detail as I can. Thanks!! Mark KB3Z

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1547. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 13:56:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1547

Hi Mark. I just used my DVAP and connected to REF030 with no problems.

There is a known issue with DVAPTool though. If you try to connect somewhere and it fails, you have to just stop and restart DVAPTool to be able to connect to another system. You should not have to do anything with your modem or firmware.

This should be fairly rare since DVAPTool receives the list of active reflectors/gateways when you click Open. It should not allow you to connect if the system is not active.

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1548. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 14:08:57 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1541 Message: 1548

Robin, I tried that multiple last night to no avail. I will have to try again when I get home. There is another message from today from someone who cannot access any reflectors either.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4GLTE Phone

-----Original message-----
From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, May 21, 2012 13:56:52 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Hi Mark. I just used my DVAP and connected to REF030 with no problems.

There is a known issue with DVAPTool though. If you try to connect somewhere and it fails, you have to just stop and restart DVAPTool to be able to connect to another system. You should not have to do anything with your modem or firmware.

This should be fairly rare since DVAPTool receives the list of active reflectors/gateways when you click Open. It should not allow you to connect if the system is not active.

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AA4RC

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1549. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 14:09:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1549

Hi John. I looked through the server logs and saw you connect and receive the gateway/reflectors list several times last evening. There were no log entries of you trying to connect to a reflector or gateway though.

To which reflector where you trying to connect?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <n0meq@...> wrote:
>
> I am having the same issue. I believe the server may be down because I cannot connect to any reflector now...
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1550. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 14:13:12 UTC
From: Steve
Topic: 1541 Message: 1550

Im on 30c now with no issues

Sent from Steven's I Phone

On May 20, 2012, at 9:58 PM, "markg" <pastormg2@...> wrote:

>
> Robin, thanks for responding. The problem is not only 1c but any reflector when I try to use the dvap. This just started late this afternoon. That's why this is rather perplexing. I don't think it's the 92ad because I did a complete reset and reloaded everything from the installer program I have to the 92AD. Any other suggestions would really help. Thanks!! Mark KB3Z
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1551. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 14:19:35 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1541 Message: 1551

Robin do you see me trying to connect last evening plus receive a reflector listing in the logs?

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4GLTE Phone

-----Original message-----
From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, May 21, 2012 13:56:52 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Hi Mark. I just used my DVAP and connected to REF030 with no problems.

There is a known issue with DVAPTool though. If you try to connect somewhere and it fails, you have to just stop and restart DVAPTool to be able to connect to another system. You should not have to do anything with your modem or firmware.

This should be fairly rare since DVAPTool receives the list of active reflectors/gateways when you click Open. It should not allow you to connect if the system is not active.

73,
Robin
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1552. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 14:20:59 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1552

Hi Mark. I went back through yesterday's connection logs and did not see any glitches. There were quite a few dongles/dvaps/hotspots connecting all day long.

I saw where you requested the gateway/reflector list but never saw a connection attempt by your callsign. To which reflector were you trying to connect?

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1553. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 14:29:50 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1541 Message: 1553

Robin, I tried some from reflectors 2, 3, 14 and others. I will try tonight. If no better then i will have to copy the log on the board.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4GLTE Phone

-----Original message-----
From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, May 21, 2012 14:20:59 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

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1554. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 16:59:02 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1541 Message: 1554

Howdy, I was trying to connect to reflectors. I have had this problem before approx two weeks ago. I resolved it by reloading the driver and dvap 1.02 software. Now I cannot seem to connect to anything. I am running windows 7 although I may move it over to my IMac and see what happens....Thanks

1555. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 21:13:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1555

Hi John. You should never have to re-install the software nor drivers unless you have a crash.

I can look in the reflector logs after you attempt to connect and see if there was a problem. As I mentioned earlier, I looked through the logs and saw your request to download the gateway/reflector list but never saw a connection attempt on a reflector.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1556. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-21 21:31:49 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1541 Message: 1556
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

This can also be impacted by blockages in your local router. If I am on my corporate network, I'm not allowed to connect, because the network blocks it.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of pastormg2@verizon.net
Sent: Monday, May 21, 2012 10:30 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Robin, I tried some from reflectors 2, 3, 14 and others. I will try tonight. If no better then i will have to copy the log on the board.

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Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Hi Mark. I went back through yesterday's connection logs and did not see any glitches. There were quite a few dongles/dvaps/hotspots connecting all day long.

I saw where you requested the gateway/reflector list but never saw a connection attempt by your callsign. To which reflector were you trying to connect?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "markg" <pastormg2@...> wrote:
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>
> Robin, I was searching thru the messages and I saw that someone had a similar problem as I do. When I try to link on any reflector I do not get the verbal linked message or can't link message. And yet when I key my 92ad on the unlink I do get a verbal "not currently linked". I turned off my fios modem and let it sit for about 10 seconds and then turned it back on. I then rebooted the computer and that didn't seem to work. The PC is making contact with the DVAP because the serial number of the dvap shows up on the DVAP tool 1.02. Should I unplug the Modem from the power supply and try to reset it that way? The only other devices accessing the modem is sirius radio and my PC. Trying to give as much detail as I can. Thanks!! Mark KB3Z

>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi Mark. REF001 went down on Friday and is still down. It should be back up in the next couple of days.
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "markg" <pastormg2@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Guys, I loaded dvaptool 1.02 this morning and turned on the 92ad and linked to reflector 38C. Now, this afternoon I unlinked and then tried to link to 1C and it will not link at all. I can key the radio on unlink and I get the not currently linked and of course when I key on the memory channel that is for transmit it keys and I hear the tone that normally happens when you transmit.
> > >
> > > I went through the process of installing the firmware again. I reset the 92AD and loaded the memories again and I even downloaded and installed the DVAPTOOL 1.02 again. And nothing seems to work!!!!!! I am getting very frustrated. And I also reboot the computer and reset the internet connection plus tried a new USB cable and it was to no avail! I don't know what to do. Any help would be much appreciated. Mark KB3Z
> > >
> >
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1557. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-22 04:37:01 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1541 Message: 1557

I have moved the DVap to the IMac and installed the Dvap software. There was no change with the problem. It will link once in awhile. Go figure, it was working fine until recently.....Any other ideas?

Thanks
John

N0MEQ

1558. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-22 13:20:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1558

Could you try from a different internet connection? We've seen a handful of routers that were buggy and did not pass traffic (like some Netgear units).

Also, try to connect to REF030 module C and post once you have done that. I'll look at the logs there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <n0meq@...> wrote:
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> I have moved the DVap to the IMac and installed the Dvap software. There was no change with the problem. It will link once in awhile. Go figure, it was working fine until recently.....Any other ideas?
>
> Thanks
> John
>
> N0MEQ
>

1559. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-22 13:46:23 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1541 Message: 1559

Robin, I tried last night and all is well. Gremlins I guess!

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4GLTE Phone

-----Original message-----
From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, May 22, 2012 13:20:41 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Could you try from a different internet connection? We've seen a handful of routers that were buggy and did not pass traffic (like some Netgear units).

Also, try to connect to REF030 module C and post once you have done that. I'll look at the logs there.

73,
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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <n0meq@...> wrote:
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>
> Thanks
> John
>
> N0MEQ
>

1560. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-22 20:36:34 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1541 Message: 1560

Ok Robin, I have it connected directly to my Imac and bypassing router. I will TX on ref30c.
It is 1533 CDT in Omaha, Ne. I TX four times attempting to connect to 30c with no results.

Thanks

John

N0MEQ

1561. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-23 14:02:45 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1541 Message: 1561

Hi John. The last connection attempt that REF030 logged from you was on 4/29. I did see a successful connection to REF009 for you yesterday though.

Can you ping ref030.dstargateway.org ?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <n0meq@...> wrote:
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> It is 1533 CDT in Omaha, Ne. I TX four times attempting to connect to 30c with no results.
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> Thanks
>
> John
>
> N0MEQ
>

1562. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-23 15:49:12 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1541 Message: 1562

Robin, I will try to ping when I get home from work. As far as connecting to ref09 I was successful but when I disconnected I was not able to connect with a different reflector....Thanks

John

N0MEQ

1563. DVAP not working on Windows 7 computer

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-23 20:23:43 UTC
From: philrossmi
Topic: 1563 Message: 1563

I was running the DVAP tool on my older XP machine and it worked fine. Now I installed the same software on my newer Windows 7 (32-bit) machine and it is not working. It comes up and detects the dongle and I am able to open it. It will not respond to the transmission from my IC-91A. The signal strength meter shows it is seeing the transmission, but I get no response. Anyone have an idea as to why this is happening?
Thanks.

1564. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-23 20:33:28 UTC
From: chris.spencer1@googlemail.com
Topic: 1541 Message: 1564

John,

Been having the same problem here in the UK. Over the last two days one successful connect to a reflector, then no subsequent reconnects have worked. Currently using hotel wifi with no internet general issues other than connecting to reflectors via the DVAP with IC-92D. Not had problems from home previously with same Ubuntu laptop.

De G8HCB
Chris

John wrote:

Robin, I will try to ping when I get home from work. As far as connecting to ref09 I was successful but when I disconnected I was not able to connect with a different reflector....Thanks

John

N0MEQ

1565. Re: Major Problem with the DVAP/IC-92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-23 23:41:09 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1541 Message: 1565

Hi Robin, Well, I was successful with pinging 65.254.57.90 and here is what I got:

4 packets sent, 4 packets received, lost 0

Round trip time 44ms

I am going through the router since it appears to make no difference by going direct to computer....Any other suggestions? I just don't get it as all was working just great until the last couple of weeks!

Thanks

John

N0MEQ

1566. Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 00:03:42 UTC
From: ve3tyg@rogers.com
Topic: 1566 Message: 1566

It seems I too am now having issues seen in other threads in the last couple of days.

My DVAP is working, the software shows the serial number etc. and using DVAP E responds all echos normally. DVAP I announces as well.

I can connect to remote reflectors and repeaters sporadically. 29/30 tries, the dvap doesn't even respond, but it shows what I'm trying to connect to so I know it's decoding properly, it just won't connect. Then out of nowhere, on a connection attempt, it works and remains connected. I then disconnect, and subsequent reconnect attempts fail with no audible message as stated before.

I'm suspecting some kind of network issue, but perhaps on my end. Has the source been pinpointed at all? I've made no changes on my end except to try the DVAP on another known good MAC.

73, Jason VE3TYG

1567. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 00:33:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1566 Message: 1567

There have been some issues with a few of the reflectors in the last few days (i.e. REF001 is down, REF035 is having routing issues, etc).

For those having issues, please try to connect to REF030 module C. That is working well. If the connection fails, I can look through the logs there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ve3tyg@..." <ve3tyg@...> wrote:
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> 73, Jason VE3TYG
>

1568. Re: DVAP issue when I request a new link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 00:42:29 UTC
From: ve3tyg@rogers.com
Topic: 1539 Message: 1568

I'm having the exact same issue. I suspect a network issue...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "py2vr" <eduardo@...> wrote:
>
> Folks,
>
> I have experienced a issue in the last days. When I make the first link to a reflector or repeater DVAP works normally, perfect. However when I disconnect (unlink)and I request a new link to another repeater / reflector the DVAP stops and it don't make anyone connection. Making self tests with DVAP "My Voice Test feedback" and "DVAP System Test" I get the feedbacks, it's works normally.
>
> To fix that issue I need to close the DVAP Application and reboot it, however the issue repeats when I unlink and request a new link.
>
> Please anyone has experienced the same issue ? Could be a nice idea reinstall the DVAP Tool, it could be a solution ?
>
> Thank you
> Ed - PY2VR
>

1569. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 00:46:30 UTC
From: ve3tyg@rogers.com
Topic: 1566 Message: 1569

Hi Robin, to further clarify, I can connect to a node in one instance, then disconnect, then not be able to connect, nothing audible from the DVAP. Normally if a reflector is offline, I get "Gateway unknown", but in this case nothing is transmitted back from the DVAP. VE3YYZCL is a node I connect to regularly.

I did try to connect to REF030C but was unable to. I made the attempt at around 8:45pm EST.

Jason VE3TYG

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> > 73, Jason VE3TYG
> >
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1570. Amazing...but true!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 01:58:30 UTC
From: Scott Bellefeuillle
Topic: 1570 Message: 1570

Hello Robin!

I've been monitoring the e-mails of late and 'no' I don't have any issues to speak up about, but I'd like to make a point I made last year at Dayton when I was in front of you and a newly interested D-Star operator... I mentioned to the fellow standing there in the hallway, that I have never seen anyone like you to be so responsive and helpful with regard to support for your products.

Robin, I'm seeing that once again here on this reflector ...three days after Dayton when you should be relaxing and recovering from Dayton! Robin, my friend, there is no one better than you with active support and help! I hope the folks out there also see you're indeed 'standing behind your product' which has no equal!

Have a good night!

73 de Scott/KT4ER

Gainesville, VA.

DVAP & Dongle owner

1571. Re: [DVAPDongle] Amazing...but true!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 03:24:54 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 1570 Message: 1571

Well said, Scott.

Robin is in the trenches supporting his fine products every day.

Thanks Robin - from another grateful DVAP & DV Dongle owner,

Dana
K6BRR

On May 23, 2012, at 6:58 PM, Scott Bellefeuillle wrote:

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> Gainesville, VA.
> DVAP & Dongle owner
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1572. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 05:36:56 UTC
From: chris.spencer1@googlemail.com
Topic: 1566 Message: 1572

All,

Just connected to REF005C fine, then unlinked. Then can't connect to REF030C or any other connector.

DVAP terminal says :-
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF030

Then no sound from radio.

So looks like I'm having exactly the same (network?) Issues as others.

de Chris
G8HCB

"ve3tyg@rogers.com" wrote:

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> 73,
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> AA4RC
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> > 73, Jason VE3TYG
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>

1573. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 13:36:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1566 Message: 1573

Hmm, I cannot duplicate that here. Nothing has changed in the infrastructure so I'm still trying to figure out what it could be.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1574. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 13:50:50 UTC
From: ve3tyg@rogers.com
Topic: 1566 Message: 1574

There is definitely something strange happening, it appears as though the station isn't being acknowledged by the DVAP. As you can see in the screenshot, I'm "not connected" but the status window shows traffic from N4VIP. I'm still thinking some kind of network issue.

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Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF030
Squelch closed, device rss (-50) min (-75) max (-48)
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 1
missed keepalive from gateway, count = 2
Squelch open, device rss (-76)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur REF030CL my VE3TYG /92BD fc e3ba OK
Starting Link request (REF030CL)
rss (-66)
rss (-60)
rss (-56)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
Squelch closed, device rss (-49) min (-76) max (-51)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF030
Squelch open, device rss (-72)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur REF030CL my VE3TYG /92BD fc e3ba OK
Checking callsign (VE3TYG ) against station call (VE3TYG?|)
Starting Link request (REF030CL)
rss (-63)
rss (-58)
rss (-54)
rss (-52)
rss (-50)
rss (-49)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF030
Squelch closed, device rss (-70) min (-72) max (-49)
new stream my (N4VIP /ID31) ur (WNM5WRBK) r1 (REF030 C) r2 (W5MPZ G) on gatew
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Transmit state (ON)
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> AA4RC
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1575. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-24 15:16:07 UTC
From: Darren
Topic: 1566 Message: 1575

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hmm, I cannot duplicate that here. Nothing has changed in the infrastructure so I'm still trying to figure out what it could be.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

Been like it all the week , no joy with 5a,10c 30c very intermittant if at all tried both radios the ID880 and the ICE92d .

Very odd

STu G4WCP
I dont supppose we have been de-registered ?

1576. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-25 04:08:12 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1566 Message: 1576

Problems here too. I was unable to connect to any reflector tonight and came here to see if there was a problem. I can connect to the DVAP with the I command, echo with the E command. But when I try to connect to any reflector nothing seems to happen at the radio end. I tried to connect to REF030C at midnight EST and this happened so maybe you can see something in the log. I do see that the DVAP Tool 1.02 (Macintosh) screen has the force disconnect button lit as if it thinks it has connected somewheres but it has not. If I try to unlink at the radio I get the you-are-already-unlinked message. Manually hitting the "force disconnect" button at the computer end does not work, the button stays lit. All I can do is to close the DVAP Device button. Then I open it again and get the usual dialog box about running the latest software. The Force disconnect button is then greyed out. If I go to the radio and try to connect to a reflector I get no response at the radio and I come back to the computer and see, again, that the Force Disconnect button is now lit but cannot be pressed. I am sorry but my computer is on a different floor of my home than the radio so I can't tell you what the lights do. Anyway, I hope this helps and I suspect it is a problem there at your end. Thanks.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> AA4RC
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1577. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-25 04:47:27 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1566 Message: 1577

ROBIN I THINK I SEE THE PROBLEM.
Ok decided to play around a bit. I first pinged REF030C and saw that it was up and OK. I closed down the DVAP TOOL 1.02 and started it up again. Went to the radio and was indeed able to link to REF030C. I unlinked fine. Checked at the radio and saw that the force disconnect button was greyed out. Then I tried to connect to REF001A and got the no response. I tried to unlink and got the already unlinked response. But checking at the radio showed the force disconnect button was lit. Pressing the button would not disconnect but it stayed lit. I then stopped and restarted DVAP Tool. Went to the radio and was able to immediately link to REF030C. I unlinked. I linked again. Did it a few more times. Unlinked and went to REF001 and had the same problem and was unable to link to any reflectors after that. Going to radio showed the force disconnect button was lit so the DVAP thought it was connected at some level in its programming and yet was not able to disconnect. I then pinged REF001 (I assume that the address based on REF 30's that you gave would be ref001.dstargateway.org) and I got

Ping has started

```
PING ref001.dstargateway.org (66.151.17.198): 56 data bytes
92 bytes from 216.152.48.62: Destination Host Unreachable
Vr HL TOS Len ID Flg off TTL Pro cks Src Dst
4 5 00 5400 a38b 0 0000 30 01 87bd 10.0.1.4 66.151.17.198

Request timeout for icmp_seq 0
Request timeout for icmp_seq 1
Request timeout for icmp_seq 2
Request timeout for icmp_seq 3
92 bytes from 216.152.48.62: Destination Host Unreachable
Vr HL TOS Len ID Flg off TTL Pro cks Src Dst
4 5 00 5400 b326 0 0000 30 01 7822 10.0.1.4 66.151.17.198

and so on....
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So REF001 was apparently down. I restarted and started DVAP TOOL and then linked to REF030, unlinked, linked and unlinked again. I then PINGed REF020 using the same address scheme. It did connect and returned the packets in normally quick time. So I then linked to REF20 and it worked. I unlinked. I linked REF030. I unlinked. I linked to REF020. I unlinked. I linked to REF001 (the down one) and got the whole problem again.

It seems to me that what is happening here is for some reason your software is not successfully removing reflectors from your list as being down. So they get loaded into the user's list. Then when you try to connect to a down reflector what happens is that the DVAP somehow thinks it is connected (although it does voice message it is not if you try to unlink) in the area of the software having to do with force disconnect. So when you connect to a down reflector there is no way for the DVAP to know it is disconnected or to foce itself to disconnect. Then when you try to connect to any other ref even ones that are up you get no response as the DVAP thinks it is connected at some level in the software

different from the level which would trigger the voice response.

In one message you mentioned that your software screen down refs from the user list. I suspect that is exactly the area where your problem lies.

It looks like the way around this is when it happens to ping a known ref such as REF030 and if it is there then quit DVAP TOOOL completely. Restart it. Then link to REF030C. Then, from there, link to any REF that is up (in my case 020 was up). Everything proceeds normally until you again hit a down repeater.

I hope this was of some help to you in finding a solution for us. Best 73. -- Neil

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ve3tyg@..." <ve3tyg@...> wrote:
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1578. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-25 13:07:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1566 Message: 1578

Hi Neil. There is a known issue with DVAPTool that has been discussed here in the last week. If you try to connect to a system that is down, it does not recover properly. I'm working on a fix.

If you fail to connect to a system, stop DVAPTool and restart.

73,
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AA4RC

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1579. Re: Sporadic connection issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-25 15:55:05 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1566 Message: 1579

Wow, I missed that whole discussion and thought I had the sporadic problems others reported. Could have saved myself an hour's troubleshooting! LOL. Hey, thanks for the support!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Neil. There is a known issue with DVAPTool that has been discussed here in the last week. If you try to connect to a system that is down, it does not recover properly. I'm working on a fix.
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1580. Windv locks up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-25 19:57:59 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1580 Message: 1580

I am running Windows 7 64bit.
Windv eventually locks up on this PC.
It works fine on my 32bit laptop

Any ideas?

Rich W0RWC

1581. Re: DVAP not working on Windows 7 computer

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-26 11:43:59 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1563 Message: 1581

I am running it with no problems on my Windows 7 64-bit machine with no problems.
I know that's no help, just some info.
Hopefully someone will chime in with a solution.

Rich W0RWC
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "philrossmi" <philross1@...> wrote:
>
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> Thanks.
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1582. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP not working on Windows 7 computer

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-26 14:30:19 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 1563 Message: 1582

I'm not having a problem either.....

Bob
KE4JLL

From: richardc <rwcan42@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, May 26, 2012 7:43 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP not working on Windows 7 computer

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1583. Reflector 001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-26 21:31:59 UTC
From: Mark Halabuda
Topic: 1583 Message: 1583

Now that Reflector 001C is down where are the guys that frequent Ref001C?
Mark W2UIS

1584. Re: Reflector 001C

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-26 22:11:35 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1583 Message: 1584

It should be back up this weekend.

Robin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mark Halabuda <mhalabuda@...> wrote:
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1585. Frequency Selection suggestions for DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-29 04:40:55 UTC
From: ka1mzy
Topic: 1585 Message: 1585

I've read a few posts after a search but they are older about band plans etc posted back in 2010, but nothing specific on DVAP use.

Is there somewhere that specifies a bandplan for DVAP use?

I have an IRLP node at 147.515 simplex and an APRS Igate running on 144.390 of course. Both are roof mounted vertical high gain antennas with around 25watt each and I am wondering about interference between the three.

Can someone advise/suggest a frequency I might want use on the DVAP that may work best, considering my current frequency use?

No rush, as the DVAP wont be here until beginning of next month. Gigaparts was out of stock.

Thanks for any suggestions.

JP

1586. Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency Selection suggestions for DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-29 12:51:41 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1585 Message: 1586

145.67 is the D-STAR. 2m simplex freq. try that

Fran, W1FJM

On Tuesday, May 29, 2012, ka1mzy wrote:

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1587. Re: Frequency Selection suggestions for DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-30 04:13:24 UTC
From: ka1mzy
Topic: 1585 Message: 1587

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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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1588. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Frequency Selection suggestions for DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-30 13:11:20 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1585 Message: 1588
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

In most places, 145.670 will probably be perfectly fine to use as there is very little D-Star simplex, but any unused frequency in your area would also be fine for your hotspot or DVAP, just as someone who wanted to run a simplex Echolink node might choose. I use a splinter frequency between two FM simplex channels for my hotspot.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka1mzy
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2012 12:13 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Frequency Selection suggestions for DVAP?

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1589. RE: [Western_D-Star_Reflector_14] Available Gateways

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-31 18:35:16 UTC
From: Kent Johnson
Topic: 1589 Message: 1589

Dear users of REF014:

I changed the IP for REF014 this morning to acquire a larger subnet (more usable fixed IPs for other VoIP applications). Users who were on REF014 when I made the change will need to disconnect/reconnect to acquire the new IP and thus a new connection The REF014 dashboard will indicate your connection.

Spread the word,

Kent W7AOR

On May 10, 2011, at 8:40 AM, W7AOR wrote:

Gateway owners should make it known to the Western_D-Star_Reflector_14@yahoogroups.com if their facilities are available for participation in Pacific Division Emcomm Net. Please identify location of the Gateway with respect to Gateway modules frequencies, city and ARRL Pacific Division Section, custodian abd contact info.

For example: the N7ARR Gateway (A,B or C modules) located in Las Vegas may be used. Kent W7AOR is Cust; contact info W7AOR@... <mailto:W7AOR%40narri.org> ; web www.narri.org.

1590. Re: Frequency Selection suggestions for DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-05-31 22:45:25 UTC
From: kf6qcq
Topic: 1585 Message: 1590

145.670 is the frequency that the Los Angeles area has a DX spider packet cluster. Its been there for at least 15 years. So I'm thinking that in Southern California a different Frequency might be better.

John
N7JL

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tim Hardy AF1G" <hardyt@...> wrote:
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1591. DVAP SERIAL PORT ISSUES ON MAC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-01 01:32:17 UTC
From: nq2u
Topic: 1591 Message: 1591

New to DVAP. Installed it on my PC with no problem. On my Mac OS 10.5.8 machine the DVAP Device box is grayed out. I downloaded the correct driver from the FTD Serial site. The Device
box was not grayed out for the first time after I downloaded the Mac Driver from DVAP. Then when I entered my call sign it "Grayed Out"
Please help.
Tnx

1592. Re: DVAP SERIAL PORT ISSUES ON MAC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-01 02:19:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1591 Message: 1592

Hi (I didn't get your name).

Try this:

1) unplug the DVAP
2) reboot the Mac
3) plug in the DVAP and make sure it is pulsing green
4) start DVAPTool

Note that the DVAP needs to be plugged in before starting DVAPTool.

Let us know your progress.

73,
Robin
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1593. linux: desktop link (shortcut) to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-03 23:16:33 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 1593 Message: 1593

Hi All,

This should be easy and I built something like this a long time ago. Has anyone using the DVAP on a Ubuntu machine built a desktop link which will open the DVAP via sudo shell ? tnx W2SWR

1594. Re: linux: desktop link (shortcut) to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-04 00:30:10 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1593 Message: 1594

You might also run:

sudo usermod -G dialout $USER

to add yourself to the group that can access the DVAP without using sudo.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike.w2swr@...> wrote:
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1595. Re: linux: desktop link (shortcut) to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-04 11:39:03 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 1593 Message: 1595

That works too. Im a little rusty with linux. Thanks again Robin I hadn't thought of that.

Mike, W2SWR

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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1596. Re: linux: desktop link (shortcut) to DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-04 15:54:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1593 Message: 1596

CORRECTION!

The usermod command sets the groups rather than adds them. The correct command is:

usermod -G root,adm,dialout,cdrom,plugdev,lpadmin,sambashare,sudo $USER

If you already ran the usermod command below, you probably need to take a look at:

http://maketecheasier.com/fixing-sudo-error-in-ubuntu/2012/01/03

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Robin
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1597. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-04 21:00:33 UTC
From: yhfub88
Topic: 1533 Message: 1597

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@...> wrote:
>
> Thanks, Robin for the great support. Have the DVAP back in service, working great.
>
> Rich W0RWC

How did you solve the problem ?

I just bought a red dongle at Dayton.
It was working a few days ago.
today I am getting the same error.
It is not reading the S/N from the red dongle.

The green led is pulsing slowly and
the blue led light up when the computer try to read the red dongle.

I have tried two different USB cable.

Any help ?

I need it to do a demo in VR2 and am leaving here tomorrow morning.

Ying
VA3YH

1598. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-05 08:38:21 UTC
From: Graham Saville
Topic: 1533 Message: 1598

Hi after much changing of os (I use Lubuntu Linux) I found the solution seems to be simple.

Unplug DVAP
Power off PC (Complete shutdown)
Plug DVAP in
Then Power up PC.

73 From Graham G1RNZ

On 4 June 2012 22:00, yhfub88 <qrp.ham@...> wrote:

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1599. WTB: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-07 15:34:07 UTC
From: n9aa
Topic: 1599 Message: 1599

Does anyone have an unwanted DVAP they'd like to sell at a fair price? If so, contact me via email: mycallsign at arrl dot net

Thanks,
Scott, N9AA

1600. crossband

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-07 17:03:11 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1600 Message: 1600

Has anyone been successful with crossbanding the DVAP with a non dstar radio, like the d700 or d710?

Rich W0RWC

1601. Re: crossband

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-09 05:45:28 UTC
From: mark_zl2ufi
Topic: 1600 Message: 1601

Yes... I have done it with an Alinco DR-635T.

The Alinco simply passes the digital voice wihtout any decode or encoding, so the audio is straight through. Works a treat.

Mark ZL2UFI

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1602. Possible to recompile DVAPTool for ARM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-10 17:00:16 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1602 Message: 1602

Hi Robin:
Nigel's/Craig's posts below about a DVAP appliance running on a small Linux board got me to thinking about how to do this.

Is it be possible to recompile DVAPTool for a non-Intel processor, like ARM? Or is just a non-starter? I'd be interested in either a DIY version or a finished product.

Cheers,
Bob

1603. Re: Possible to recompile DVAPTool for ARM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-11 04:17:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1602 Message: 1603

Hi Bob. I already have an Arm based DVAP and DV Dongle server running. You can connect to it from a PC on the LAN. I'll probably do a command line version of DVAPTool for Arm as well.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd4ebm" <nobody.really@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Robin:
> Nigel's/Craig's posts below about a DVAP appliance running on a small Linux board got me to thinking about how to do this.
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> Cheers,
> Bob
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1604. Re: Possible to recompile DVAPTool for ARM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-11 13:19:58 UTC
From: Ron W8DR
Topic: 1602 Message: 1604

Hi Robin, Being as busy as you are, wondering if you have had the opportunity to do anything with the xoom. You had mentioned at Dayton that you would be working on the xoom code for dvap. I have just recently received a new update, ICS. Is this gong to help solve some problems that you had with the older OS? Thanks

73,
Ron
W8DR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Bob. I already have an Arm based DVAP and DV Dongle server running. You can connect to it from a PC on the LAN. I'll probably do a command line version of DVAPTool for Arm as well.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > Cheers,
> > Bob
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1605. Re: Possible to recompile DVAPTool for ARM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-12 22:42:03 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1602 Message: 1605

Awesome! I'm looking forward to hearing more as you progress.

73,
Bob

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> Hi Bob. I already have an Arm based DVAP and DV Dongle server running. You can connect to it from a PC on the LAN. I'll probably do a command line version of DVAPTool for Arm as well.
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1606. Getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-13 23:04:25 UTC
From: wolobmp
Topic: 1606 Message: 1606

Hello all. I have purchased a used DVAP, installed the drivers and downloaded and installed the .exe sftwr.
Like to know once I enter my callsign (it is registered within the system)
what information needs to be plugged into the ht in order to work with the DVAP?
I have a blue led that is lit, so looks like everything is running.

I've used DSTAR for a few yrs now, but was through a local machine, but it was taken off the air and now there is void in the area.

Please advise steps on what I need to do to get all in working order.

Also, has anyone used a different antenna then the stock one that comes with the DVAP? I am in need of a new antenna, as the one I purchased used, needs some "help".

Will wait to read the replies.
Thank you
Mike

1607. Re: Getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-14 02:11:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1606 Message: 1607

Hi Mike. I received your personal email with the same issues. I'll respond shortly.

Go to http://www.dvapdongle.com for instructions on using your DVAP. There is a picture of a sample memory setup for your radio there.

Let me know if you have any other issues.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "wolobmp" <wolobmp@...> wrote:
>
> Hello all. I have purchased a used DVAP, installed the drivers and downloaded and installed the .exe sftwr.
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> what information needs to be plugged into the ht in order to work with the DVAP?
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> Thank you
> Mike
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1608. Computer Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-14 12:44:45 UTC
From: rabbicy
Topic: 1608 Message: 1608

I am befuddled....When I start my computer from an "Off" state, the software will not recognize the port and the program hangs. I turn off the computer, go back to an "Off" state, restart it and then when I open the software, everything works fine. Huh? Any ideas anyone?

Cy VE3IFS

1609. Re: Computer Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-14 14:12:53 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1608 Message: 1609

Hi Cy. We've seen that, on some systems, the device is not registered by the drivers upon power up. Just unplug and replug the device after boot.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "rabbicy" <rabbicy@...> wrote:
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1610. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Computer Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-14 14:33:48 UTC
From: Lizza .
Topic: 1608 Message: 1610

Robin
is there any way I can ignore or block a call sign in the dvap or the ic92, i want either or both to completely ignore a particular station I don't like.

Lizza

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: aa4rc@interlabs.com
Date: Thu, 14 Jun 2012 14:12:53 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Computer Issue

Hi Cy. We've seen that, on some systems, the device is not registered by the drivers upon power up. Just unplug and replug the device after boot.

73,

Robin

AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "rabbicy" <rabbicy@...> wrote:

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> Cy VE3IFS

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1611. Re: Computer Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-14 15:29:10 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1608 Message: 1611

Not that I know of.

Robin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Lizza ." <g1dra@...> wrote:
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> Robin
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1612. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-14 15:54:01 UTC
From: Gary Bechtold
Topic: 1606 Message: 1612

Go to http://www.dstarinfo.com/home.aspx
That has a download program that will load the necessary commands that your radio will have to send to the DVAP to get to a Reflector or Repeater
73
Gary, KI4VLH
On Wed, Jun 13, 2012 at 4:04 PM, wolobmp <wolobmp@...> wrote:

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1613. Westell DSL Modem/Router Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-15 03:25:59 UTC
From: k7pa
Topic: 1613 Message: 1613

I had an internet/network issue which is described below: The fix I employed was to make the Westell Modem/Router Model 7500 version 5.01.01.04 into a Bridge and use my old Linksys WRT54GS wireless router for my local network.

Once I made the change, I've not had any issues with DVAP or any other internet/network programs.

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Have a real strange issue. I was operating from Sun Lakes Arizona with no issues. I returned to my summer home in Everett Washington and now having all kinds of strange issues.

The DVAP tool does not indicate that I'm connected but I can hear all transmissions from REF001C.

I sure this is a network issue, but I'm not sure how to troubleshoot to verify where the problem is occurring so that I can contact my ISP if needed to resolve the issue.

Also, I cannot ping the following reflectors. 2, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 21, 35, 36, 38, 40, 44, 47, 52.

When in AZ, I was able to connect to 12, 35, & 38. The others I don't remember connecting to.

I'm using the same PC and radio (IC-92AD)

Any suggestions to determine if this is a network issue or whatever, would be greatly appreciated.

1614. RE: [DVAPDongle] Westell DSL Modem/Router Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-15 14:55:34 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1613 Message: 1614

I had a similar issue when traveling across the country in my RV and trying to use Wi-FI at RV parks. 90% of the parks wifi would not allow me to use the DVAP. I used my cellular data connection with no problems. Someone blocking ports?

Rusty k1ggs

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of k7pa
Sent: Thursday, June 14, 2012 20:26
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Westell DSL Modem/Router Issue

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1615. Command line for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-19 22:44:49 UTC
From: Francis
Topic: 1615 Message: 1615

is there a way to start the dvap from the command line and have it automatically link to a reflector or gateway? I already have do the -open.

Fran, W1FJM

1616. Re: Command line for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-20 01:02:46 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1615 Message: 1616

Hi Fran. You can do that with the DV Dongle but not the DVAP (currently).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Francis" <fran@...> wrote:
>
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> Fran, W1FJM
>

1617. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Command line for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-20 02:01:46 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1615 Message: 1617

Thanks Robin,
yes, I do it with the dongle. It would be a nice feature for the DVAP. :)

--Fran

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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disclose the contents to anyone or make copies thereof.

On Tue, Jun 19, 2012 at 9:02 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> Hi Fran. You can do that with the DV Dongle but not the DVAP (currently).
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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1618. question on reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-24 05:22:19 UTC
From: wolobmp
Topic: 1618 Message: 1618

Hello all....

Quick question....what is the proper prompt entery to be able to xmit on the reflector? I understand that CQCQCQ does not "go thru" reflectors, but is used for local communications. USEREF is this a valid entry within R2 field? I use UR--CQCQCQ R1--callsign and R2--REF001 C

Thank you
73
Mike

1619. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-23 22:40:20 UTC
From: waynescott4725
Topic: 171 Message: 1619

I have tried and tried and cannot get my DVAP to work or be recognized by my Vista Computer....no green lights no nothing.
Dr. Wayne Scott
N4RAP

1620. Re: question on reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-24 13:00:24 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1618 Message: 1620

Hi Mike. You use "CQCQCQ " in URCALL for talking locally and talking to linked gateways/reflectors. R1 and R2 should have the local repeater with R1 using the RF module in the 8th position and R2 always having "G" in the 8th position.

I assume you are talking directly to a repeater since the DVAP does not support 70cm.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "wolobmp" <wolobmp@...> wrote:
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> Thank you
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> Mike
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1621. Re: [DVAPDongle] question on reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-24 18:27:13 UTC
From: Brian Smith
Topic: 1618 Message: 1621

On Sun, 24 Jun 2012, wolobmp wrote:

> Quick question....what is the proper prompt entery to be able to xmit on
> the reflector? I understand that CQCQCQ does not "go thru" reflectors,
> but is used for local communications.

Whether CQCQCQ is in the UR field or not has nothing to do with whether your transmission goes to a linked reflector or stays with the local repeater. That's what the R1 and R2 fields control. Other things in the UR field access local commands or specify a target for call sign routing.

With DVAP, both R1 and R2 should be blank (just as if you were doing simplex D-Star) and UR should be CQCQCQ to send things to a linked reflector. The DVAP software implements local commands similar to those used with repeaters (ID, echo test, link/unlink).

--

Brian Smith WB4ES / avalon73 at caerleon dot us / WWW nexus.caerleon.us
"Always do what you want, and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind." -- Dr. Seuss

1622. No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-24 19:42:57 UTC
From: mhalabuda
Topic: 1622 Message: 1622

Today my DVAP stopped working.

The message I receive is:
No Gateways Found.
Please close DVAP Tool and check internet connection before restarting.

I am connect to the internet.

Any answers?

Mark

1623. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-24 22:03:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 171 Message: 1623

Hi Wayne. It sounds like the device drivers for the ftdi USB chip did not install. Go to http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm and select "setup executable" on the Windows line to download the drivers. Then run the installer.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "waynescott4725" <waynescott4725@...> wrote:
>
> I have tried and tried and cannot get my DVAP to work or be recognized by my Vista Computer....no green lights no nothing.
> Dr. Wayne Scott
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>

1624. Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-24 22:26:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1622 Message: 1624

The "No Gateways Found" message indicates that DVAPTool could not connect to the gateway name server. I looked through the logs and did not see any problems.

Without your callsign, I cannot look for log entries from your trials.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mhalabuda" <mhalabuda@...> wrote:
>
> Today my DVAP stopped working.
>
> The message I receive is:
> No Gateways Found.
> Please close DVAP Tool and check internet connection before restarting.
>
> I am connect to the internet.
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> Any answers?
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> Mark
>

1625. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-25 07:59:49 UTC
From: Mark Halabuda
Topic: 1622 Message: 1625

Hi Robin,

My call is W2UIS.

Everything was working fine Sunday morning then my system went down.

I called Frontier technical support who tried to work out the problem without success.

I connected the computer to the internet using using the iPhone and the DVAP worked flawlessly.

I will call Frontier this morning and request a replacement modem.

Mark
On Jun 24, 2012, at 6:26 PM, aa4rc wrote:

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1626. Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-25 13:31:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1622 Message: 1626

Hi Mark. We've seen some of the ISP supplied modems have issues dropping the UDP packets used by D-STAR. One fix we've seen is to place the modem in bridging mode and have a connected router authenticate to the ISP. That is worth a try if your ISP requires authentication.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mark Halabuda <mhalabuda@...> wrote:
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1627. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-25 13:58:34 UTC
From: Mark Halabuda
Topic: 1622 Message: 1627

Hi Robin,

After spending time with Frontier tech support the problem appears to be at their end.

They will be dispatching a technician within the next 48 hours.

I'll try to figure out how to do your solution while I wait.

Mark

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1628. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-25 15:15:20 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1622 Message: 1628

Mark

I've been having a similar problem. Everything works fine for several hours, and then I start missing keep alives. Eventually I get disconnected from the reflector I'm on. This can happen several times an hour or only once a day. I've checked with Time Warner Cable and they see no issues (I also see my computer screen freeze up once in a while). I have both a direct cable to the router and another computer using wi-fi. Same issues on both. If I take those computers and go wireless to Verizon Wireless, there are no issues.

Still hunting for the solution!

Rusty k1GGS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Mark Halabuda
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2012 06:59
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found

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1629. Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-25 22:44:20 UTC
From: wlewis9593
Topic: 1622 Message: 1629

I'm having the same problem as well. The problem seemed to start sometime overnight and continued to be a problem all day. I've made no changes on my end since i got the DVAP a few weeks ago. I'm also using Time Warner.

Bill ... W8WCL

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Rusty Hemenway" <nnn0fjk@...> wrote:
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1630. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-26 14:37:40 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1622 Message: 1630

I called Time Warner yesterday morning. Then checked and said they could see no issues, but then shifted me to a different circuit. No problems since.

Rusty

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of wlewis9593
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2012 15:44
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: No Gateway Found

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1631. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-27 13:04:43 UTC
From: JamesQ
Topic: 171 Message: 1631

I would like to run my DVAP mobile. Is there any way to get the radio to reconnect to the DVAP when you lose the signal for a while? When you are driving along sometimes the signal will fade out.

Jim N4ULE
n4ule@...

1632. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-27 15:45:16 UTC
From: Mark Halabuda
Topic: 171 Message: 1632

Jim

A laptop and wireless hotspot.

Mark W2UIS

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1633. DVAP Internet Connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-29 14:55:18 UTC
From: mhalabuda
Topic: 1633 Message: 1633

Why does my dvap connect to the internet every where else (McDonalds) except my home connection?

The dvap works with my wireless hotspot so I know it's not a problem with my computer.

1634. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Internet Connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-06-30 00:17:24 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1633 Message: 1634
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

It sounds as if your home router or ISP doesn't support the proper protocols. I'd suggest switching routers first.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mhalabuda
Sent: Friday, June 29, 2012 10:55 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Internet Connection

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1635. DVAP Software Feature Request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-11 18:09:31 UTC
From: Eric
Topic: 1635 Message: 1635

Hi Robin,

I have a small suggestion for add a new option to future DVAPTOOL...

Can you add a offset shift + or - with DUP mode and rpt1 & rpt2 option for make a low power link to D-Star repeater when we not have Internet connection to repeater site ?

Your DVAP is a good size and power for make a link !

And also awaiting your UHF version of DVAP !

Best 73'z

Eric VE2NBZ

1636. Am I up to date?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 15:27:00 UTC
From: Jarrod
Topic: 1636 Message: 1636

I havent checked to see if I have been missing anything. So here is what I have:
DVAPTool 1.02
DVAP application firmware 1.05

Is this the latest???

I've had the DVAP for a few years now and love it. I take it camping with me and it has been up and down the east coast. It works flawlessly using XP on my cheap ACER laptop with internet provided by my droid smart phone.Great little toy!! Thanks-Jarrod K1LVA

1637. Re: Am I up to date?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 15:56:34 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1636 Message: 1637

Hi Jarrod. You have the latest firmware and released software. Watch the group for an announcement of new software which will be released very soon. Some folks may have already found it... :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jarrod" <k1lva@...> wrote:
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1638. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Am I up to date?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 16:01:19 UTC
From: Rusty Hemenway
Topic: 1636 Message: 1638

Sounds like you have created a contest to see who can find it first. Keep up the good work

Rusty K1GGS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2012 08:57
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Am I up to date?

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1639. Re: Am I up to date?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 17:46:26 UTC
From: k1lva@yahoo.com
Topic: 1639 Message: 1639
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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1640. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Am I up to date?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 17:58:24 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1636 Message: 1640

Robin, I installed the new version 1.03 but when it starts it tells me
there is a new version. Is there one newer than 1.03?

--Fran, W1FJM

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1641. Whats new with ver 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 18:03:09 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1641 Message: 1641

Robin, is there any documentation showing whats new in ver 1.03?

--Fran, W1FJM

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1642. Keepalive

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 18:20:42 UTC
From: JamesQ
Topic: 1642 Message: 1642

Is there anyway to get the keepalive with a longer time delay? When you are in the car going through a laptop sometimes you lose your signal for a short time and you lose the connect. Not much trouble to just link back to the DVAP. Forgot to say I am using a DVAP with a laptop in the car. Thanks for any help.

73's
Jim Quick N4ULE
n4ule@...

1643. command line -open not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 23:09:49 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1643 Message: 1643

It appears the" -open" command line parameter isn't working with the new ver 1.03. Has anyone else tried it?

--Fran, W1FJM

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1644. Re: Whats new with ver 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-17 23:32:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1641 Message: 1644

Everyone, please be patient. I have not officially announced the new version. If you wish to try it, please feel free but do not burden the group with questions until it is announced.

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> >> Hi Jarrod. You have the latest firmware and released software. Watch the
> >> group for an announcement of new software which will be released very soon.
> >> Some folks may have already found it... :)
> >>
> >> 73,
> >> Robin
> >> AA4RC
> >>
> >> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jarrod" <k1lva@> wrote:
> >> >
> >> > I havent checked to see if I have been missing anything. So here is
> >> what I have:
> >> > DVAPTool 1.02
> >> > DVAP application firmware 1.05
> >> >
> >> > Is this the latest???
> >> >
> >> > I've had the DVAP for a few years now and love it. I take it camping
> >> with me and it has been up and down the east coast. It works flawlessly
> >> using XP on my cheap ACER laptop with internet provided by my droid smart
> >> phone.Great little toy!! Thanks-Jarrod K1LVA
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1645. Dvap not connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 10:03:00 UTC
From: brian
Topic: 1645 Message: 1645

I got a new DVAP I cannot connect to any ref. the software is seeing the radio when I tx but won't link to any ref I am using windows 7 and the radio is setup ok

1646. DVAPTool version 1.03 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 16:21:40 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1646 Message: 1646

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The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

Some folks have already started using 1.03 after seeing the Tweet. Thanks for picking up the software and testing before the general release.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1647. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap not connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 16:30:58 UTC
From: Jim Long
Topic: 1645 Message: 1647

have you registered in DSTAR?

On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 5:03 AM, brian <brian@...> wrote:

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Jim Long
931.261.7367

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willing to work and give to those who would not.
Thomas Jefferson

1648. Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 17:28:50 UTC
From: azstefano186
Topic: 1646 Message: 1648

Hi Robin:

I installed the V1.03 and it doesn't recognize the dongle. I have the FTDIUSBSerialDriver_v2_2_14 installed.

Two things come to mind: I have the app in my /home/Applications directory instead of the root Applications directory. The previous V1.02 worked fine this way, but it had a package installer and this one is the entire bundled app. The other possibility is that the FTDI driver needs to be updated - I found V2.2.17 on their site. Should I update it? On my Mac OS 10.6.8/C2D system, should I use the 32 or 64-bit version of their driver?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.
>

1649. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.03 released Thank you!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 17:38:15 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 1646 Message: 1649

Good afternoon Robin:

Thank you for all the new release of the DVAPTool. I will also put the information that you sent in your email in our local newsletter for the Cedar Valley Amateur Radion Club, CVARC, the Bandspread. The N0CXX repeater users will see it as well.

Thanks again, A happy DVAP and D-STAR user.
73

Mike KD0LMB

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-----Original Message-----
From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Sat, Jul 21, 2012 11:25 am
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.03 released

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1650. DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 19:23:41 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1650 Message: 1650

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Restored parameters:
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Frequency=145685000
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O/S: Windows 7
DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
Callsign set to W1FJM A
Frequency set to 145685000
new frequency (145685000)
bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=3 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
(AP000043
) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
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) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
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fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
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Timeout getting device boot firmware version
Timeout getting device boot firmware version
Timeout getting device boot firmware version
Cannot get device boot firmware version
Timeout getting device application firmware version
Timeout getting device application firmware version
Timeout getting device application firmware version
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Timeout getting device frequency range
Timeout getting device frequency range
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--Fran, W1FJM

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On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 12:21 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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1651. Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 19:35:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1650 Message: 1651

Hi Fran. Do you have a firewall running on either system? When you try to connect to the network DVAP, do you see any lights flash on the DVAP?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:
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> Cannot get device serial number
> Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> Cannot get device boot firmware version
> Timeout getting device application firmware version
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1652. Re: Dvap not connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 19:36:46 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1645 Message: 1652

Hi. You don't have to be registered to link and listen. It is only required to transmit.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Jim Long <jim.jlong@...> wrote:
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> have you registered in DSTAR?
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> On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 5:03 AM, brian <brian@...> wrote:
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1653. Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 20:04:17 UTC
From: azstefano186
Topic: 1646 Message: 1653

OK - I did nothing but wait several minutes, then launched V1.03 again, and now it sees the dongle. The device was plugged in the whole time - the only factor that changed is that I waited a few minutes. Very strange. Anyway, it's working.

Thanks for this update - the DVAP is a fine piece of hardware. Appreciate having it supported for the Mac.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1654. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 20:47:39 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1650 Message: 1654

Thanks for the hints Robin. It was the firewall on the XP machine.

I assume the Command windon on the XP machine running dvservices need to remain open and I am supposed to be seeing "net send 7 (0)" scrolling when there is no activity. Is that correct?

--Fran

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> > > for picking up the software and testing before the general release.
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
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1655. 1.03 not working with Ubuntu 10.10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 21:13:17 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1655 Message: 1655

Hi Robin:

No luck getting 1.03 working with Ubuntu 10.10. It mostly fails to detect the dongle. Symptoms are:

- DVAP green LED pulsing
- After numerous restarts/fiddling about I got 1.03 to detect the DVAP once or twice. Can't get a pattern to when it detects (e.g. after waiting a bit, as noted by Stefano, after running 1.02 first, etc.) If it does detect the DVAP it works fine.
- 1.02 (installed in a different directory) continues to work fine.

73,
BOb

1656. DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 21:26:44 UTC
From: Greg
Topic: 1656 Message: 1656

i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.

1657. Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:17:14 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1656 Message: 1657

Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.

Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions were not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
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1658. .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:24:09 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 1656 Message: 1658

Hi Robin,

After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS

I sort of assume they would be displayed in the install procerss, but they are not. Nothing about instructions on the download page, nothing in the FAQ

Where might they be found?

Do I need to uninstall the old version? Since I* don't get the "nbew hardware found" message the installation isntructions are pretty much useless.

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:17 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

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Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12

1659. Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:24:53 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1650 Message: 1659

Hi Fran. You should not see the "net send" messages constantly happening. What happens when you unplug and replug the DVAP?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:
>
> Thanks for the hints Robin. It was the firewall on the XP machine.
>
> I assume the Command windon on the XP machine running dvservices need to
> remain open and I am supposed to be seeing "net send 7 (0)" scrolling when
> there is no activity. Is that correct?
>
> --Fran
>
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> >
> > Hi Fran. Do you have a firewall running on either system? When you try to
> > connect to the network DVAP, do you see any lights flash on the DVAP?
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Robin,

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> > >
> > > trying network DVAP on win7 machine. I started dsservice on my xp pro
> > > machine. The command window stays open. Is it suppose to?
> > >
> > > Then I ran the new dvtool 1.03 on my win7 machine. It sees the DVAP but
> > > can't open it. Below is what I am seeing in the command window.
> > >
> > >
> > > DVAPTool version 1.03
> > > Restored parameters:
> > > UserCallsign=W1FJM A
> > > DVDevice=NET:AP000043
> > > Frequency=145685000
> > > SquelchLevel=-80
> > > TxPowerLevel=10
> > > O/S: Windows 7
> > > DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
> > > Callsign set to W1FJM A
> > > Frequency set to 145685000
> > > new frequency (145685000)
> > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
> > > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=3 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> > > (AP000043
> > > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > > adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
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> > > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > > updating (existing) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
> > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (868)
> > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (868) device (AP000043)
> > > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=1
> > > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> > > 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=1868
> > > txtLen=49
> > > txtRecord=(0x383334)
> > > txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> > > txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> > > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
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> > > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (868)
> > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (868) device (AP000043)
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> > > Serial device (NET:AP000043) added
> > > Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> > > Callsign set to (W1FJM A)
> > > Opening DVAP device NET:AP000043
> > > Opened device NET:AP000043
> > > Timeout getting device name
> > > Timeout getting device name
> > > Timeout getting device name
> > > Cannot get device name
> > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > Cannot get device serial number
> > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > Cannot get device boot firmware version
> > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > Cannot get device app firmware version
> > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > Cannot get device frequency range
> > > Timeout getting DVAP Device parameters
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> > > --Fran, W1FJM
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> > >
> > > On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 12:21 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > > **
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> > > >
> > > >

> > > > Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.
> > > >
> > > > Changes include:
> > > >
> > > > 1) fixed issue where a failed connection attempt would cause further
> > > > attempts to fail.
> > > >
> > > > 2) added network DVAP support.
> > > >
> > > > The new network DVAP support requires Apple Bonjour libraries on your
> > > > Windows system. These are installed when you install Apple programs
> > like
> > > > iTunes or Apple printer support. If you receive a message that DVAPTool
> > > > failed to start due to a missing library, install the Bonjour print
> > > > services from the Apple web site shown on the Downloads page.
> > > >
> > > > Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link:
> > http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999
> > > >
> > > > If you would like to play with the network DVAP features, there are
> > > > programs beginning with "dvservice" at
> > http://opendstar.org/tools/.Download the version for your O/S and run it
> > (as root if you are running
> >
> > > > Linux). Your DVAP will be announced on your local LAN (not to the
> > Internet)
> > > > and can be seen with DVAPTool 1.03.
> > > >
> > > > A lot of work has gone into the network DVAP server for the beaglebone,
> > > > raspberry pi, and other ARM based linux platforms. If you have one of
> > > > these, you can download dvservice-angstrom.tgz and extract with "tar
> > xzPf
> > > > dvservice-angstrom.tgz". You can then plug in your DVAP and have it
> > > > available on your local LAN.
> > > >
> > > > The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at
> > > > http://www.dvapdongle.com.
> > > >
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1660. .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:29:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1656 Message: 1660

The instructions were BOTH in the announcement I made AND in step 9 of "Installing on Windows" on the Installation page at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

Please read the announcement again OR read step 9. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Ted Wrobel" <twrobel@...> wrote:
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> Hi Robin,
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> After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS
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> Ted
> W1GRI
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> Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:17 PM
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1661. Re: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:33:03 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 1656 Message: 1661

Did you read Robin's email announcement? It says that if you get a "DLL not found" message that you have to install another package, and he even gave a link to the software needed.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

>_____
> From: Ted Wrobel <twrobel@...>
>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:24 PM
>Subject: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03
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>To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools
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1662. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:50:24 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1650 Message: 1662

When I unplug/plugin again I get on the host machine:

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device read error (COM7) count=-1, errno=5
removed device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) status(ACTIVE) slot(0)
stopsocketthread(0)
added device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) slot(0)
probe start slot=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=0
read cnt=13
probe device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) serial(AP000043) regtype
(_vcp._udp) s
tatus(KNOWN) slot(0)
C:\Program Files\DVAPTool\dvservice.exe: socket for device (DV Access Point
Dong
le (AP000043)) on port 2597
DNSServiceRegisterReplyCallback flags=0x2 errorCode=0 name=DV Access Point
Dongl
e (AP000043) regtype=_vcp._udp. domain=local. ndx=0
```

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On the remote machine where I am trunning DVAPTool I get:
Closing DVAP device NET:AP000043
bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=0 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
(AP000043
) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
Serial device (NET:AP000043) removed
bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=0 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
(AP000043
) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
ignoring remove (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
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dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
(AP000043
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adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
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dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
(AP000043
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) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
updating (existing) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=1
fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=2457
txtLen=49
txtRecord=(0x2063334)
txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
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bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
Serial device (NET:AP000043) added
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as soon as I open the device the "net send" starts scrolling in the dvservice window.

--Fran

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> > > > Callsign set to (W1FJM A)
> > > > Opening DVAP device NET:AP000043
> > > > Opened device NET:AP000043
> > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > Cannot get device name
> > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > Cannot get device serial number
> > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > > Cannot get device boot firmware version
> > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > Cannot get device app firmware version
> > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
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> > > > Timeout getting DVAP Device parameters
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> > > > --Fran, W1FJM
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> > > > On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 12:21 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@> wrote:
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> > > > >
> > > > > Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.
> > > > >
> > > > > Changes include:
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> > > > > 1) fixed issue where a failed connection attempt would cause
> further
> > > > > attempts to fail.
> > > > >
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> > > > >
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> > > like
> > > > > iTunes or Apple printer support. If you receive a message that
> DVAPTool
> > > > > failed to start due to a missing library, install the Bonjour print
> > > > > services from the Apple web site shown on the Downloads page.
> > > > >
> > > > > Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link:
> > > http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999
> > > > >
> > > > > If you would like to play with the network DVAP features, there are
> > > > > programs beginning with "dvservice" at
> > > http://opendstar.org/tools/.Download the version for your O/S and run
> it
> > > (as root if you are running
> > >
> > > > > Linux). Your DVAP will be announced on your local LAN (not to the
> > > Internet)
> > > > > and can be seen with DVAPTool 1.03.
> > > > >
> > > > > A lot of work has gone into the network DVAP server for the
> beaglebone,
> > > > > raspberry pi, and other ARM based linux platforms. If you have one
> of
> > > > > these, you can download dvservice-angstrom.tgz and extract with

> "tar
> > > xzPf
> > > > > dvservice-angstrom.tgz". You can then plug in your DVAP and have it
> > > > > available on your local LAN.
> > > > >
> > > > > The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at
> > > > > http://www.dvapdongle.com.
> > > > >
> > > > > Some folks have already started using 1.03 after seeing the Tweet.
> > > Thanks
> > > > > for picking up the software and testing before the general release.
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1663. Re: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 22:51:21 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1656 Message: 1663

They were in the original announcement posting earlier today

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 6:24 PM, Ted Wrobel <twrobel@...>wrote:

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> **
> Hi Robin,
>
> After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS
>
> I sort of assume they would be displayed in the install procerss, but they
> are not. Nothing about instructions on the download page, nothing in the FAQ
>
> Where might they be found?
>
> Do I need to uninstall the old version? Since I* don't get the "nbew
> hardware found" message the installation isntructions are pretty much
> useless.
>
>
> 73
> Ted
> W1GRI
>
>
> ------------------------------
> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] *On
> Behalf Of *aa4rc
> *Sent:* Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:17 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03
>
>
>

> Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.
>
> Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions
> were not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Greg" <gregakeck@...> wrote:
> >
> > i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it
> won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP
> Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
> >
>
> ---
>
> No virus found in this message.
> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
> Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12
>
>
>

1664. Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 23:26:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1650 Message: 1664

Ahh, yes, that is normal. There are messages sent between the client and server that will cause this printout. It is just a debug message. I'll probably remove a lot of that text once it has been sufficiently tested.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:
>
> When I unplug/plugin again I get on the host machine:
>
> device read error (COM7) count=-1, errno=5
> removed device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) status(ACTIVE) slot(0)
> stopsocketthread(0)
> added device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) slot(0)
> probe start slot=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=0
> read cnt=13
> probe device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) serial(AP000043) regtype
> (_vcp._udp) s
> tatus(KNOWN) slot(0)
> C:\Program Files\DVAPTool\dvservice.exe: socket for device (DV Access Point
> Dong
> le (AP000043)) on port 2597
> DNSServiceRegisterReplyCallback flags=0x2 errorCode=0 name=DV Access Point
> Dongl
> e (AP000043) regtype=_vcp._udp. domain=local. ndx=0
>
> On the remote machine where I am trunning DVAPTool I get:
> Closing DVAP device NET:AP000043
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=0 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> (AP000043
>) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> Serial device (NET:AP000043) removed
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=0 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> (AP000043

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> ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> ignoring remove (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> (AP000043
> ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> (AP000043
> ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> updating (existing) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
> dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=1
> fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=2457
> txtLen=49
> txtRecord=(0x2063334)
> txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=0
> fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=2457
> txtLen=49
> txtRecord=(0x2063334)
> txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
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> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
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> fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=2597
> txtLen=49
> txtRecord=(0x2063334)
> txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
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> bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
> bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
> Serial device (NET:AP000043) added
>
> as soon as I open the device the "net send" starts scrolling in the
> dvservice window.
>
> --Fran
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> On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 6:24 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> > **
> >
> >
> > Hi Fran. You should not see the "net send" messages constantly happening.
> > What happens when you unplug and replug the DVAP?
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Thanks for the hints Robin. It was the firewall on the XP machine.
> > >
> > > I assume the Command windon on the XP machine running dvservices need to
> > > remain open and I am supposed to be seeing "net send 7 (0)" scrolling
> > when
> > > there is no activity. Is that correct?
> > >
> > > --Fran
> > >
> > >
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> > > On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 3:35 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > > **
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > Hi Fran. Do you have a firewall running on either system? When you try
> > to
> > > > connect to the network DVAP, do you see any lights flash on the DVAP?
> > > >
> > > > 73,
> > > > Robin
> > > > AA4RC
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > Robin,
> > > > >
> > > > > trying network DVAP on win7 machine. I started dsservice on my xp pro
> > > > > machine. The command window stays open. Is it suppose to?
> > > > >
> > > > > Then I ran the new dvtool 1.03 on my win7 machine. It sees the DVAP
> > but
> > > > > can't open it. Below is what I am seeing in the command window.
> > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > DVAPTool version 1.03
> > > > > Restored parameters:
> > > > > UserCallsign=W1FJM A
> > > > > DVDevice=NET:AP000043
> > > > > Frequency=145685000
> > > > > SquelchLevel=-80
> > > > > TxPowerLevel=10
> > > > > O/S: Windows 7
> > > > > DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
> > > > > Callsign set to W1FJM A
> > > > > Frequency set to 145685000
> > > > > new frequency (145685000)
> > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
> > > > > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=3 serviceName=DV Access Point
> > Dongle
> > > > > (AP000043
> > > > >) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.

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> > > > > adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > > > > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point
> > Dongle
> > > > > (AP000043
> > > > > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > > > > updating (existing) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
> > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (868)
> > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (868) device (AP000043)
> > > > > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=1
> > > > > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> > > > > 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local.
> > port=1868
> > > > > txtLen=49
> > > > > txtRecord=(0x383334)
> > > > > txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> > > > > txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> > > > > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > > > > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=0
> > > > > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
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> > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (868)
> > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (868) device (AP000043)
> > > > > Serial device (NET:AP000043) added
> > > > > Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> > > > > Callsign set to (W1FJM A)
> > > > > Opening DVAP device NET:AP000043
> > > > > Opened device NET:AP000043
> > > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > > Cannot get device name
> > > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > > Timeout getting device serial number
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> > > > > Cannot get device serial number
> > > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
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> > > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > > Cannot get device app firmware version
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> > > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > > Cannot get device frequency range
> > > > > Timeout getting DVAP Device parameters
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> > > > > > Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link:
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1665. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 network DVAP issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-21 23:29:25 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1650 Message: 1665

ok. thanks. keep up the good work. it is appreciated

--Fran, W1FJM

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> > stopsocketthread(0)
> > added device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) slot(0)
> > probe start slot=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=0
> > read cnt=13
> > probe device (COM7) ftdiserial (A6007EW0) serial(AP000043) regtype
> > (_vcp._udp) s
> > tatus(KNOWN) slot(0)

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> > C:\Program Files\DVAPTool\dvservice.exe: socket for device (DV Access
> Point
> > Dong
> > le (AP000043)) on port 2597
> > DNSServiceRegisterReplyCallback flags=0x2 errorCode=0 name=DV Access
> Point
> > Dongl
> > e (AP000043) regtype=_vcp._udp. domain=local. ndx=0
> >
> > On the remote machine where I am trunning DVAPTool I get:
> > Closing DVAP device NET:AP000043
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=0 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> > (AP000043
> > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > Serial device (NET:AP000043) removed
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=0 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> > (AP000043
> > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > ignoring remove (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
> > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point Dongle
> > (AP000043
> > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (660)
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> > updating (existing) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
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> > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
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> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
> > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=1
> > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> > 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=2597
> > txtLen=49
> > txtRecord=(0x2063334)
> > txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> > txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=0
> > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> > 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local. port=2597
> > txtLen=49
> > txtRecord=(0x2063334)
> > txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> > txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (876)
> > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (876) device (AP000043)
> > Serial device (NET:AP000043) added
> >
> > as soon as I open the device the "net send" starts scrolling in the
> > dvservice window.
> >
> > --Fran
> >
> >
> >
> > <http://www.ccdl.us/>
> > <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>
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> >
> > On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 6:24 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:
> >
> > > **
> > >
> > >
> > > Hi Fran. You should not see the "net send" messages constantly
> happening.
> > > What happens when you unplug and replug the DVAP?
> > >

> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Thanks for the hints Robin. It was the firewall on the XP machine.
> > > >
> > > > I assume the Command windon on the XP machine running dvservices
> need to
> > > > remain open and I am supposed to be seeing "net send 7 (0)" scrolling
> > > when
> > > > there is no activity. Is that correct?
> > > >
> > > > --Fran
> > > >
> > > >
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> > > > On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 3:35 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > > **
> > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > Hi Fran. Do you have a firewall running on either system? When you
> try
> > > to
> > > > > connect to the network DVAP, do you see any lights flash on the
> DVAP?
> > > > >
> > > > > 73,
> > > > > Robin
> > > > > AA4RC
> > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@> wrote:
> > > > > >
> > > > > > Robin,

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> > > > > >
> > > > > > trying network DVAP on win7 machine. I started dsservice on my
> xp pro
> > > > > > machine. The command window stays open. Is it suppose to?
> > > > > >
> > > > > > Then I ran the new dvtool 1.03 on my win7 machine. It sees the
> DVAP
> > > but
> > > > > > can't open it. Below is what I am seeing in the command window.
> > > > > >
> > > > > >
> > > > > > DVAPTool version 1.03
> > > > > > Restored parameters:
> > > > > > UserCallsign=W1FJM A
> > > > > > DVDevice=NET:AP000043
> > > > > > Frequency=145685000
> > > > > > SquelchLevel=-80
> > > > > > TxPowerLevel=10
> > > > > > O/S: Windows 7
> > > > > > DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
> > > > > > Callsign set to W1FJM A
> > > > > > Frequency set to 145685000
> > > > > > new frequency (145685000)
> > > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
> > > > > > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=3 serviceName=DV Access Point
> > > Dongle
> > > > > > (AP000043
> > > > > > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > > > > > adding (new) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial (AP000043)
> > > > > > dnsServiceBrowseReply err=0 flags=2 serviceName=DV Access Point
> > > Dongle
> > > > > > (AP000043
> > > > > > ) regtype=_vcp._udp. replyDomain=local.
> > > > > > updating (existing) device (DV Access Point Dongle) serial
> (AP000043)
> > > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (648)
> > > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (868)
> > > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (868) device (AP000043)
> > > > > > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=1
> > > > > > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> > > > > > 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local.
> > > port=1868
> > > > > > txtLen=49
> > > > > > txtRecord=(0x383334)
> > > > > > txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> > > > > > txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> > > > > > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > > > > > dnsServiceResolveReply err=0 flags=0
> > > > > > fullName=DV\032Access\032Point\032Dongle\03
> > > > > > 2(AP000043)._vcp._udp.local. hosttarget=cooler-master.local.
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> > > port=1868
> > > > > > txtLen=49
> > > > > > txtRecord=(0x383334)
> > > > > > txtRecord - len=15 token=(serial) value (AP000043)
> > > > > > txtRecord - len=12 token=(comport) value (COM7)
> > > > > > txtRecord - len=19 token=(ftdiserial) value (A6007EW0)
> > > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() called on socket (868)
> > > > > > bonjourSocketReadyRead() socket (868) device (AP000043)
> > > > > > Serial device (NET:AP000043) added
> > > > > > Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> > > > > > Callsign set to (W1FJM A)
> > > > > > Opening DVAP device NET:AP000043
> > > > > > Opened device NET:AP000043
> > > > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > > > Timeout getting device name
> > > > > > Cannot get device name
> > > > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > > > Timeout getting device serial number
> > > > > > Cannot get device serial number
> > > > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > > > > Timeout getting device boot firmware version
> > > > > > Cannot get device boot firmware version
> > > > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > > > Timeout getting device application firmware version
> > > > > > Cannot get device app firmware version
> > > > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > > > Timeout getting device frequency range
> > > > > > Cannot get device frequency range
> > > > > > Timeout getting DVAP Device parameters
> > > > > >
> > > > > >
> > > > > > --Fran, W1FJM
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> > > > > > On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 12:21 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > > > > >
> > > > > > > **
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> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > Changes include:
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > 1) fixed issue where a failed connection attempt would cause
> > > further
> > > > > > attempts to fail.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > 2) added network DVAP support.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > The new network DVAP support requires Apple Bonjour libraries
> on
> > > your
> > > > > > Windows system. These are installed when you install Apple
> programs
> > > > > like
> > > > > > iTunes or Apple printer support. If you receive a message that
> > > DVAPTool
> > > > > > failed to start due to a missing library, install the Bonjour
> print
> > > > > > services from the Apple web site shown on the Downloads page.
> > > > > >
> > > > > > Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link:
> > > > > http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999
> > > > > >
> > > > > > If you would like to play with the network DVAP features,
> there are
> > > > > programs beginning with "dvservice" at
> > > > > http://opendstar.org/tools/.Download the version for your O/S and
> run
> > > it
> > > > > (as root if you are running
> > > > >
> > > > > > Linux). Your DVAP will be announced on your local LAN (not to
> the
> > > > > Internet)
> > > > > > and can be seen with DVAPTool 1.03.
> > > > > >
> > > > > > A lot of work has gone into the network DVAP server for the

> > > beaglebone,
> > > > > > > raspberry pi, and other ARM based linux platforms. If you have
> one
> > > of
> > > > > > > these, you can download dvservice-angstrom.tgz and extract with
> > > "tar
> > > > > xzPf
> > > > > > > dvservice-angstrom.tgz". You can then plug in your DVAP and
> have it
> > > > > > > available on your local LAN.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at
> > > > > > > http://www.dvapdongle.com.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > Some folks have already started using 1.03 after seeing the
> Tweet.
> > > > > Thanks
> > > > > > > for picking up the software and testing before the general
> release.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > 73,
> > > > > > > Robin
> > > > > > > AA4RC
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1666. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 01:43:22 UTC
From: Gregory Alan Keck
Topic: 1656 Message: 1666

Thanks for the quick response. You should know that HAMs do not read instructions. I followed them and everything works great.

Thanks

73
Greg
KE4GAK

On Jul 21, 2012, at 6:17 PM, aa4rc wrote:

> Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.
>
> Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions were not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Greg" <gregakeck@...> wrote:
> >
> > i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
> >
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>

1667. Re: DVAPTool version 1.03 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 04:03:08 UTC
From: k1la_73
Topic: 1646 Message: 1667

seems to play nice with mountain lion!
gonna have some more fun with it and report back.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "azstefano186" <nu7b@...> wrote:
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>
> OK - I did nothing but wait several minutes, then launched V1.03 again, and now it sees the dongle. The device was plugged in the whole time - the only factor that changed is that I waited a few minutes. Very strange. Anyway, it's working.
>
> Thanks for this update - the DVAP is a fine piece of hardware. Appreciate having it supported for the Mac.
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.
> >
>

1668. STILL HAVING PROBLEMS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 09:41:19 UTC
From: brian
Topic: 1668 Message: 1668

I am still having problems the blue light on dvap is flashing but when i key the mike the green light is not flashing anyone any ideas

1669. RE: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 11:07:06 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 1656 Message: 1669

Hi Fran,

What announcement? I never saw one, just noticed the subsequent emails that mentioned a new release. If you still have a coppy of the announcement email can you forward it to me?

Thanks,

Ted W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Fran Miele
Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:51 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

They were in the original announcement posting earlier today

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 6:24 PM, Ted Wrobel <twrobel@...>
wrote:

Hi Robin,

After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS

I sort of assume they would be displayed in the install procerss, but they are not. Nothing about instructions on the download page, nothing in the FAQ

Where might they be found?

Do I need to uninstall the old version? Since I* don't get the "nbew hardware found" message the installation isntructions are pretty much useless.

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:17 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.

Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions were not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , "Greg" <gregakeck@...> wrote:
>
> i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
>

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12

1670. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 11:10:54 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 1656 Message: 1670

Sorry to bother you Robin.

I never saw the announcement, just noticed mention of a new release in the recent email chatter.

Since steps 1 to six clearly didn't apply, I never got to step 9.

Thanks,

Ted W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:29 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

The instructions were BOTH in the announcement I made AND in step 9 of "Installing on Windows" on the Installation page at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

Please read the announcement again OR read step 9. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , "Ted Wrobel" <twrobel@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Robin,
>
> After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS
>
> I sort of assume they would be displayed in the install procerss, but they
> are not. Nothing about instructions on the download page, nothing in the FAQ
>
> Where might they be found?
>
> Do I need to uninstall the old version? Since I* don't get the "nbew
> hardware found" message the installation isntructions are pretty much
> useless.
>
> 73

> Ted
> W1GRI
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
[mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>]
On
> Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:17 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03
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> Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.
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> Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions
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> not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)
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> 73,
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> 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
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> No virus found in this message.
> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
> Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12
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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12

1671. Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 13:15:49 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1656 Message: 1671

Hi Ted. Look at message #1646 here via the web interface. Send an email if you have questions after reading the message.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Ted Wrobel" <twrobel@...> wrote:
>
> Sorry to bother you Robin.
>
> I never saw the announcement, just noticed mention of a new release in the
> recent email chatter.
>
> Since steps 1 to six clearly didn't apply, I never got to step 9.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Ted W1GRI
>
> _____
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:29 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03
>
>
>
>
> The instructions were BOTH in the announcement I made AND in step 9 of
> "Installing on Windows" on the Installation page at
> http://www.dvapdongle.com.
>
> Please read the announcement again OR read step 9. :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > Hi Robin,

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> > After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS
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> Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12
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1672. Re: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 13:49:38 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1656 Message: 1672

Sorry Ted, I din't have it in my inbox. I deleted it already, but yo should be able to locate oin the yahoo group messages

--Fran

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On Sun, Jul 22, 2012 at 7:07 AM, Ted Wrobel <twrobel@...>wrote:

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> Thanks,
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> Ted W1GRI
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@...m] *On
> Behalf Of *Fran Miele
> *Sent:* Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:51 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* Re: .RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03
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>
> They were in the original announcement posting earlier today
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> --Fran, W1FJM
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> <http://www.ccdl.us/>

> <http://www.miele-family.com/weather>
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>
> IMPORTANT: The contents of this email and any attachments are
> confidential. They are intended for the named recipient(s) only. If you
> have received this email by mistake, please notify the sender immediately
> and do not disclose the contents to anyone or make copies thereof.
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> On Sat, Jul 21, 2012 at 6:24 PM, Ted Wrobel <twrobel@tacticaltech.com>wrote:
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>> **
>> Hi Robin,
>>
>> After 15 minutes searching the site, I still can't find the INSTRUCTIONS
>>
>> I sort of assume they would be displayed in the install procerss, but
>> they are not. Nothing about instructions on the download page, nothing in
>> the FAQ
>>
>> Where might they be found?
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>> Do I need to uninstall the old version? Since I* don't get the "nbew
>> hardware found" message the installation isntructions are pretty much
>> useless.
>>
>>
>> 73
>> Ted
>> W1GRI
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>> ----------
>> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] *On
>> Behalf Of *aa4rc
>> *Sent:* Saturday, July 21, 2012 6:17 PM
>> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tools 1.03
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>>
>> Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.
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>> Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions
>> were not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)
>>
>> 73,

>> Robin
>> AA4RC
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>> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Greg" <gregakeck@...> wrote:
>> >
>> > i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it
>> won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP
>> Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
>> >
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>> ---
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>> No virus found in this message.
>> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
>> Version: 10.0.1424 / Virus Database: 2437/5146 - Release Date: 07/21/12
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1673. REPEAT [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.03 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 14:26:45 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 1673 Message: 1673

---------- Original Message ----------
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.03 released
From: "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...>
Date: Sat, July 21, 2012 9:21 am
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.

Changes include:

1) fixed issue where a failed connection attempt would cause further attempts to fail.

2) added network DVAP support.

The new network DVAP support requires Apple Bonjour libraries on your Windows system. These are installed when you install Apple programs like iTunes or Apple printer support. If you receive a message that DVAPTool failed to start due to a missing library, install the Bonjour print services from the Apple web site shown on the Downloads page.

Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link: http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999

If you would like to play with the network DVAP features, there are programs beginning with "dvservice" at http://opendstar.org/tools/. Download the version for your O/S and run it (as root if you are running Linux). Your DVAP will be announced on your local LAN (not to the Internet) and can be seen with DVAPTool 1.03.

A lot of work has gone into the network DVAP server for the beaglebone, raspberry pi, and other ARM based linux platforms. If you have one of these, you can download dvservice-angstrom.tgz and extract with "tar xzPf dvservice-angstrom.tgz". You can then plug in your DVAP and have it available on your local LAN.

The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

Some folks have already started using 1.03 after seeing the Tweet. Thanks for picking up the software and testing before the general release.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1674. release announcement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 14:31:21 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 1674 Message: 1674

Hello All,

I just forwarded a copy of Robin's announcement to the list and to Ted.

Everybody should be happy now.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

1675. Re: REPEAT [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.03 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-22 17:27:05 UTC
From: n9nra
Topic: 1673 Message: 1675

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dave Schultheis" <dave6592@...> wrote:
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> ---------- Original Message ----------
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.03 released
> From: "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...>
> Date: Sat, July 21, 2012 9:21 am
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> ---
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> Version 1.03 of DVAPTool has been released.
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> Changes include:
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> 1) fixed issue where a failed connection attempt would cause further
> attempts to fail.
>
> 2) added network DVAP support.
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> The new network DVAP support requires Apple Bonjour libraries on your
> Windows system. These are installed when you install Apple programs like
> iTunes or Apple printer support. If you receive a message that DVAPTool
> failed to start due to a missing library, install the Bonjour print
> services from the Apple web site shown on the Downloads page.
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> Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link: http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999
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> If you would like to play with the network DVAP features, there are
> programs beginning with "dvservice" at http://opendstar.org/tools/.
> Download the version for your O/S and run it (as root if you are running
> Linux). Your DVAP will be announced on your local LAN (not to the
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> http://www.dvapdongle.com.
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> Some folks have already started using 1.03 after seeing the Tweet. Thanks
> for picking up the software and testing before the general release.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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Intresting, i just got the updated version last night, and another goodie for everyone is that it now starts up MUCH faster on a Windows XP machine, used to take almost a minute to start, now it`s just as fast as on my Windows 7 laptop, which is nice, my question is, will the network DVAP support allow me to remotely turn on and off my DVAP via my LAN or Wifi? If not that would be a cool feature, if it could somehow be implemented. Thanx! 73. N9NRA

1676. DVAPTool and dvservice.exe

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-23 08:32:17 UTC
From: VK5ZEA
Topic: 1676 Message: 1676

Hi Everybody,

I'm trying to get the dvservice.exe and DVAPTool combination working at home. I've got v1.03 working fine with the DVAPDongle on my office PC, running Win7. I can start dvservice.exe OK.

When I run DVAPTool on my laptop PC (WinXP), it initially comes up with a message saying that the DVAPDongle hasn't been found... then I see the "NET:AP090890" in the DVAP Device window. When I click OPEN, the associated "terminal" window indicates a lot of timeouts getting "device name", "serial number", "boot firmware version", "application firmware version", " device frequency range"...

... and then it times out and "NET:AP090890" disappears from the DVAP Device window.

Any ideas? I've both allowed dvservice.exe and DVAPTool.exe in the firewall and even turned the Windows firewall off at both ends...still no joy. Does Bonjour need to be installed on both "ends"?

Michael.
VK5ZEA

1677. Re: DVAPTool and dvservice.exe

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-23 13:15:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1676 Message: 1677

Hi Michael. If you are running Windows on both ends, Bonjour needs to be installed on both ends.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "VK5ZEA" <michaelcarey@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Everybody,
>
> I'm trying to get the dvservice.exe and DVAPTool combination working at home. I've got v1.03 working fine with the DVAPDongle on my office PC, running Win7. I can start dvservice.exe OK.
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> When I run DVAPTool on my laptop PC (WinXP), it initially comes up with a message saying that the DVAPDongle hasn't been found... then I see the "NET:AP090890" in the DVAP Device window. When I click OPEN, the associated "terminal" window indicates a lot of timeouts getting "device name", "serial number", "boot firmware version", "application firmware version", " device frequency range"...
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>
> Michael.
> VK5ZEA
>

1678. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool and dvservice.exe

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-23 13:22:38 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1676 Message: 1678

Michael, I had the same problem. It turned out to be the firewall on the machine where the DVAP was pugged in. I had bonjour running on both machines so I don' know if you need it on both or not.

Fran, W1FJM

On Monday, July 23, 2012, VK5ZEA wrote:

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> message saying that the DVAPDongle hasn't been found... then I see the
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> "serial number", "boot firmware version", "application firmware version", "
> device frequency range"...
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> ... and then it times out and "NET:AP090890" disappears from the DVAP
> Device window.
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> firewall and even turned the Windows firewall off at both ends...still no
> joy. Does Bonjour need to be installed on both "ends"?
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> Michael.
> VK5ZEA
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1679. Re: DVAPTool and dvservice.exe

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-23 22:12:19 UTC
From: VK5ZEA
Topic: 1676 Message: 1679

Thanks Robin and Fran,

I do have Bonjour installed on both machines...I have both allowed dvservice.exe AND tried turning the firewall off on the Win7 machine that has the DVAP Dongle plugged into it... with the same results.

My experiments will continue!

Michael.
VK5ZEA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:
>
> Michael, I had the same problem. It turned out to be the firewall on the
> machine where the DVAP was pugged in. I had bonjour running on both
> machines so I don' know if you need it on both or not.
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> Fran, W1FJM
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> > Hi Everybody,
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> > "NET:AP090890" in the DVAP Device window. When I click OPEN, the associated
> > "terminal" window indicates a lot of timeouts getting "device name",
> > "serial number", "boot firmware version", "application firmware version", "
> > device frequency range"...
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> > ... and then it times out and "NET:AP090890" disappears from the DVAP
> > Device window.
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> > Any ideas? I've both allowed dvservice.exe and DVAPTool.exe in the
> > firewall and even turned the Windows firewall off at both ends...still no
> > joy. Does Bonjour need to be installed on both "ends"?
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> > Michael.
> > VK5ZEA

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1680. DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-23 22:24:10 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 1680 Message: 1680

Now that 1.03 is out, and has this dependency on glibc => 2.9 I can't run it on CentOS 5 anymore. So what are you Linux-heads using now?

I note that Fedora 17 is current, is that a good choice?

Ken
KC4YOZ

1681. Re: 1.03 not working with Ubuntu 10.10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-23 23:27:20 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1655 Message: 1681

Update - seems to be confined to Ubuntu 10.10. Tried the DVAP on another machine with Ubuntu 12.04 and 1.03 and dservice both worked fine there.

73,
Bob

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd4ebm" <nobody.really@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Robin:
>
> No luck getting 1.03 working with Ubuntu 10.10. It mostly fails to detect the dongle. Symptoms are:
>
> - DVAP green LED pulsing
> - After numerous restarts/fiddling about I got 1.03 to detect the DVAP once or twice. Can't get a pattern to when it detects (e.g. after waiting a bit, as noted by Stefano, after running 1.02 first, etc.) If it does detect the DVAP it works fine.
> - 1.02 (installed in a different directory) continues to work fine.
>
> 73,
> BOb
>

1682. Dvaptool new version not connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-25 19:17:31 UTC
From: iz8twx
Topic: 1682 Message: 1682

Hello everyone, since I installed the new version of dvap, I can not more 'to connect to the reflector, i run the software get the following message: you are running the latest version of DVAP Tools, you can help me? thanks

1683. Re: Dvaptool new version not connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-25 21:14:30 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1682 Message: 1683

Hi *didn't get your name*.

I see in the logs that you connected to IR8AW twice today without issue.

To which reflector did you try to connect?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "iz8twx" <ntnpaolino@...> wrote:
>
> Hello everyone, since I installed the new version of dvap, I can not more 'to connect to the reflector, i run the software get the following message: you are running the latest version of DVAP Tools, you can help me? thanks
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1684. DVAP error with Win7 64

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-26 05:04:04 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 1684 Message: 1684

Robin;

Trying to connect with DVAP on a new Ultrabook running Win 7 64. I plugged DVAP into a USB 2 Hub, drivers installed OK, and I have the flashing green LED. The DVAPTool dialog has references to the correct VCP on COM5, but I get a couple errors related to a broken DNS error dummy return and reg command failed on exit. A popup window then comes up telling me no DVAP was found, check for a flashing green LED (which I have).

Here's the dialog:

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DVAPTool version 1.03
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=W6KD
DVDevice=
Frequency=146550000
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: Windows 7
Ignoring broken DNS server dummy return
DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
Callsign set to W6KD
Frequency set to 146550000
new frequency (146550000)
FTDI serial device on VCP port COM5
reg command failed on exit
Found 0 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (W6KD)
Callsign set to (W6KD)
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The release version of the DVTool program will connect to the DVDongle, but the beta 5 gets the same DNS error and reg command fail on exit as the DVAP.

Need help getting this running please.

Regards

Bob Scott, W6KD

1685. Delay In Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-26 16:56:49 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1685 Message: 1685

Hi -- I tried to set up my DVAP on my Mac (10.8 the new System) so it would startup with the computer. But when that happens the DVAP Tools 1.03 says that the VAAP Dongle is not found although the green light is pulsing. After a few minutes, however, it will find the dongle. So, looks like no automatic startup?

1686. Problems connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-26 20:58:54 UTC
From: Edward Brown
Topic: 1686 Message: 1686

I am very new to this. I setup my DVAP to access a local repeater. I used the calculator tool in the WCS-92 program which gave me this:

RX&TX Freq: 145.67000
OperMode: DV
UR: KB2VZSBL
RPT1: DIRECT
RPT2: DIRECT

Most of the time I get "Remote System Unlinked" voice message when I key up. A few times it was "Remote System Unavailable".

I do see this in the log; not sure if it is significant or not:
Checking callsign (W2ER) against station call (W2ERP☺h☺)

I did register W2ER on the KB2VZS system. and if I try to register again it tells me W2ER is already registered.

I attached the logs below. Any ideas?

Thanks for your help.

73's Ed W2ER

Ascp device started
Squelch open, device rss (-66)
rss (-60)
New stream started during an active stream
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KB2VZSBL my W2ER /92AD fc d9ac OK
Checking callsign (W2ER) against station call (W2ERP☺h☺)
Starting Link request (KB2VZSBL)
rss (-56)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Squelch closed, device rss (-48) min (-66) max (-47)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway KB2VZS
state change 2 Connecting to KB2VZS
gateway response timeout 2
state change 1 Gateway connection timeout
Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem

unlinked.dvtool
Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-69)
rss (-62)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KB2VZSBL my W2ER /92AD fc d9ac OK
Checking callsign (W2ER) against station call (W2ERp??☻)
Starting Link request (KB2VZSBL)
rss (-57)
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Connect requested
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state change 2 Connecting to KB2VZS
Squelch closed, device rss (-58) min (-69) max (-47)
gateway response timeout 2
state change 1 Gateway connection timeout
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Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-63)
New local RF stream:
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state change 2 Connecting to KB2VZS
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gateway response timeout 2

state change 1 Gateway connection timeout
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Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)

1687. Re: DVAP error with Win7 64

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-27 00:47:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1684 Message: 1687

Hi Bob. It sounds like you have been hit by the FTDI driver bug. Did you plug into a USB3 port?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w6kd" <w6kd@...> wrote:
>
> Robin;
>
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> Callsign set to W6KD
> Frequency set to 146550000
> new frequency (146550000)
> FTDI serial device on VCP port COM5
> reg command failed on exit
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> The release version of the DVTool program will connect to the DVDongle, but the beta 5 gets the same DNS error and reg command fail on exit as the DVAP.
>
> Need help getting this running please.
>
> Regards

>
> Bob Scott, W6KD
>

1688. Re: Problems connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-27 00:51:33 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1686 Message: 1688

Hi Ed. It looks like you have some garbage characters in the callsign field in DVAPTool. Try selecting all of the characters in that field and delete them. Then try re-typing your callsign.

The main problem is with KB2VZS. They do not have their networking set up properly so you won't be able to connect until they fix it. Try a reflector or another gateways.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> I did register W2ER on the KB2VZS system. and if I try to register
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> rss (-60)
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> New local RF stream:
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> Checking callsign (W2ER) against station call (W2ERPâ□ºhâ□º)
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> Transmit state (ON)
> Finished playing DVTool file
> Transmit state (OFF)
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> rss (-62)
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> New local RF stream:
> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KB2VZSBL my W2ER /92AD fc d9ac OK
> Checking callsign (W2ER) against station call (W2ER???â□»)
> Starting Link request (KB2VZSBL)
> rss (-58)
> rss (-54)
> rss (-52)
> rss (-50)
> rss (-49)
> Local RF stream end
> Connect requested
> Connecting to gateway KB2VZS
> state change 2 Connecting to KB2VZS
> Squelch closed, device rss (-65) min (-63) max (-49)
> gateway response timeout 2
> state change 1 Gateway connection timeout
> Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem
> unlinked.dvtool
> Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
> Transmit state (ON)
> Finished playing DVTool file
> Transmit state (OFF)
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1689. Re: DVAP error with Win7 64

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-27 03:20:53 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 1684 Message: 1689

Robin;

The Ultrabook I had bought only has two USB 3.0 ports. I plugged the DVAP into a USB hub with 4 USB 2.0 ports into the USB 3.0 port on the Ultrabook, and that didn't appear to help.

I ended up taking the Ultrabook back to the store (an ASUS Zenbook UX31 for anyone else considering such a purchase) and instead bought a cheap $400 Dell Back-to-School special with only USB2 ports and it works OK.

But I think this is going to become a big problem for you--most of the 3rd Gen laptops in the store were USB 3.0 only. I'd guess you have maybe six months before nearly all the PCs sold are USB3-only and not compatible with the FTDI chip in the DVAP and DV Dongle.

Regards

Bob Scott, W6KD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Bob. It sounds like you have been hit by the FTDI driver bug. Did you plug into a USB3 port?
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>

1690. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Problems connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-27 03:34:51 UTC
From: Edward Brown
Topic: 1686 Message: 1690

Robin:

I can connect to a reflector in listen mode only. When I try to connect to K2BWK I get a Gateway Unknown. I also tried VE3RTR and got the listen only message.

I think I fixed the bad call sign. I added four spaces to the end of the call sign.

Here is the log for the connection to VE3RTR:

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New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur VE3RTRCL my W2ER /92AD fc cf43 OK
Checking callsign (W2ER ) against station call (W2ER )
Starting Link request (VE3RTRCL)
rss (-57)
rss (-54)
rss (-51)
rss (-50)
rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway VE3RTR
state change 2 Connecting to VE3RTR
state change 4 Authenticating...
Squelch closed, device rss (-66) min (-69) max (-47)
login OK, transmit not permitted
state change 6 Connected
Login succeeded, transmit not permitted on VE3RTR
Processing 168 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem
linkedro.dvtool
Playing 168 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinkedro.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the VE3RTR D-Star repeater
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-69)
rss (-62)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur U my W2ER /92AD fc b6dc OK
Checking callsign (W2ER ) against station call (W2ER )
Starting Unlink request ( U)
rss (-57)
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rss (-54)
rss (-51)
rss (-50)
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rss (-48)
Local RF stream end
Disconnect requested
Disconnecting from gateway VE3RTR
state change 7 Disconnecting...
Squelch closed, device rss (-47) min (-69) max (-48)
Disconnected (10 seconds)
state change 1 Disconnected (10 seconds)
Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem unlinked.dvtool
Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
Transmit state (OFF)

Thanks for your help.

73 Ed W2ER

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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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>> OperMode: DV
>> UR: KB2VZSBL
>> RPT1: DIRECT
>> RPT2: DIRECT
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>> Most of the time I get "Remote System Unlinked" voice message when I
>> key up. A few times it was "Remote System Unavailable".
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>> I do see this in the log; not sure if it is significant or not:
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>> I did register W2ER on the KB2VZS system. and if I try to register
>> again it tells me W2ER is already registered.
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>> I attached the logs below. Any ideas?
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>> Thanks for your help.
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>> 73's Ed W2ER
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>> Ascp device started
>> Squelch open, device rss (-66)
>> rss (-60)
>> New stream started during an active stream
>> New local RF stream:
>> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KB2VZSBL my W2ER /92AD fc d9ac OK
>> Checking callsign (W2ER ) against station call (W2ERPâ˜ºhâ˜º)
>> Starting Link request (KB2VZSBL)
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>> rss (-48)
>> rss (-47)
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>> Local RF stream end
>> Connect requested
>> Connecting to gateway KB2VZS
>> state change 2 Connecting to KB2VZS
>> gateway response timeout 2
>> state change 1 Gateway connection timeout
>> Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem
>> unlinked.dvtool
>> Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
>> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
>> Transmit state (ON)
>> Finished playing DVTool file
>> Transmit state (OFF)
>> Squelch open, device rss (-69)
>> rss (-62)
>> New local RF stream:
>> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KB2VZSBL my W2ER /92AD fc d9ac OK
>> Checking callsign (W2ER ) against station call (W2ERp??â˜»)
>> Starting Link request (KB2VZSBL)
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>> rss (-47)
>> Local RF stream end
>> Connect requested
>> Connecting to gateway KB2VZS
>> state change 2 Connecting to KB2VZS
>> Squelch closed, device rss (-58) min (-69) max (-47)
>> gateway response timeout 2
>> state change 1 Gateway connection timeout
>> Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesystem
>> unlinked.dvtool
>> Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemunlinked.dvtool
>> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my W2ER /DVAP fc eb06 OK
>> Transmit state (ON)
>> Finished playing DVTool file
>> Transmit state (OFF)
>> Squelch open, device rss (-63)
>> New local RF stream:
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Ed Brown
W2ER

1691. Re: Problems connecting

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-27 13:03:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1686 Message: 1691

Hi Ed.

I wonder if K2BWK has the same admin as KB2VZS. K2BWK also has misconfigured networking. You might contact the admin of both of those gateways.

You don't seem to be registered in the D-Star network. Until you do, you won't be able to transmit. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargataway.org.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Edward Brown <emb@...> wrote:
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> Robin:
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> connect to K2BWK I get a Gateway Unknown. I also tried VE3RTR and got
> the listen only message.
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> I think I fixed the bad call sign. I added four spaces to the end of
> the call sign.
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> New local RF stream:
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> rss (-47)
> Local RF stream end
> Connect requested
> Connecting to gateway VE3RTR
> state change 2 Connecting to VE3RTR
> state change 4 Authenticating...
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> Transmit state (ON)
> Finished playing DVTool file
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> Transmit state (OFF)
> Squelch open, device rss (-69)
> rss (-62)
> New local RF stream:
> hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur U my W2ER /92AD fc b6dc OK
> Checking callsign (W2ER) against station call (W2ER)
> Starting Unlink request (U)
> rss (-57)
> rss (-54)
> rss (-51)
> rss (-50)
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> Local RF stream end
> Disconnect requested
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> state change 7 Disconnecting...
> Squelch closed, device rss (-47) min (-69) max (-48)
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> state change 1 Disconnected (10 seconds)
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> Thanks for your help.
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> 73 Ed W2ER
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1692. nortons internet security

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-27 23:55:41 UTC
From: kiwiman168
Topic: 1692 Message: 1692

Hi. I have just installed the drivers for the dvap access point dongle no problem. tells me that the dvap is on com6.

How ever, when I try to install the dvap tool nortons internet security say's that it is a virus and removes the tool.

I am downloading everything from the dvap web site.

Cheers
Tom zl4hd

1693. Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-30 02:26:40 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1680 Message: 1693

Thanks for the info on glibC - perhaps that's why I can't get it working on Ubuntu 10.10. I'll have to check the version.

While troubleshooting that, I tried 1.03 under Ubuntu 12.04 and seemed to work fine there, both on the local machine and as a network resource to a Win7 box.

73,
Bob

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Ken" <kc4yoz@...> wrote:
>
> Now that 1.03 is out, and has this dependency on glibc => 2.9 I can't run it on CentOS 5 anymore. So what are you Linux-heads using now?
>
> I note that Fedora 17 is current, is that a good choice?
>
> Ken
> KC4YOZ
>

1694. Re: nortons internet security

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-30 13:50:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1692 Message: 1694

Hi Tom. I use bitdefender as antivirus on my Windows developement box and it shows no issue. Norton has been known to have false positives.

Given that I've scanned it here and that no one else has reported an issue, I think it should be safe to install.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Tom zl4hd
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1695. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: nortons internet security

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-31 00:14:17 UTC
From: Chris Brown
Topic: 1692 Message: 1695

It may be Tom's particular installation of the Norton tool. I use and update to the latest Norton software on several machines on which the DVAP software is running - XP through 64 bit Win 7 - no problems with any installation or operation.

Chris

KL4C

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2012 5:51 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: nortons internet security

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1696. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: nortons internet security

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-31 11:27:21 UTC
From: Johan Hansson - SM0TSC
Topic: 1692 Message: 1696

You can also upload the file to virustotal.com and it will scan it with
mutiple AV-Engines

//TSC

aa4rc skrev 2012-07-30 15:50:
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1697. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: nortons internet security

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-07-31 18:18:09 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 1692 Message: 1697

I will look into that. Thanks

Sent from my iPod

On 31/07/2012, at 12:14, "Chris Brown" <cb777@...> wrote:

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1698. DVAP and Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-02 08:41:14 UTC
From: mwt2004uk
Topic: 1698 Message: 1698

Hi,

I have had my Raspberry Pi for a few weeks and am looking at using it to run my DVAP Permanently. Does anyone have a Linux ARM driver/program that will allow me to use this.

1699. Windows 7 64 device not found fix

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-02 18:42:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1699 Message: 1699

Hi folks. It seems that the FTDI driver bug that causes trashed registry entries is continuing to cause issues for DVAPTool for a small group of people. If you are experiencing this issue, please download:

http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPToolTest.exe

and place it in the same folder as DVAPTool.exe on your PC. Then double click on DVAPToolTest and see if it fixes the problem. I'm trying to work around the driver bug.

You must have DVAPTool 1.03 installed prior to copying this into the dvaptool folder.

Please let me know...

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1700. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 7 64 device not found fix

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-02 19:31:51 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1699 Message: 1700

Hi Robin,

There is a removal tool on the FTDI site, that should allow users to install an older version in the meantime before they correct this issue.

We had this with the Prolific variant too, when we developed a well know scanner program, so not all hope is lost.

The USB to Serial chipset driver developers are usually quite open to suggestions when this occurs :-)

Neil G7EBY.

On 2 August 2012 18:42, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> Please let me know...
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> 73,
> Robin
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1701. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 7 64 device not found fix

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-03 03:52:00 UTC
From: Phil
Topic: 1699 Message: 1701

This solved my problem on a Windows 7 Toshiba computer.

Thanks,

Phil K7PB

1702. active frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-03 21:18:20 UTC
From: Lricha
Topic: 1702 Message: 1702

Does anyone know of a couple active frequencies for the AVAP RED DONGLE?

thanks
Don WJ9M in Chicago

1703. Re: [DVAPDongle] active frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-03 21:34:56 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1702 Message: 1703

I would think you would be looking for "inactive" frequencies, no?

You want to use a 2m simplex frequency that is not in use so you can use your DVAP.

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----

From: Lricha

Sent: Aug 3, 2012 2:18 PM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] active frequency

Does anyone know of a couple active frequencies for the AVAP RED DONGLE?

thanks
Don WJ9M in Chicago

1704. Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-04 01:50:52 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 1680 Message: 1704

Thanks Bob, Ubuntu 12.04 works fine here. I appreciate the tip.

73;
Ken

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kd4ebm" <nobody.really@...> wrote:
>
> Thanks for the info on glibC - perhaps that's why I can't get it working on Ubuntu 10.10. I'll have to check the version.
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> While troubleshooting that, I tried 1.03 under Ubuntu 12.04 and seemed to work fine there, both on the local machine and as a network resource to a Win7 box.
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> > Ken
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1705. Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-04 14:10:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1680 Message: 1705

Hi folks. Do you all have a pref on distributions? It is somewhat difficult to create one linux version of DVAPTool and have it work on all distributions. I used to compile on CentOS but most folks are now using Ubuntu. This last release was compiled on Ubuntu 11 and that is why it is not working on Ubuntu 10.

Vote now! :)

73,
Robin
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1706. Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-04 16:29:16 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1680 Message: 1706

Hi Robin:

I'd vote for Ubuntu 10, because that's what's on the box I've got it attached to :-)

Seriously, Ubuntu would be my vote. If that's acceptable, I'd argue for supporting the LTS release schedule (10.04 until next April, then switch to 12.04)

(That said, running 1.02 isn't a huge problem for me.)

Thanks for asking!

73,
Bob

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1707. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-05 02:04:21 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 1680 Message: 1707

I use Ubuntu 12.04
Thanks

Tom

On 5/08/2012, at 2:10, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@interlabs.com> wrote:

> Hi folks. Do you all have a pref on distributions? It is somewhat difficult to create one linux version of DVAPTool and have it work on all distributions. I used to compile on CentOS but most folks are now using Ubuntu. This last release was compiled on Ubuntu 11 and that is why it is not working on Ubuntu 10.
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1708. Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-06 10:58:02 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 1680 Message: 1708

Hi Robin. I'm partial to CentOS/Red Hat, since that's what my gateways run, and my servers here at the house, and I am Red Hat certified. But that distro is getting old, and I've seen that most new hardware runs better with Ubuntu, which usually has the latest kernels and libraries, etc., and I can deal with it.

But not straight Debian or Slackware, please.... ;-)

73;
Ken
KC4YOZ

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1709. Re: DVAP 1.03 Linux Distro Recommendations?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-07 00:53:23 UTC
From: kf6qcq
Topic: 1680 Message: 1709

I Use Ubuntu. have been for many years.
John
N7JL

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1710. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 7 64 device not found fix

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-10 21:31:10 UTC
From: Trevor Wood
Topic: 1699 Message: 1710

hi Robin I run the dvap on linux 11.10 and the original version 1.02 was fine

now the new version 1.03 is asking me to check that the dvap is plugged into the

usb

it worked fnb b4 on linux but i cant revert back to th eolder version to get up anf running again

Trevor M0TWS GB7SF Team Sheffield

--- On Thu, 2/8/12, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Windows 7 64 device not found fix
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thursday, 2 August, 2012, 19:42

Hi folks. It seems that the FTDI driver bug that causes trashed registry entries is continuing to cause issues for DVAPTool for a small group of people. If you are experiencing this issue, please download:

http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPToolTest.exe

and place it in the same folder as DVAPTool.exe on your PC. Then double click on DVAPToolTest and see if it fixes the problem. I'm trying to work around the driver bug.

You must have DVAPTool 1.03 installed prior to copying this into the dvaptool folder.

Please let me know...

73,

Robin

AA4RC

1711. Re: Windows 7 64 device not found fix

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-11 01:11:34 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1699 Message: 1711

Hi Trevor. Did you try running it as root?

The 1.02 version is still there under http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Trevor Wood <trevorwood6@...> wrote:
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1712. DVAPTool 1.03 on FC17

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-12 02:05:38 UTC
From: dsrebnick
Topic: 1712 Message: 1712

Linux FC17:

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[myhost DVAPTool]$ ./DVAPTool
./DVAPTool: error while loading shared libraries: libpng12.so.0: cannot open sha
red object file: No such file or directory
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Any suggestions?

libpng15 is installed, tried some symlink stuff to no avail

73 K2DLS

1713. DVAP Tool for Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-14 08:55:17 UTC
From: mwt2004uk
Topic: 1713 Message: 1713

I am looking at running the DVAP Tool on my Raspberry Pi. I am currently running Debian Squeezy (ARM Processor) and wonder if anyone has re-compiled the tool for ARM Processor, or if anyone has an email address so i can email the manufacturers.

1714. Newbie - Just Arrived

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-24 17:44:29 UTC
From: Terrence R. Redding
Topic: 1714 Message: 1714

Hi guys,

I am new to the world of D-STARS. I have a 880 and 80 mobile and hand-talki and also the DV Access Point Dongle.

The reason I am jumping into DSTARs is because it was mentioned as a system to be used with a pending ARISS that will occur the week of October 22 here in Palm Beach County Florida.

The club I am associated with, N4OLT, is providing antenna site, repeater space and a static IP address for the local D-Stars system.

I use to think I was a quick study and could learn anything. However, this D-Stars stuff is daunting.

Glad there is a group to follow. I also belong to the 880 group. If there are any others I should follow, just point me to them and I will join.

Terry - W6LMJ

Terrence R. Redding, Ph.D.
Global Learn Day October 7, 2012
http://olt.net/gld/

1715. Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbie - Just Arrived

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-24 20:44:13 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 1714 Message: 1715

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> hand-talki and also the DV Access Point Dongle.
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> 22 here in Palm Beach County Florida.

Welcome to the group!

Just for the record, it is "D-STAR." There is no second S. It stands for Digital Smart Technologies for Amateur Radio, developed by the Japan Amateur Radio League.

If you're of a mind to join a Facebook group, you can look for "D-Star Amateur Radio." Not a very busy group, but you can still learn from it.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

1716. 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 14:37:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1716 Message: 1716

Hi all.

We have completed the design, prototype, and FCC/CE testing for the new 70cm version of the DVAP. It has the same red case and power levels as the 2M unit.

The units should be available through dealers the first week of October.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1717. Re: Newbie - Just Arrived

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 14:37:08 UTC
From: Terrence R. Redding Redding
Topic: 1714 Message: 1717

Dave,

Thanks for the welcome. I set up the DVAP last night and was very pleasantly surprised by how easy it was to set up. Now that I can access W6LMJ A I have to figure out how to link with the IC-80AD to something beyond my access point. I am sure once that is understood I will be able to listen to nets and learn more quickly.

Now that I have W6LMJ A running, does that mean I can be called from any other D-STAR system connected to the Internet? Is my status published? Is there a place to check and see if a station is active and available? I know, all newbie questions.

Hopefully tonight I will have a chance to read more in the manual.

Again, thank you for welcoming me to the group.

Terry - W6LMJ

1718. Re: Newbie - Just Arrived

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 14:42:09 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1714 Message: 1718

Hi Terry. Take a look at the "Using the DVAP" page at www.dvapdongle.com for command instructions. Also, look at the bottom of the FAQ page there for programming samples.

Your DVAP links into gateways/reflectors over the internet. It is not yet a full node that can be contacted. That is in the plans.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Terrence R. Redding Redding" <tredding@...> wrote:
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> Terry - W6LMJ
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1719. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 15:28:16 UTC
From: Gregory Alan Keck
Topic: 1716 Message: 1719

Fantastic - will it do both 70cm & 2m? Can I pre-order from HRO?

Made my day with this announcement, 73
Greg
KE4GAK

On Aug 25, 2012, at 10:37 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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>
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1720. Re: Newbie - Just Arrived

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 15:42:47 UTC
From: Frank
Topic: 1714 Message: 1720

Hi Terry,

Welcome to D-STAR. I'm sure your local group has mentioned this, but, an excellent resource for all things D-STAR is http://www.dstarinfo.com

73, Frank KR1ZAN
Garland, TX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Terrence R. Redding" <tredding@...> wrote:
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1721. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 16:46:29 UTC
From: Pat Marcy
Topic: 1716 Message: 1721

Congratulations!

Sent from my iPhone

Thanks,

Pat Marcy, W7PZ
National Accounts Manager
Icom America, Inc.
206-321-1026 cell
928-753-1614 office

On Aug 25, 2012, at 7:37 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@interlabs.com<mailto:aa4rc@interlabs.com>>
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1722. Re: 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 17:08:15 UTC
From: cybersapient
Topic: 1716 Message: 1722

OUTSTANDING!!!!!

I will consult the DVAP site for a list of outlets.

Thank you for going to all the trouble to make theUHF version!

73,
Shane

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1723. Re: 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-25 20:45:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1716 Message: 1723

Hi Greg. The 70cm DVAP only does 70cm. :)

We could not fit both bands in the size of a current DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Gregory Alan Keck <gregakeck@...> wrote:
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1724. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-26 01:24:38 UTC
From: PY2VR
Topic: 1716 Message: 1724

Great Job, Robin.

The DVAP definitely is a great solution for all hams, specially for them that lives in apartments or antenna restrictions. In my case I can be, al ltime, with my kids and wife and the same time making QSO on DSTAR.

Thank you !!

73s
Edu PY2VR

Sent from iPad

On 25/08/2012, at 11:37, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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1725. Re: 70cm DV Access Point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-26 09:20:21 UTC
From: cybersapient
Topic: 1716 Message: 1725

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1726. DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-26 18:51:18 UTC
From: bradlcunningham
Topic: 1726 Message: 1726

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Advice?

Brad Cunningham, KL1IF
Missionary to Brazil.

1727. Re: DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-26 19:31:34 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1726 Message: 1727

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1728. Re: DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-27 04:15:42 UTC
From: bradlcunningham
Topic: 1726 Message: 1728

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1729. DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-27 15:57:57 UTC
From: Car Dealer
Topic: 1726 Message: 1729

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1730. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-27 16:14:53 UTC
From: George Jones
Topic: 1726 Message: 1730

Robin,

Another thing you can add to your todo/wish list is an Ethernet interface.
We tried the Ethernet to USB adaptors with some success but a direct
connection would be much better and open of a lot of possibilities.

BTW... Will you be at the DCC in Atlanta in September?

George W4AQR
w4aqr@...

From: "bradlcunningham" <bradlcunningham@...>
Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 12:15 AM
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on other VOIP networks?

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1731. TAPR Announces DCC (Digital Communication Conference) Technical & Introductory Sessions Schedule, Banquet Speaker/Topic and Sunday Seminar Speaker/Topic

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-27 16:22:58 UTC
From: Mark Thompson
Topic: 1731 Message: 1731
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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ARRL/TAPR DCC, Atlanta, September 21 - 23
www.tapr.org/dcc

Sheraton Gateway Hotel Atlanta Airport
 1900 Sullivan Road
 Atlanta, GA 30337

Technical / Introductory Sessions Schedule
http://www.tapr.org/pdf/DCC_2012_Schedule.pdf

Technical Sessions
Friday - Saturday

Introductory Sessions
Saturday

Saturday Night Banquet Speaker & Topic
http://www.tapr.org/dcc#banquet

DCC Saturday Night Banquet Speaker
will be Bdale Garbee, KB0G
talking about the "Sharing the Joy of Making"

Sunday Morning Seminar Speaker & Topic
http://www.tapr.org/dcc#seminar

DCC Sunday Morning Seminar will be a hands-on tutorial
using Gnuradio  to design and implement software defined radios on your laptop
presented by Tom Rondeau, KB3UKZ, the leader of the Gnuradio project.
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1732. Re: DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-27 21:43:39 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1726 Message: 1732

Hi George. We have considered an ethernet interface but put that on hold given the ease with which you can connect to a Raspberry Pi or Beaglebone.

Both Moe and I will be at the DCC. Moe is giving a talk on the creation of the DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1733. Re: DVAP on other VOIP networks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-28 16:16:34 UTC
From: Frank
Topic: 1726 Message: 1733

Hi Robin,

I second the Motion. I frequently travel in a motorhome and find myself in areas with internet or 3G, but, no IRLP repeaters. IRLP capability with the DVAPDongle would be a terrific asset.

73, Frank KR1ZAN
Garland, TX

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1734. Problems with DVAPUpdater v1.05

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-31 02:33:53 UTC
From: David_L_Merchant
Topic: 1734 Message: 1734

Hello All - I have a DVAP that I purchased about 2-years ago. I decided that I should try to update the firmware, so I downloaded DVAPUpdater v1.05. When I click on Read DVAP Info, it says opening COM5, then finished reading radio data. However, it never displays anything beyond that. I get a feeling that a pop-up window or something should appear?

Then, if I click on Update DVAP Firmware, it says opening COM5 indefinitely. The Green and Yellow LED's on the DVAP alternate back and forth, and the blue LED flickers. However, that also happens indefinably.

I'm running a modern PC (Core i7 with 8GB of RAM, and Win 7 Ultimate. Any thoughts?

1735. DVAPTool 1.03 issues on Linux Mint 13 KDE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-31 04:42:03 UTC
From: ad4sb_shawn
Topic: 1735 Message: 1735

Hello everyone.

This may have been answered already, but I did not find it in my searches.

I just upgraded my Linux Mint install for 12 to 13. I have been running DVAPTool with no problems on 12 for quite a while, but now on 13, not so much. The windows opens up without any problems, but I get "Opening device /dev/ttyUSB0" on the lower left and it never goes away.

I am not sure what the problems is, could some lend a helping hand?

73,
Shawn
AD4SB

1736. Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-31 14:37:13 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 1656 Message: 1736

Dear all,

sorry, but I recently joined this group and I have the same problem.
Could someone perhaps, who knows the problem and solution, load this up in the files section? this would avoid that people are frequently asking the same question and would be at least very very helpfull.
Thank you for your time for the one who is making this issue clear to everyone.

73s Tony ON4TVT

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1737. Gateway Unknown & Check Internet Connection ISSUE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-08-31 14:43:12 UTC
From: triptoneradio
Topic: 1737 Message: 1737

I get this message on all but one computer. I've tried two PCs and two MACs. It works on one. I am connected to the internet and I have no firewalls in place.

Do you have any insight into why I can't connect beyond this message. More importantly, how to fix the issue?

Lastly, I've tried reinstalling.

73s.
KD0STH

1738. Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 10:28:29 UTC
From: ka1mzy
Topic: 1738 Message: 1738

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Is anyone aware of any damage like this being consistent with the 2m DVAP? I don't want to toss 250$ down the toilet if it wont be repaired under warranty. It says in the instruction manual that an external antenna is OK.

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Thanks, I did not find anything in here that specifically addressed this question.

JP

1739. Re: Gateway Unknown & Check Internet Connection ISSUE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 10:40:14 UTC
From: ka1mzy
Topic: 1737 Message: 1739

Windows has a firewall built in. Is that off too?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "triptoneradio" <christian@...> wrote:
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1740. Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 12:47:45 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1656 Message: 1740

Hi Tony. Given that this has been discussed here before, a search of the group should find the answer. Message 1646 has the announcement for 1.03 (along with instructions for what to do if you get the missing library issue). Also, step 9 under "Installation" at http://www.dvapdongle.com covers the issue.

Rather than making you look elsewhere, here's the answer:

Install the Apple Bonjour services. Go to http://www.dvapdongle.com and click on Downloads. The last item is "Bonjour installer for Windows". Click there and follow the instructions.

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1741. Re: Gateway Unknown & Check Internet Connection ISSUE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 12:54:25 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1737 Message: 1741

Hi Christian.

As others have mentioned, you may have an antivirus/firewall program that blocks the communication with the DVAP. Check to see if there is a place to create an exception for DVAPTool in your antivirus/firewall program.

In a few rare instances, the DSL/cable modem/router is actually blocking communications. Try power cycling your modem/router to see if that makes a difference.

Let us know how you get along.

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1742. Re: Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 13:01:53 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1738 Message: 1742

Hi JP. Could you point out the place in the instruction manual where it says that an external antenna is OK? I looked but could not find it.

The DVAP is designed to be used with the included antenna (or another HT type antenna). Placing it on an external antenna is done at your own risk. This is not a problem for most. Some have taken near lightning hits that caused damage to their DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1743. RE: [DVAPDongle] Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 13:01:31 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1738 Message: 1743
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Anything attached to an outside antenna can become damaged if the antenna is subjected to a lightning strike or a strike near enough to collect sufficient EMP from the lightning strike. And it doesn't have to be an antenna. I've lost more than one TV because sufficient voltage/amperage came in on the cable TV coax or phone line from a strike on a power pole down the road.

The DVAP user you talked to probably doesn't really know WHY their DVAP stopped working and just postulates that it had something to do with his outside antenna. It may be that he had a DVAP with a weak chip that stopped working after a few months. There could be several possible explanations. I use my DVAP with external antennas often and have never had a problem.

An electronic engineer friend of mine once told me that the EMP from a lightning strike is both different and worse than the EMP expected from a nuclear detonation. Even unplugging your radios/TVs from power and antenna won't protect them completely from EMP. I once unplugged a console TV from both power and cable connection when we went on vacation, only to return to find the TV dead. A neighbor told me that lightning struck a power pole a block from the house.

Using an external antenna is OK per the manual, but are any of your radios covered under warranty for lightning damage? I don't think so. If your DVAP is damaged due to lightning nearby, I would think that would be covered under your equipment insurance policy (if you have one) or your homeowner's policy. My homeowner's policy repaired or replaced everything that was damaged when lightning hit my house several years ago - less my deductible, of course.

73 de Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka1mzy
Sent: Sunday, September 02, 2012 6:28 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 13:29:14 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1738 Message: 1744
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I stand corrected - I should have said in the fourth paragraph (since I didn't look), "if using an external antenna is OK per the manual.."

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1745. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 19:43:11 UTC
From: George Jones
Topic: 1738 Message: 1745

For some time now I have run a DVAP on an external antenna but I have taken all of the normal precautions like installing a polyphaser with DC blocking in the antenna line. Even if the thing gets hit I would not expect to get a replacement under warranty since I am using it in a fashion not originally intended.

Just for information... I live in the lightning capital of the US and I run a full stack D-STAR repeater system. A couple of years ago I took a direct hit on my repeater system and suffered all of the cost for repairs myself. Icom charged me $450.00 to repair the RP2C controller.

All I can say is ARRL insurance is your best bet!

George W4AQR
w4aqr@...

From: "ka1mzy" <ka1mzy@...>
Sent: Sunday, September 02, 2012 6:28 AM
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

> I had a QSO with a DVAP user who advised that he had an external antenna
> connected to it and after a couple of months, a chip in the DVAP quit
> working. He stated it was something to do with static from the antenna
> system and that this may not be covered under warranty.
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> Is anyone aware of any damage like this being consistent with the 2m DVAP?
> I don't want to toss 250$ down the toilet if it wont be repaired under
> warranty. It says in the instruction manual that an external antenna is
> OK.
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> I've had a Diamond X300 attached to my DVAP for several months without any
> problems and it provides WAY more coverage than I thought it would however
> I don't want to damage it.
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> Thanks, I did not find anything in here that specifically addressed this
> question.
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1746. Re: Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 20:23:56 UTC
From: ka1mzy
Topic: 1738 Message: 1746

http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTechReference_101.pdf

Page 6.

I'm aware of lightning damage, but the person I spoke to said just the antenna connection caused the damage to one of the circuits in the unit itself.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi JP. Could you point out the place in the instruction manual where it says that an external antenna is OK? I looked but could not find it.
>
> The DVAP is designed to be used with the included antenna (or another HT type antenna). Placing it on an external antenna is done at your own risk. This is not a problem for most. Some have taken near lightning hits that caused damage to their DVAP.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ka1mzy" <ka1mzy@> wrote:
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> > JP
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1747. Re: Can the DVAP be damaged with external Antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-02 20:28:22 UTC
From: ka1mzy
Topic: 1738 Message: 1747

Well, he said the MFG told him it was because of the antenna itself, causing a static buildup on the DVAP. So I'm not sure if it was lightning related or moisture or what, but he told me the MFG was changing the instruction manual to specifically state no-external-antennas should be used.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tim Hardy AF1G" <hardyt@...> wrote:
>
> Anything attached to an outside antenna can become damaged if the antenna is
> subjected to a lightning strike or a strike near enough to collect
> sufficient EMP from the lightning strike. And it doesn't have to be an
> antenna. I've lost more than one TV because sufficient voltage/amperage
> came in on the cable TV coax or phone line from a strike on a power pole
> down the road.
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>
> The DVAP user you talked to probably doesn't really know WHY their DVAP
> stopped working and just postulates that it had something to do with his
> outside antenna. It may be that he had a DVAP with a weak chip that stopped
> working after a few months. There could be several possible explanations.
> I use my DVAP with external antennas often and have never had a problem.
>
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>
> An electronic engineer friend of mine once told me that the EMP from a
> lightning strike is both different and worse than the EMP expected from a
> nuclear detonation. Even unplugging your radios/TVs from power and antenna
> won't protect them completely from EMP. I once unplugged a console TV from
> both power and cable connection when we went on vacation, only to return to
> find the TV dead. A neighbor told me that lightning struck a power pole a
> block from the house.
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>
> Using an external antenna is OK per the manual, but are any of your radios
> covered under warranty for lightning damage? I don't think so. If your
> DVAP is damaged due to lightning nearby, I would think that would be covered
> under your equipment insurance policy (if you have one) or your homeowner's
> policy. My homeowner's policy repaired or replaced everything that was
> damaged when lightning hit my house several years ago - less my deductible,
> of course.
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> 73 de Tim, AF1G

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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of ka1mzy
> Sent: Sunday, September 02, 2012 6:28 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> don't want to damage it.
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> Thanks, I did not find anything in here that specifically addressed this
> question.
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> JP
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> No virus found in this message.
> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
> Version: 2012.0.2197 / Virus Database: 2437/5240 - Release Date: 09/01/12
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1748. DVAP range

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-03 20:47:01 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1748 Message: 1748

I have been successfully been using the DVAP about 5 months.
I have been able to use it at a fair distance from my shack area, several hundred yards.
Most of the time I am using it in the shack .Now with no change, if I get out of the room where it is located I get heave r2d2. Changed antennas and computers and made no difference. The 92ad works fine as I tried it with my hotspot.
Any ideas??

Rich W0RWC

1749. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP range

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-04 01:14:00 UTC
From: pastormg2@verizon.net
Topic: 1748 Message: 1749

Did you change your internet connection? Mark kb3z

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4GLTE Phone

-----Original message-----
From: richardc <rwcan42@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, Sep 3, 2012 20:47:01 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP range

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Any ideas??

Rich W0RWC

1750. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP range

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-04 13:28:57 UTC
From: Foster W. Nye
Topic: 1748 Message: 1750

Hi, Have You checked the power output setting?? Foster w1cgt

From: richardc <rwcan42@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, September 3, 2012 4:47 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP range

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Any ideas??

Rich W0RWC

1751. Re: DVAP range

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-04 14:07:05 UTC
From: James
Topic: 1748 Message: 1751

Hello Rich,

What frequency are you using? Did you try another frequency? Do you know your typical signal strength coming from the DVAP? Did it change?
When you were testing with Mark yesterday, it appears that the DVAP is hearing you fine, but not the other way.

James. N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@...> wrote:
>
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> Any ideas??
>
> Rich W0RWC
>

1752. Re: DVAP range

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-04 20:21:27 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1748 Message: 1752

Have been working with Mark, at HRO, Atlanta, Georgia on this problem. He solved the issue. The last thing we tried was changing the DVAP frequency and that fixed it. Don't know why, but he had similar problem a few years ago and that worked. Thanks again Mark.

Rich W0RWC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "richardc" <rwcan42@...> wrote:
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> I have been able to use it at a fair distance from my shack area, several hundred yards. Most of the time I am using it in the shack .Now with no change, if I get out of the room where it is located I get heave r2d2. Changed antennas and computers and made no difference. The 92ad works fine as I tried it with my hotspot.
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>
> Rich W0RWC
>

1753. Re: DVAP Tools 1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-05 19:54:54 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 1656 Message: 1753

Hi Robin,

thank you so much. It works. this is clear, reliable, direct information.
73s Tony ON4TVT

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Tony. Given that this has been discussed here before, a search of the group should find the answer. Message 1646 has the announcement for 1.03 (along with instructions for what to do if you get the missing library issue). Also, step 9 under "Installation" at http://www.dvapdongle.com covers the issue.
>
> Rather than making you look elsewhere, here's the answer:
>
> Install the Apple Bonjour services. Go to http://www.dvapdongle.com and click on Downloads. The last item is "Bonjour installer for Windows". Click there and follow the instructions.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Tony" <on4tvt@> wrote:
> >
> > Dear all,
> >
> > sorry, but I recently joined this group and I have the same problem.
> > Could someone perhaps, who knows the problem and solution, load this up in the files section? this would avoid that people are frequently asking the same question and would be at least very very helpfull.
> > Thank you for your time for the one who is making this issue clear to everyone.
> >
> > 73s Tony ON4TVT
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@...m, Gregory Alan Keck <gregakeck@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Thanks for the quick response. You should know that HAMs do not read instructions. I followed them and everything works great.
> > >
> > > Thanks
> > >
> > > 73
> > > Greg
> > > KE4GAK

> > >
> > > On Jul 21, 2012, at 6:17 PM, aa4rc wrote:
> > >
> > > > Folks, PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS! This is covered in the INSTRUCTIONS.
> > > >
> > > > Greg, you are not alone. This is the third email where the instructions were not followed. Sorry to make you the sacrificial lamb. :)
> > > >
> > > > 73,
> > > > Robin
> > > > AA4RC
> > > >
> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Greg" <gregakeck@> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > i'm trying to install DVAP Tools 1.03 on my Windows 7 laptop but it won't run and I get a "can't find DNSSD.DLL error" I can still run DVAP Tools 1.02. Any ideas - I hate Windows.
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1754. Two simultaneous users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-05 23:39:30 UTC
From: BARBARA AUBREY
Topic: 1754 Message: 1754

I have a two part question:

1) If you access a local repeater by RF and somebody else is using it (like a Conventional Double) what happens?

2) If you access a local repeater by DVAP or Dongle and somebody else is using it (like a Conventional Double) what happens?

Regards, KG4ARS

1755. Re: Two simultaneous users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-06 13:20:06 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1754 Message: 1755

For two RF keyers, you will hear "R2D2" digital noise coming out of the repeater.

For network streams like the DV Dongle or DVAP or linked gateway/reflector, it is "first come, first served". The second keyer is ignored (until the first unkeys).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, BARBARA AUBREY <aubreybarbara@...> wrote:
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>
> 2) If you access a local repeater by DVAP or Dongle and somebody else is using
> it (like a Conventional Double) what happens?
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> Regards, KG4ARS
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1756. New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-07 09:04:43 UTC
From: Terry
Topic: 569 Message: 1756

I followed the instruction to assign an "A" after my call sign, but the local D-STAR groups believes that can't be correct. Anyway, I have the DVAP setup with my call as W6LMJ A.

I have the 880 and the 80 and am now wondering if I can call my home computer from else where. Or do I need the Dongle to turn the home computer into a D STAR station that I can call?

My wife, W5HKY might be talked into using it if answering a D STAR call from me was drop dead simple. The problem is, nothing in the D STAR world seems to be simple.

I maintain a club station, N4OLT, and it is now also the home of K4WPB - the D STAR repeater in West Palm Beach, Florida.

Terry - W6LMJ
N4OLT Trustee
Site provider for K4WPB

1757. Multiple dvaps on same laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-07 12:50:50 UTC
From: tparty2k
Topic: 1757 Message: 1757

Is there a way to run 2 dvaps at the same time on the same computer?

Terry
W5TMP

1758. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-07 12:57:28 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 569 Message: 1758

Hi Terry. DVAPTool "links" into gateways and reflectors. You cannot currently make a directed call with it. You could connect to a gateway or reflector and listen for a call from another station.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Terry" <tredding@...> wrote:
>
> I followed the instruction to assign an "A" after my call sign, but the local D-STAR groups believes that can't be correct. Anyway, I have the DVAP setup with my call as W6LMJ A.
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> N4OLT Trustee
> Site provider for K4WPB
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1759. RE: [DVAPDongle] Multiple dvaps on same laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-07 14:12:23 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 1757 Message: 1759

YES! Using the DVAP soft ware that's on the DVAP web site, you can run as many DVAPS as there are USB ports on your computer. I've run up to three at a time with no trouble at all, which as you can imagine is a wonderful thing. Just separate the DVAPS from each other so they don't interfere with each other.

73's de Donald ~ N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of tparty2k
Sent: Friday, September 07, 2012 8:51 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Multiple dvaps on same laptop

Is there a way to run 2 dvaps at the same time on the same computer?

Terry
W5TMP

1760. Re: Multiple dvaps on same laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-07 14:23:12 UTC
From: kb1ykj
Topic: 1757 Message: 1760

Ive never tried it but if since the hardware would connect on 2 different ports I would think so. You need to different install folders of the software. Ex DVtools1 DVtools2. The most obvious thing is they are on different frequencies as well.

1761. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-07 15:17:43 UTC
From: James
Topic: 569 Message: 1761

Hi Terry,

You should not use "W6LMJ A" (2 spaces between the J&A) unless you add another terminal address that is "W6LMJ A" to your registration page at W4AES gateway. You presently only have "W6LMJ ".

73,
James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> > Terry - W6LMJ
> > N4OLT Trustee
> > Site provider for K4WPB
> >
>

1762. Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-12 23:16:56 UTC
From: kf4ixa
Topic: 1762 Message: 1762

Hello All,

I had an issue today trying to connect to a repeater with my DVAP. When I keyed up using the link command, I got the prompt "Remote System Unlinked". I was not linked to any node at the time. This has happened every time that I tried to connect today. I could get into other repeaters just fine.

Checking the status page for the repeater, I could see that it was connected to a reflector. Is this why I got the aforementioned prompt? I did double check my programming and everything was the way it should be.

Thanks in advance!

Eric / KF4IXA

1763. Re: [DVAPDongle] Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 13:37:00 UTC
From: Scott
Topic: 1762 Message: 1763

Have you ever connected to that repeater before? I believe the can set rules so dvap can't connect directly. Sometimes they do this so people will use the reflector instead of the repeater so save bandwidth. Maybe contact the repeater operator to see if such a rule is in place.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 12, 2012, at 7:16 PM, "kf4ixa" <kf4ixa@...> wrote:

> Hello All,
>
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>
> Thanks in advance!
>
> Eric / KF4IXA
>
>

1764. Re: Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 13:52:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1762 Message: 1764

Hi Eric. Some repeaters have less than perfect internet connections. When you have a problem like this, try connecting to a reflector to make sure your network connection is working well.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kf4ixa" <kf4ixa@...> wrote:
>
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>
> Thanks in advance!
>
> Eric / KF4IXA
>

1765. Re: [DVAPDongle] Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 13:51:52 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1762 Message: 1765

What repeater might that be?

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: kf4ixa
Sent: Sep 12, 2012 4:16 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Cannot connect to repeater

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Thanks in advance!

Eric / KF4IXA

1766. Re: [DVAPDongle] Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 15:32:59 UTC
From: KF4IXA
Topic: 1762 Message: 1766

I have connected before so I don't know what the problem is. It's the WD4WDW repeater in Orlando that is actually at Walt Disney World.

The repeater was connected to Reflector 30C, so I connected to the reflector myself without any problems.

I tried to connect today and the response was "Gateway Unknown". I will email the repeater admin and see what the issue is.

Eric
KF4IXA

1767. Re: Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 20:50:55 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1762 Message: 1767

Hi Eric. WD4WDW is currently misconfigured. Their port forwarding/firewall config is not passing new connection requests in.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, KF4IXA <kf4ixa@...> wrote:
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> Eric
> KF4IXA
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1768. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 20:56:25 UTC
From: KF4IXA
Topic: 1762 Message: 1768

Well, I guess that explains it. :-)

Thanks for the info Robin!

On Thu, Sep 13, 2012 at 4:50 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> **
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>
> Hi Eric. WD4WDW is currently misconfigured. Their port forwarding/firewall
> config is not passing new connection requests in.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> > Eric
> > KF4IXA
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1769. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Cannot connect to repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-13 21:30:53 UTC
From: don
Topic: 1762 Message: 1769

Thanks Robin its nice to have a Real answer

We couldn't tell from here

Hi Eric. WD4WDW is currently misconfigured. Their port forwarding/firewall
config is not passing new connection requests in.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1770. Meet DVAPDongle Inventor Robin Cutshaw AA4RC - HamRadioNow Episode 20

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-14 17:06:29 UTC
From: kn4aq
Topic: 1770 Message: 1770

HAMRADIONOW EPISODE 20:
DVAPDongle Inventor Robin Cutshaw AA4RC is Online Now

<http://hamradionow.tv/> To say that Robin Cutshaw AA4RC is a D-STAR 'early adopter' is an understatement. He saw a lot of unrealized potential, so he tore D-STAR apart to figure out how he could make it work better. The result: software that contained utilities like Echo and Repeater ID, then hardware like the DVDongle and DVAP. Next, he added repeater linking and reflectors to D-Plus. I think it's safe to say that every D-STAR users has been affected by what Robin has created.

In this episode recorded at the Huntsville Hamfest, I have a nearly hour-long conversation with Robin on how he got started, and what his stuff does.

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1771. DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-15 19:07:06 UTC
From: dj_dustz03
Topic: 1771 Message: 1771

I'm trying to get my DVAP to run on Ubuntu 12.04. But, after installing and opening the DVAP tool, I receive the no dongle detected error. I have uninstalled the brltty package. Any ideas? (I'm am not very familiar with Linux)

1772. Re: DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-16 14:50:28 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1771 Message: 1772

Hi (didn't get your name).

Try running it as root. That will tell you if it is a permission issue.

Open a terminal window, cd to the dvaptool folder, and run "sudo DVAPTool".

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1773. Re: DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-16 16:07:29 UTC
From: Greg
Topic: 1771 Message: 1773

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1774. Re: DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-16 17:39:58 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1771 Message: 1774

Hi Greg. The Linux command equivalent to "dir" on DOS to look at files is "ls".

By default, your current directory is not in the search path for commands. You'll need to use "./DVAPTool" rather than "DVAPTool". To run it as root, run "sudo ./DVAPTool".

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Robin
AA4RC

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1775. Re: DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-17 13:59:49 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 1771 Message: 1775

Default permissions on the device prevent any user other than root from talking to it.

Try (as root) "chmod 666 /dev/ttyUSB0" and that should make it available to DVAPTool.

If that works, put that command in /etc/rc.local so it executes on boot.

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

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1776. Re: DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-17 21:28:54 UTC
From: dj_dustz03
Topic: 1771 Message: 1776

I ran the sudo ./DVAPTool command and it opens the application(and now displays device), but it says "Unable to query DVAP Dongle device" when I try to open /dev/ttyUSB0.?.

Thanks,
Dustin
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1777. DVAP on Android?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-19 13:30:12 UTC
From: KF4IXA
Topic: 1777 Message: 1777

This question is directed to Robin (AA4RC).

I watched the interview on Ham Radio Now (great interview). Robin, you mentioned something about developing a method for connecting a DVAP to an Android phone (and possibly to iOS too) in the Ham Radio Now interview. Is this getting closer to a reality? If so, is there a time frame to availability? This means I will have to get a new Android phone... :-)

Thanks in advance!

--
Eric Gissendaner
KF4IXA

1778. Re: DVAP on Android?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-19 15:13:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1777 Message: 1778

Hi Eric. I'm actively working on the Android software. This will probably be a paid program and sold through the Google Play store. It will require Android 4.0 (ICS) or later.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> KF4IXA
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1779. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Android?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-19 15:56:08 UTC
From: Eric Gissendaner
Topic: 1777 Message: 1779
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

[Attachment content not displayed]

1780. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Android?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-19 18:07:34 UTC
From: don
Topic: 1777 Message: 1780

Eric that would be so cool

[Don Weber]

Any body think of a scanning software or a

graphic which shows which reflector has the most traffic in last hour ??
ie bar graph

or a user define to watch 30 defined d-star repeaters or severs and
show minuets of traffic on them ??

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1781. HELP ! Instalation help windows 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-20 18:08:18 UTC
From: chuckn4ued
Topic: 1781 Message: 1781

I tryed using version 1.03 , however the same dll file was missing . I installed ver. 1.02 . All I see is start stop a green light like an led abt a 1/8 across . I see App 1.05 Boot 1.03 AP041957 .

Ijust got this and am radio to send it back to hro . I do not understand how to install this on windows 7 . Any help would be great . Thank you Chuck N4UED

1782. For Sale !

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-21 01:32:36 UTC
From: kb2huk
Topic: 1782 Message: 1782

Like new Icom 92AD Handheld dual band full Dstar radio . With the GPS speaker microphone,programing software,drop in charger ,battery eliminator for car And DVDongle . Looks great and works great The DVDongle is brand new and has never been used .$580 + shipping Thanks John Molenda kb2huk

1783. sold

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-21 02:15:02 UTC
From: kb2huk
Topic: 1783 Message: 1783

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1784. Re: HELP ! Instalation help windows 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-21 03:27:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1781 Message: 1784

Hi Chuck. Please follow step 9 of the installation instructions.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "chuckn4ued" <n4ued@...> wrote:
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1785. Re: [DVAPDongle] HELP ! Instalation help windows 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-21 17:48:36 UTC
From: Kelvin Clarke
Topic: 1781 Message: 1785

Hi Chuck,
you may need to manually install the drivers, they can be
found at http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm

however if you have a pulsing green light that normally signifies that it
is running correctly. As soon as I plugged mine into both pc and laptop it
found it, recognised the dongle and installed it.

Kelvin MW6WLB

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1786. Reflector/Repeater Status (•••••••I) o n the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-22 15:37:34 UTC
From: KF4IXA
Topic: 1786 Message: 1786

Hello All,

When using the "Your Call" of (•••••••I), and get a response on the DVAP, does the transmission get rebroadcast on the repeater or reflector I am connected to?

Thanks

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Eric Gissendaner
KF4IXA

1787. Fwd: Reflector/Repeater Status (•••••• •I) on the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-22 18:46:52 UTC
From: KF4IXA
Topic: 1786 Message: 1787

Ok, never mind, I found my answer in the most obvious place...the online user guide. *DUH*

73 to all
--
Eric Gissendaner
KF4IXA

---------- Forwarded message ----------
From: KF4IXA <kf4ixa@...>
Date: Sat, Sep 22, 2012 at 11:37 AM
Subject: Reflector/Repeater Status (•••••••I) on the DVAP
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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1788. feature suggestions for Robin re, DVAPTools (mabey in a feuture update?)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-29 03:52:38 UTC
From: n9nra
Topic: 1788 Message: 1788

Hi there from N9NRA, i was just chatting with some folks on REF010C about the DVAPTools software, and i got to thinking again about a couple of feature ideas that i had in my head for a while, here they are,

1. Remote opening and closing of the DVAP via the RF side by DTMF. Example, user enters "xxxx (where the string xxxx is a user created passcode)12341, and to close the DVAP he enters "xxxx12340", this would be something that would be nice, not to mention convienient too.

2. Add the abaility to have a list of calls that can access a single DVAP, kinda like back in the days of packet, you could limit who could access a certain BBS to a list of callsigns, same here, instead of just the one user, a list could be created so, let`s say, you and your friends (or family) could also use the DVAP.

Just a couple of ideas i had, thoughts? 73. N9NRA, Andy

1789. DVAP Often Not Found On Start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-29 16:06:59 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1789 Message: 1789

Hi -- I am using an Intel iMac with the latest OS and the latest DVAP Tool. However, I have had this problem with previous OSX systems as well. What happens is that I will start up DVAP Tool and not see the drivers in an empty pulldown list and I get the DVAP Dongle not found dialog box. Ordinarily if I just leave it alone and come back in ten minutes the drivers are "there:" and the Dongle begins to work just fine. Yesterday, though, I could not start the Dongle at all. I tried plugging in and replugging the usb to no avail (the green light is always slowly flashing as it should be). Restarted the computer, etc. But this time it just would not show up even after waiting a half an hour. I then reinstalled the drivers and the app. I restarted it all and I was back to it not showing up at the beginning of startup but appearing a few minutes later.
Is this normal behavior? If not, are there any troubleshooting things that come to mind? Ideally I would want this DAVP Tool to work as a startup file on the iMac without having to attend to whether or not the drivers are loaded and the device is seen. Any ideas for me? Is anyone else with a Mac experiencing this?

1790. Re: feature suggestions for Robin re, DVAPTools (mabey in a feuture update?)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-09-29 21:52:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1788 Message: 1790

Hi Andy. I don't quite understand #1. You cannot send an RF command to DVAPTool until the device is open. Maybe you mean "opening" in some other way?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n9nra" <amitze@...> wrote:
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1791. NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-02 23:10:59 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 1791 Message: 1791

I am in the process of setting up a new 70cm DVAP. Software is installed and call sign is set. What I am not seeing is a suggested 70cm frequency or frequency range to use with the 70cm DVAP. I have attempted to enter a handful of frequencies and I get an invalid frequency error.

Not sure how many people have one of these new DVAPs. Perhaps I am one of the first. Anyone have one up an running yet?

Mark
WB5SLA

1792. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 02:05:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1791 Message: 1792

Hi Mark. The 70cm DVAP will work from 421 to 450 MHz. Remember to enter the frequency in Hz.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mark" <markn@...> wrote:
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1793. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 03:29:34 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 1791 Message: 1793

Okay, thanks. I was entering it in MHz.

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Mark
WB5SLA

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1794. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 09:23:45 UTC
From: John Dawes
Topic: 1791 Message: 1794

Hello Robin
No question - you have just answered it about the frequencies. Just want to say I am looking forward to my DVAP (70cm) and it is coming from HRO (posted today).

73 and thanks

John Dawes
VK5BJE

--- On Wed, 3/10/12, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@interlabs.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Received: Wednesday, 3 October, 2012, 2:05 AM

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1795. NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 11:52:54 UTC
From: Victor Johnson
Topic: 1791 Message: 1795

Our 440 DVAP came up with 435.500 which works.

Vic K4GXV & Sally KD4UUN

1796. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 13:53:54 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1791 Message: 1796

There is no "standard frequency" for DVAPs or other hotspots, Echolink nodes, etc.

Find an unused frequency in your particular area that is not in the satellite bands and enjoy the new toy.

I have a 2M DVAP and use a splinter frequency between the simplex frequencies.

Tim, AF1G

---- aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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1797. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 19:20:59 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1791 Message: 1797

Hi Vic & Sally. That is the frequency that shows up if you have never run DVAPTool before.

Some folks have a 2M DVAP and now have a 70cm DVAP. DVAPTool saves the frequency that you last operated. If you swap in the "other" frequency DVAP, that saved frequency will show up as invalid.

Folks that have both 2M and 70cm will need to type in the frequency each time they swap.

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1798. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-03 22:13:14 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 1791 Message: 1798

When I bring up the software and try to put in the new 440 freq the software says invalid freq.Now any freq I put in I get the same message. Any help would be appreciated.Is there a step I'm missing?

Jim

--- In DVAPDongle@yaho Is there a step.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1799. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 13:31:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1791 Message: 1799

Hi Jim. The frequency is in Hz with no dots or commas (so 9 digits). Let us know how it goes.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1800. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 13:54:30 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 1791 Message: 1800

Thanks Robin, I did get it to work. I was putting a decimal point in at first but discovered the error of my ways. I did notice that not all freqs will be accepted. I was try to use 438.18575 but wound up using a freq of 441.35.

Thanks,

Jim

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, October 4, 2012 9:31 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

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1801. Getting "Receive Only" just on a single reflector -- why?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 14:06:00 UTC
From: ajinlola
Topic: 1801 Message: 1801

Greetings all. I began operating via a new 440 DVAP yesterday after being a D-STAR registered user for about six weeks. I'm thrilled with the DVAP (thanks, Robin!), but for some reason whenever I connect to any module on Reflector 023, I find myself in receive-only mode. This doesn't happen on any other reflector that I've tried, and I connect normally when going through my local repeater (W5GAD).

Any insight would be appreciated.

Regards from New Orleans,

Andy N4ADL

1802. 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 14:25:52 UTC
From: billroeding
Topic: 1802 Message: 1802

I am getting ready to setup my Dvap, I know I have to set the frequency between 144.1-148.0 MHz is there an easy way to determine an unused frequencies in my area or used frequencies. I know there are several websites showing what is being used, but was looking for something more definitive.

Also does anyone have a file for importing to the Icom 92AD with all of the Dvap commands?

Like what is shown here
http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/FAQ_files/DVAP-RS92-prog-left.jpg

Thanks,

Bill
W4BRZ

1803. NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 14:39:00 UTC
From: Car Dealer
Topic: 1791 Message: 1803

I opened the DVAPTool.exe that I used to use on 2m on the desktop... entered 439025000 in the box, and it keeps saying "invalid frequency"
DVAPTool version 1.02
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=W2PW
DVDevice=COM8
Frequency=
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: Windows XP
FTDI serial device on VCP port
FTDI serial device COM8 valid
Callsign set to W2PW
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (W2PW)
invalid frequency 439025000

--- On Thu, 10/4/12, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Digest Number 474
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Thursday, October 4, 2012, 4:38 AM
> There are 5 messages in this issue.
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> Topics in this digest:
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> 1a. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
> From: Mark
> 1b. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
> From: John Dawes
> 1c. NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
> From: Victor Johnson
> 1d. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
> From: Tim Hardy AF1G
> 1e. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
> From: aa4rc
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> Messages
> _____
> 1a. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
> Posted by: "Mark" markn@...
> markn455
> Date: Wed Oct 3, 2012 12:17 pm ((PDT))

>
> Okay, thanks. I was entering it in MHz.
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> 73,
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> Mark
> WB5SLA
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com,
> "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
> >
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> MHz. Remember to enter the frequency in Hz.
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> "Mark" <markn@> wrote:
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> 1b. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
>   Posted by: "John Dawes" dawes.john@...
> dawes.john@...
>   Date: Wed Oct 3, 2012 12:17 pm ((PDT))

>
> Hello Robin
> No question - you have just answered it about the
> frequencies. Just want to say I am looking forward to my
> DVAP (70cm) and it is coming from HRO (posted today).
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> 73 and thanks
>
> John Dawes
> VK5BJE
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> --- On Wed, 3/10/12, aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
> wrote:
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> From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested
> Frequency
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Received: Wednesday, 3 October, 2012, 2:05 AM
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> 1c. NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
>   Posted by: "Victor Johnson" vixsal@comcast.net
> riggervic
>   Date: Wed Oct 3, 2012 12:17 pm ((PDT))
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> Our 440 DVAP came up with 435.500 which works.
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> 1d. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
>   Posted by: "Tim Hardy AF1G" hardyt@...
> af1g_tim
>   Date: Wed Oct 3, 2012 12:17 pm ((PDT))
>
> There is no "standard frequency" for DVAPs or other
> hotspots, Echolink nodes, etc.
>
> Find an unused frequency in your particular area that is not
> in the satellite bands and enjoy the new toy.
>
> I have a 2M DVAP and use a splinter frequency between the
> simplex frequencies.
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> Tim, AF1G
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> ---- aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
> wrote:

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> 1e. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency
>   Posted by: "aa4rc" aa4rc@...
> aa4rc
>   Date: Wed Oct 3, 2012 12:21 pm ((PDT))
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> Hi Vic & Sally. That is the frequency that shows
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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> DVAPDongle-fullfeatured@yahoogroups.com
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1804. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 14:42:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1791 Message: 1804

Could you try the latest version, 1.03? Be sure to install the Bonjour component as listed in step 9 of the installation instructions.

Let us know.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> FTDI serial device COM8 valid
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1805. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 14:44:38 UTC
From: cardealers
Topic: 1791 Message: 1805

Wow, this is odd...

439025000 did not work, but several choices above 440 did:

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Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (W2PW)
invalid frequency 439025000
Frequency set to 441000000
new frequency (441000000)
invalid frequency 439025000
Frequency set to 446050000
new frequency (446050000)
Opening DVAP device COM8
Opened device COM8
Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Device serial number (AP700060)
Device boot firmware version (1.09)
Device app firmware version (1.06)
Device transmit frequency range (421000000 - 450000000)
Device receive frequency (446050000)
Device transmit frequency (446050000)
Finished reading from name server
Device modulation mode (GMSK)
Ascp device started
DStar name server text message received ->A new version of
.
Please check http://www.dvapdongle.com/ for the latest.
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1806. DVAP Frequency choices and DVAP Utility Program

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 15:45:03 UTC
From: moe_wheatley
Topic: 1806 Message: 1806

Here's a simple open source utility that may be of use for selecting an operating frequency. It implements a poor man's spectrum analyzer using the DVAP. It will show any activity as well as any internal spurs or local noise that you will want to avoid.

It is an Windows only program and there is no help file but just click connect, start and play around with it.
Don't mess with the frequency calibration value unless you have an accurate frequency counter or at least write down the value so you can get it back to the factory setting.

http://sourceforge.net/projects/dvaputil/files/

Consult any band plans when choosing a frequency so you don't interfere, especially the weak signal mode sections. The DVAP may not be strong enough to interfere but the HT or mobile rig you are using can.

http://www.arrl.org/band-plan-1

moe,ae4jy

1807. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 16:39:15 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1802 Message: 1807

Bill,

The only real way to determine if a frequency is unused in your area is to monitor it for a period of time. I have discovered a few freqs that small groups of hams (sometimes as few as two) use for local chit-chat, so I've avoided those.

You also want to avoid operating in any of the weak signal and satellite segments, as well as in the SSB segment.

I use a splinter frequency inbetween two of the common simplex channels, 146.460 and 146.490. Thus my DVAP operates on 146.475. I've never heard anyone there.

Enjoy your DVAP! I've had great fun with mine since I got it a couple of years ago.

Tim, AF1G

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Thanks,

Bill
W4BRZ

1808. Re: 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 19:25:15 UTC
From: craigkv5e
Topic: 1802 Message: 1808

As a Frequency Coordinator (ducking with vigor) you can check your local band plan.

Here in Texas, I like the 145.5 to 145.8 simplex slice for DVAP on 2 meters. Usually use 145.61 and sometimes 145.670.

This is a low power usage and experimental area for TX and most other places.

On 70cm - the Society had made provisions years ago for NB digital simplex between 441.100 and 441.175. I realize that that does not work for some local options. Another area overlooked is the 439.500 to 440.000 area. Listen and make sure these no links using that 500 kHz spread. this is also a good area to put xband comms on dual band rigs (using tone of course).

Look at you local bandplans and find a slice for your DVAP.

Listen first and then select a frequency. DVAP is frequency agile so just "spin the dial" if there is an incumbent who never utilizes the frequency, but speaks up when he hears something.

BTW Robin, great job on the 70cm unit!

Craig KV5E

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1809. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 19:53:43 UTC
From: Jeff Davis
Topic: 1802 Message: 1809

The ARRL band plan for two meters includes this catch-all area:

145.50-145.80 Miscellaneous and experimental modes

http://www.arrl.org/band-plan-1

I've used this for my DVAP as well as simplex IRLP node and never
heard another peep on the band locally.

73, Jeff KE9V

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1810. 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 22:42:56 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 1802 Message: 1810

Thanks everyone for the responses. I have everything setup, but I now have a new issue I cannot figure out. I can only connect as receive only. I have registered w4brz A with the D-Star Gateway I am registered with K4CO, however when I connect up it says receive only. I first tried it with my normal call sign and that did not work either. This appears to be a common setup issue and I may just be missing something.

Thanks again,

Bill
W4BRZ

1811. 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-04 23:54:40 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 1802 Message: 1811

I believe I have the answer to my own question. It must take some time for your Call Sign to propagate through the system. I let it set and came back in an hour, and it is now working.

Bill
W4BRZ

1812. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-05 03:57:37 UTC
From: John
Topic: 1791 Message: 1812

MY new UHF DVAP (AP700012) will also not accept frequencies below 440 MHz. It initially came up on 435.5000 Mhz, and it worked there; but that frequency is in the middle of the SAT band so I did not want to use it. It will also accept a frequency of 450.0000 MHz which would put part of the signal outside the amateur band.

I am running DVAPTool v1.03

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1813. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-05 15:00:42 UTC
From: craigkv5e
Topic: 1791 Message: 1813

I had no problems with 439xxxxxx entry after clearing the entry dialog of all numerals.

Craig KV5E

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <w2xab@...> wrote:
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1814. Re: 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-05 15:22:26 UTC
From: jess_girard
Topic: 1802 Message: 1814

Hi Tim, All:

146.475MHz is the output frequency of W1NLK/R, a 2-meter FM repeater in Norwalk CT. The various frequency-coordinating bodies have approved the pair 146.475/147.475 (1-MHz split) around several metropolitan areas.

Tim's use of 146.475MHz for his DVAP will certainly not bother the repeater users in Norwalk since he would be competing with the repeater's output, but it he tries running his DVAP in that area he's likely to be frustrated at his end since the repeater's signal could overwhelm the input to his DVAP.

Also in the Philadelphia area there's a group using the same pair (inverted) as a uncoordinated repeater with an attached Echolink or perhaps IRLP node to allow users to speak to friends and family in (I think) Puerto Rico. When we have any extended 2 meter propagation we hear them on our squelch tails in Norwalk.

In any case, please be careful about 146.475MHz. It's not a simplex frequency around urban areas.

Jess Girard
ND1L
Admin., W1NLK/R D-Star Gateway

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> Like what is shown here http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/FAQ_files/DVAP-RS92-prog-left.jpg
>
> Thanks,
>
> Bill
> W4BRZ
>

1815. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-05 21:55:36 UTC
From: n6red
Topic: 1791 Message: 1815

I can't get any 9 digit number to work including 43000000.

Tom N6RED

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "craigkv5e" <stauros@...> wrote:
>
> I had no problems with 439xxxxxx entry after clearing the entry dialog of all numerals.
>
> Craig KV5E
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "John" <w2xab@> wrote:
> >
> > MY new UHF DVAP (AP700012) will also not accept frequencies below 440 MHz. It initially came up on 435.5000 Mhz, and it worked there; but that frequency is in the middle of the SAT band so I did not want to use it. It will also accept a frequency of 450.0000 MHz which would put part of the signal outside the amateur band.
> >
> > I am running DVAPTool v1.03
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Mark. The 70cm DVAP will work from 421 to 450 MHz. Remember to enter the frequency in Hz.
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> > > 73,
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1816. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-05 23:57:53 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1802 Message: 1816

Jess,

I doubt I'll hear the repeater down here in central Georgia, hi, but your information is well taken and filed for future use. I just added the hotspot feature to my iPhone and plan to use my DVAP mobile, since there are no useful D-Star repeaters close to me - yet!

Will be making a trip by car in the very near future to Nashua, NH to meet my first grandchild, who is expected any day now. Will probably bring the DVAP along.

With the lack of available 2-meter pairs in our state, our coordinating body has been approving odd splits for new 2-meter D-Star repeaters, so you can never be absolutely sure what you're going to run into nowadays.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of jess_girard
Sent: Friday, October 05, 2012 11:22 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M Dvap setup

Hi Tim, All:

146.475MHz is the output frequency of W1NLK/R, a 2-meter FM repeater in Norwalk CT. The various frequency-coordinating bodies have approved the pair 146.475/147.475 (1-MHz split) around several metropolitan areas.

Tim's use of 146.475MHz for his DVAP will certainly not bother the repeater users in Norwalk since he would be competing with the repeater's output, but it he tries running his DVAP in that area he's likely to be frustrated at his end since the repeater's signal could overwhelm the input to his DVAP.

Also in the Philadelphia area there's a group using the same pair (inverted) as a uncoordinated repeater with an attached Echolink or perhaps IRLP node to allow users to speak to friends and family in (I think) Puerto Rico. When we have any extended 2 meter propagation we hear them on our squelch tails in Norwalk.

In any case, please be careful about 146.475MHz. It's not a simplex frequency around urban areas.

Jess Girard
ND1L
Admin., W1NLK/R D-Star Gateway

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> ,
Tim Hardy AF1G <hardyt@...> wrote:
>
> Bill,
>
> The only real way to determine if a frequency is unused in your area is to
monitor it for a period of time. I have discovered a few freqs that small
groups of hams (sometimes as few as two) use for local chit-chat, so I've
avoided those.
>
> You also want to avoid operating in any of the weak signal and satellite
segments, as well as in the SSB segment.
>
> I use a splinter frequency inbetween two of the common simplex channels,
146.460 and 146.490. Thus my DVAP operates on 146.475. I've never heard
anyone there.
>
> Enjoy your DVAP! I've had great fun with mine since I got it a couple of
years ago.
>
> Tim, AF1G
>
> ---- billroeding <broeding@...> wrote:

1817. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-06 02:01:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1791 Message: 1817

Hi Tom. You only have 8 digits in the example below. Try double clicking on the frequency to select all of the digits and hit delete. Then try entering something like 446000000 and see if that works.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n6red" <n6red@...> wrote:
>
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>
> Tom N6RED
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> > > > > Mark
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1818. Re: 2M Dvap setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-06 11:13:34 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 1802 Message: 1818

All is working now, thanks.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4brz" <w4brzbill@...> wrote:
>
> Thanks everyone for the responses. I have everything setup, but I now have a new issue I cannot figure out. I can only connect as receive only. I have registered w4brz A with the D-Star Gateway I am registered with K4CO, however when I connect up it says receive only. I first tried it with my normal call sign and that did not work either. This appears to be a common setup issue and I may just be missing something.
>
> Thanks again,
>
> Bill
> W4BRZ
>

1819. Re: NEW 70cm DVAP - Suggested Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-06 18:33:24 UTC
From: aa6jn
Topic: 1791 Message: 1819

Just received my new 70Ccm DVAP. I can only set frequencies between 440 and 450. Everything else give me an "invalid frequency." Anybody else seeing this, or any ideas for me? 73s.
--John

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "Mark" <markn@...> wrote:
>
> I am in the process of setting up a new 70cm DVAP. Software is installed and call sign is set. What I am not seeing is a suggested 70cm frequency or frequency range to use with the 70cm DVAP. I have attempted to enter a handful of frequencies and I get an invalid frequency error.
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>
> Mark
> WB5SLA
>

1820. DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-06 20:21:00 UTC
From: aa6jn
Topic: 1820 Message: 1820

I see from the posts that the 70cm DVAP should be able to work across 421Mhz to 450Mhz. My new one that just arrived will only accept 440Mhz-450Mhz. All others give me an "Invalid Frequency." Anyone else having this issue? Any suggestions? 73s. --John AA6JN

1821. NEW 2M DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-06 21:13:18 UTC
From: chuckn4ued
Topic: 1821 Message: 1821

I have a new 2 M DVAP . I just got it last week from HRO . Has anyone had a problem with the usb providing power and then loosing power . I have tryed it on all three of my windows 7 machines . How can I get a replacement power cable or should I send it back ? Thanks Chuck N4UED

1822. DVAP and ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-07 13:56:25 UTC
From: markn455
Topic: 1822 Message: 1822

I have the DVAP seeming working although I have not actually connected to anyone. I was wondering if there is a configuration file floating around for the ID-31A that already has the DVAP commands and reflectors programmed in the memory locations.

Thanks,

Mark
WB5SLA

1823. Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-07 15:47:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1820 Message: 1823

Hi John. Make sure you are running DVAPTool version 1.03. Also, plug in directly to the computer, not through a USB hub. I just purchased a cheap USB hub and the DVAP doesn't work properly through it.

When you click "Open", the terminal window (DOS window) will show the valid frequencies for your device. What does your say?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa6jn" <aa6jn@...> wrote:
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1824. Re: [DVAPDongle] NEW 2M DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-07 15:53:41 UTC
From: Foster W. Nye
Topic: 1821 Message: 1824

Hi, I did have that problem, It was the usb cable. I replaced the cable and it has been fine ever sense.
    Foster c

From: chuckn4ued <n4ued@arrl.net>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, October 6, 2012 5:13 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] NEW 2M DVAP

I have a new 2 M DVAP . I just got it last week from HRO . Has anyone had a problem with the usb providing power and then loosing power . I have tryed it on all three of my windows 7 machines . How can I get a replacement power cable or should I send it back ? Thanks Chuck N4UED

1825. Dial-up Internet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-07 18:13:00 UTC
From: mhalabuda
Topic: 1825 Message: 1825

Has anyone been successful using a dialup modem with a DVAP?

1826. Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-07 19:36:13 UTC
From: aa6jn
Topic: 1820 Message: 1826

Thanks Robin. Am running directly to the PC; no hub. Using 1.03. DOS Window shows Device Transmit Frequency Range as 421-450. When I put in anything outside of 440-450, frequency input box goes blank and DOS window says Invalid Frequency. Odd. Any ideas?

73s.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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> When you click "Open", the terminal window (DOS window) will show the valid frequencies for your device. What does your say?
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1827. Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-08 01:50:58 UTC
From: ajinlola
Topic: 1820 Message: 1827

FWIW, I'm having the exact same issue. Direct into the computer, DVAP Tools V. 1.03, DOS box says 421-450, but nothing below 440 accepted. Connecting to the DVAP with 444 MHz, which is not my first choice. But working fine.

1828. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-08 12:25:55 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 1820 Message: 1828

What is the link to this new 440 DVAP? I don't see it at the dvdongle site.

Thanks - N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ajinlola
Sent: Sunday, October 07, 2012 9:51 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

FWIW, I'm having the exact same issue. Direct into the computer, DVAP Tools V. 1.03, DOS box says 421-450, but nothing below 440 accepted. Connecting to the DVAP with 444 MHz, which is not my first choice. But working fine.

1829. Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-08 13:49:25 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1820 Message: 1829

The 2M and 70cm units are the same with regards to installation and operation (except for the frequency, of course). The site is http://www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Donald James" <Studionyc@...> wrote:
>
> What is the link to this new 440 DVAP? I don't see it at the dvdongle site.
>
> Thanks - N2VU
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of ajinlola
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> V. 1.03, DOS box says 421-450, but nothing below 440 accepted. Connecting to
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1830. Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-08 13:52:10 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1820 Message: 1830

Hi folks. I found the issue. When we first designed the 70cm DVAP, it was for 440-450 MHz only. Once the prototype was built, we found it could do 421-450 MHz. DVAPTool 1.03 still has the old frequency range.

A new version of DVAPTool will be out shortly.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ajinlola" <andrewjadler@...> wrote:
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1831. Re: DVAP 70cm Only Accepting 440-450Mhz

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-08 14:11:53 UTC
From: aa6jn
Topic: 1820 Message: 1831

Thanks Robin. 440-450 was such a clean delineation in terms of what was working and what wasn't, that it felt like a software issue. Glad to hear that is. Great unit; looking forward to the new DVAPTools. Thanks for making the D-Star experience even better with the DVAP. 73s. --John AA6JN

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>

1832. Re: NEW 2M DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-09 12:30:18 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 1821 Message: 1832

I have used mine on two different desktops and a Dell Laptop and a MacBook Pro. Seems to work well on all of those.

Just for kicks, try a different USB cable if you have not already.

73

Mark
WB5SLA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "chuckn4ued" <n4ued@...> wrote:
>
> I have a new 2 M DVAP . I just got it last week from HRO . Has anyone had a problem with the usb providing power and then loosing power . I have tryed it on all three of my windows 7 machines . How can I get a replacement power cable or should I send it back ? Thanks
Chuck N4UED
>

1833. Dual DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-09 12:48:11 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 1833 Message: 1833

I am wondering if you make a copy of the DVAPTool and then run a 2m and a 70cm DVAP on the same computer.

Mark
WB5SLA

1834. If you're attending Pacificon -- Digital Dinner

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-10 19:25:14 UTC
From: J. M. Moen
Topic: 1834 Message: 1834

Join us for dinner this Friday at 5pm. If you are interested in D-Star, MotoTurbo or digital voice of any kind, you'll want to be there.

Like last year, we are meeting across the street from the Marriott at IHop. . Some may not know they have more than breakfast and pancakes. They have all kinds of entries, plus sandwiches and burgers. For example, http://www.ihop.com/menus/main-menu/dinner-favorites

Plus, you can keep your car parked at the Marriott and walk to the IHop.

IHOP
4200 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA (across the street from Pacificon)
Friday October 12 at 5pm

I've reserved the back room - come on over and have some fun!

PS the D-Star Panel at Pacificon will be in Salon E on Saturday at 3:30pm. Robin AA4RC, John K7VE and I will be talking about the latest in D-Star.

Jim - K6JM

1835. DVAPTool Not Opening - Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-12 17:21:01 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1835 Message: 1835

Greetings!

Recently rebuilt my workstation with a fresh Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS build.

Prior to this, was running DVAPTool with no issues on the old iteration - 12.04LTS.

Removed BRLTTY and Googled around but have not found anything that resembles what's going on.

DVAPTool application 1.03 extracted to desktop. Double clicking the app or running as Root from CLI fails to even open the app.

Pulsing green light on a connected 2M DVAP.

Anyone seen this? I'm sure I am missing something obvious, though I'm not sure what.

KI4YLU

1836. Re: DVAPTool Not Opening - Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-12 19:35:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1835 Message: 1836

Have you done a package update since install? Someone was having issues that cleared up after an update. Also, try as root just to see...

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@...> wrote:
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1837. Re: DVAPTool Not Opening - Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-14 13:11:13 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1835 Message: 1837

Thanks for the reply.

Indeed I have. Several in fact.

The application will simply not launch - not even as root.

I'm going to try the previous versions and see what I get.

Stay tuned.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1838. Re: DVAPTool Not Opening - Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-14 20:41:48 UTC
From: jpthegeek
Topic: 1835 Message: 1838

No luck on previous versions.

Still no luck running as root.

Literally nothing happens when I attempt to launch save for 'ksoftirq' appears in the TOP/HTOP list then disappears.

Anyone ever seen anything like this?

jeremy - ki4ylu

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> > >
> > > KI4YLU
> > >
> >
>

1839. Re: DVAPTool Not Opening - Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-15 13:41:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1835 Message: 1839

Hi Jeremy. If you open a terminal window and start DVAPTool by hand, what happens?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@...> wrote:
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>
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> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jpthegeek" <jpthegeek@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Greetings!
> > > >

> > > > Recently rebuilt my workstation with a fresh Ubuntu 12.04.1LTS build.
> > > >
> > > > Prior to this, was running DVAPTool with no issues on the old iteration - 12.04LTS.
> > > >
> > > > Removed BRLTTY and Googled around but have not found anything that resembles what's going on.
> > > >
> > > > DVAPTool application 1.03 extracted to desktop. Double clicking the app or running as Root from CLI fails to even open the app.
> > > >
> > > > Pulsing green light on a connected 2M DVAP.
> > > >
> > > > Anyone seen this? I'm sure I am missing something obvious, though I'm not sure what.
> > > >
> > > > KI4YLU
> > > >
> > >
> >
>

1840. QSL Robin.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-15 14:39:48 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 1840 Message: 1840

Robin,
Thanks for your reply.

Being blessed with only one (singular)active braincell I've decided to stick with that Russian analogy ... If it's not broken, don't! fix it.

Your software works perfectly on all 56 DPLUS reflectors (hardly surprising, since *YOU* wrote it)and that's good enough for me.

I was just curious to try connecting to a couple of other Russian stations (I've worked the obligatory one whom appears on REF001 from time to time) but I thought I'd try my 2 x sentences of Russian 'live'
on D-Star but I can't seem to connect to them (they use that 'other' system).

Never mind, as I said, the 56 x DPLUS reflectors are more than enough to keep me out of mischief for the forseeable future.

Looking forward to you Android offering for Christmas ... wheelchair mobile (without the laptop) on Frei Island.

Have a good one Robin and again thanks for your superb efforts.

73 John.

1841. No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-15 17:47:11 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1841 Message: 1841

I am no longer able to use this device and am very, very frustrated. It worked for a while, then intermittently, now not at all. I have reinstalled the DVAP Tool 1.03 and reinstalled the drivers. What happens is that the green light slowly pulses, I start up the Tool and the driver pulldown is empty and I get the "No DV AP Dongle Found" error dialog box. Nothing I try will make this work again. The USB is plugged into the Mac directly, not into a hub. The OS is the latest 10.8.2. Does anyone have any ideas for me?

1842. Re: [DVAPDongle] No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-16 02:28:42 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1841 Message: 1842

Have you tried a different USB cable?

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: Neil
Sent: Oct 15, 2012 10:47 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

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1843. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-16 19:24:42 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1841 Message: 1843

Wow, why didn't I think of that? I just swapped cables and it seems to be OK. Because it was intermittently bad I can't be certain until I have used it a few more times but I bet that was it. Thank you!

1844. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-16 19:27:47 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1841 Message: 1844

No, that wasn;t it after all. Swapping cables worked the first time and now, on subsequent attempts, the same thing. Not found errors. Dayum.

1845. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-16 20:04:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1841 Message: 1845

Hi Neil. Are you plugging in directly or using a hub? Try direct if you are currently using a hub.

If it is still not working, send me a direct email and we'll arrange to take a look at it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
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> No, that wasn;t it after all. Swapping cables worked the first time and now, on subsequent attempts, the same thing. Not found errors. Dayum.
>

1846. DVAP - 2 meter or 70 CM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-18 14:53:08 UTC
From: KC9IL
Topic: 1846 Message: 1846

This might be a silly question, but if I don't own a UHF-only radio, would I be better off getting a 2 meter DVAP due to its better range than 70 cm? Are there any additional benefits to the 70 cm version over the 2 meter one?

Thanks & 73,

Warren
KC9IL

1847. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - 2 meter or 70 CM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-19 14:36:17 UTC
From: don
Topic: 1846 Message: 1847

In a metro area with lots of 2 meter activity

Its easier to find a channel that will not have issues

Don Weber Ka7qqv

Alameda CA

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of KC9IL
Sent: Thursday, October 18, 2012 7:53 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - 2 meter or 70 CM?

This might be a silly question, but if I don't own a UHF-only radio, would I be better off getting a 2 meter DVAP due to its better range than 70 cm? Are there any additional benefits to the 70 cm version over the 2 meter one?

Thanks & 73,

Warren
KC9IL

1848. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - 2 meter or 70 CM?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-19 15:42:24 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1846 Message: 1848

Depends on your locality. Things like local band usage or QRM have to be taken into consideration.

If for instance, you have some of the dreaded Gigabit PLT devices nearby, they can swamp the 2M band when transferring at full speed, so its worth checking before you buy. This is not an issue on UHF (yet). (They radiate at around 2-380MHz full tilt, here in the UK at least.)

Other than that, the only benefit I can see is being able to have a higher gain and/or smaller antenna on a handheld using UHF.

I have had the 2M one for a while and find it superb for testing/hotels etc. As I ran a fully blown 2M hotspot at my old QTH, I would of liked to of had a UHF one for testing also.

Neil G7EBY.

On 18 October 2012 15:53, KC9IL <pughwj@yahoo.com> wrote:

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>
> This might be a silly question, but if I don't own a UHF-only radio, would
> I be better off getting a 2 meter DVAP due to its better range than 70 cm?
> Are there any additional benefits to the 70 cm version over the 2 meter one?
>
> Thanks & 73,
>
> Warren
> KC9IL
>
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>

1849. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-20 16:45:55 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1841 Message: 1849

Hi Robin -- Plugged in directly, no hub. I got your email about offering to take a look at it and thanks. But it is now working 100% on my Windows 7 laptop although still failing 99% of the time on the Mac. So, I don't think the dvap is defective although there is some sort of problem with the Mac for sure. I have even tried starting the Mac in safe mode so that only Apple-approved extensions are running and it still does the same thing. So it might be a problem with the new OS. But as long as I have it going on the laptop I might as well just keep it there instead of on the Mac. Out of curiosity have you tested this on Mac OS X 10.8.2 as yet? Anyway, thank you for the support and unless you want to actually examine the dvap I'd rather just stay on the "air" with it on the laptop instead of losing it for a few days or more. Thanks!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Neil. Are you plugging in directly or using a hub? Try direct if you are currently using a hub.
>
> If it is still not working, send me a direct email and we'll arrange to take a look at it.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@> wrote:
> >
> >
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> >
>

1850. Need help getting registered, no response on emails

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-21 03:05:44 UTC
From: K0RU
Topic: 1850 Message: 1850

I've been trying to get registered to use the DVAP on the links but I'm not having any luck getting any response on my registration. Is there someone who can help me with this?

Thanks for your time
Rob K0RU - 73

1851. Re: [DVAPDongle] Need help getting registered, no response on emails

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-21 16:12:48 UTC
From: Peter Scherp
Topic: 1850 Message: 1851

i can register you on
AK4EG ,NC
look it up
ai4ue
peter

On 10/20/12, K0RU <k0ru@...> wrote:
> I've been trying to get registered to use the DVAP on the links but I'm not
> having any luck getting any response on my registration. Is there someone
> who can help me with this?
>
> Thanks for your time
> Rob K0RU - 73
>
>

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Peter Scherp

1852. Re: [DVAPDongle] Need help getting registered, no response on emails

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-22 14:00:12 UTC
From: Johan Hansson - SM0TSC
Topic: 1850 Message: 1852

Usually you should register on the geographically closest repeater, if that's not an option you are welcome to register on SK0MQ

https://sk0mq.dstargateway.org after approval complete the registration according to the guide at www.dstargateway.org

//SM0TSC - Johan

K0RU skrev 2012-10-21 05:05:
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> I'm not having any luck getting any response on my registration. Is
> there someone who can help me with this?
>
> Thanks for your time
> Rob K0RU - 73
>
>

1853. Re: Need help getting registered, no response on emails

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-22 14:09:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1850 Message: 1853

Rob has been registered. Thanks to all for the help!

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Johan Hansson - SM0TSC <sm0tsc@...> wrote:
>
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>
> https://sk0mq.dstargateway.org after approval complete the registration
> according to the guide at www.dstargateway.org
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>
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> >
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> > I'm not having any luck getting any response on my registration. Is
> > there someone who can help me with this?
> >
> > Thanks for your time
> > Rob K0RU - 73
> >
> >
>

1854. dvap tool v1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-22 21:28:15 UTC
From: jwgardiner
Topic: 1854 Message: 1854

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Why is the text overlapping on dvap tool 1.03..??/
Any help would be nice...73's Bill
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1855. Re: dvap tool v1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-22 22:09:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1854 Message: 1855

Hi Bill. You probably have your Windows font size set to larger than default. Try going back to default size and see if that changes it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jwgardiner" <jwgardiner@...> wrote:
>
> Why is the text overlapping on dvap tool 1.03..??/
> Any help would be nice...73's Bill
>

1856. Re: dvap tool v1.03

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-22 22:43:21 UTC
From: jwgardiner
Topic: 1854 Message: 1856

You are correct...!!!
when i installed Windows 7 i set it to a larger font size because of my slowly failing eyes.
Thanks Robin

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Bill. You probably have your Windows font size set to larger than default. Try going back to default size and see if that changes it.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jwgardiner" <jwgardiner@> wrote:
> >
> > Why is the text overlapping on dvap tool 1.03..??/
> > Any help would be nice...73's Bill
> >
>

1857. Good Job Robin

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-24 04:32:20 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 1857 Message: 1857

I chased the UPS guy down this afternoon to take possession of my new 440 DVAP. With only a 31a, I previously was forced to put a "hotspot" together. After the initial agony of setup, it worked well and did a good job during the recent DSTAR QSO party.

That's why I was amazed at how excellent the "user experience" is with the DVAP. Almost instant execution of DSTAR commands (there was a considerable delay with my hotspot), many excellent reports on the audio, seamless installation and operation.

THANKS for all your work on DSTAR, but for now, the biggest thanks is for this excellent piece of equipment.

AL
KK6AL
Santa Monica, CA

1858. using dvap with a mobile phone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-25 11:30:16 UTC
From: blairs_viper2008
Topic: 1858 Message: 1858

My mobile phone contract is up for renewal now and I can choose almost any phone I like. I currently have a nokia n8 which cannot run your dvap. I am not keen on the new lumia series either as they run windows/7/8, again wont run with the dvap.
I would like some advice from you what phone I would need or operating system I would need that can run.....without any problems the DVAP, whether that be android/iphone* or whatever. What version of android for example. Obviously it would also need a usb socket to.

Your advice will be appreciated.

Lizza

1859. Re: Good Job Robin

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-25 19:19:51 UTC
From: AA6JN (John)
Topic: 1857 Message: 1859

I fully concur with Al. Has been a pleasure to use the new DVAP.
Wonderful piece of equipment, elegantly implemented, as usual!

73s,

--John
AA6JN (former W6JBP)
Santa Monica, CA

1860. DVAP Dongle not found error

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-28 09:30:16 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 1860 Message: 1860

G'day all on the DVAP list,

I've just changed over to a new laptop - Toshiba running XP sp3

I've searched through various messages on this list but can't find my problem.

I've carried out the install as per
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html then had to go here
http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm for the FTDI driver. I also had to go here
http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999

The green LED on the DVAP is now slowly pulsing on and off ok. When I go to fire up the DVAP Tool v1.03 I soon get an error "DVAP NOT FOUND" error.

Any ideas??

Thanks.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong, Victoria, Australia

1861. Re: DVAP Dongle not found error

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-28 15:19:21 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1860 Message: 1861

Hi Nik. I recently had the same problem which was tracked down to a USB hub. If you are using a hub, try plugging in direct. If you are direct, try a different USB port.

Also, you might try http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPToolTest.exe. Place it in the same folder as DVAPTool.exe and double click on it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...> wrote:
>
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>
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DVAP Tool v1.03 I soon get an error "DVAP NOT FOUND" error.
>
> Any ideas??
>
> Thanks.
>
> Cheers,
>
> Nik Presser
> VK3BA
> Geelong, Victoria, Australia
>

1862. Re: DVAP Dongle not found error

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-28 15:35:42 UTC
From: jorgenbodholdt
Topic: 1860 Message: 1862

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...> wrote:
>
> G'day all on the DVAP list,
>
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>
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> Any ideas??
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> Thanks.
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> Cheers,
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> Nik Presser
> VK3BA
> Geelong, Victoria, Australia
>

Have you had installed
Bonjour installer for Windows:

73 OZ3JBP/OZ7AIK

1864. Re: DVAPTool 1.03 issues on Linux Mint 13 KDE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-29 09:11:07 UTC
From: jamie_a_lewis
Topic: 1735 Message: 1864

Did you sort this problem, have just switched to mint after xp and get the same message you do
cheers
jamie 2w0cdy

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ad4sb_shawn" <ad4sb@...> wrote:
>
> Hello everyone.
>
> This may have been answered already, but I did not find it in my searches.
>
> I just upgraded my Linux Mint install for 12 to 13. I have been running DVAPTool with no problems on 12 for quite a while, but now on 13, not so much. The windows opens up without any problems, but I get "Opening device /dev/ttyUSB0" on the lower left and it never goes away.
>
> I am not sure what the problems is, could some lend a helping hand?
>
> 73,
> Shawn
> AD4SB
>

1865. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle not found error

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-30 02:53:15 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 1860 Message: 1865

G'day Robin,

Na, it was straight in to one of 4 USB ports on the laptop. Anyway, I swapped it to another port - all good. Swapped it back to the original port - still good!!

Glad to be back :-)

Thanks for your help once again, Robin :-))

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Geelong

----- Original Message -----
From: aa4rc
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, October 29, 2012 2:19 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle not found error

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73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" <nikp007@...> wrote:
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1866. Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-30 17:24:36 UTC
From: haroldclifford@ymail.com
Topic: 1866 Message: 1866

I just received my 20M DVAP and I have a couple of questions,.

1. No matter what London reflector i use from this page

http://www.dstarinfo.com/reflectors.aspx

I always get "Gateway Unknown". I have a ICOM 80AD. The only way i can talk to the UK is when they show up on another reflector.

2. I cannot use the I, E and U command. To unlink I have to use the DVAP TOOL Force Disconnect tab.

I tried to go by the DVAP SETUP instructions which said that i must set them in the 8th position. My 80AD does not allow any input past the 6th position. Is there a way around this.

Many thanks,

Harold (K1FFD)

1867. Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-30 20:28:49 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1866 Message: 1867

Hi Harold,

All Icom radios have 8 positions in the four user programmable sections of; YR:, RPT1 and RPT2, the MY: setting has 8 plus the four after the '/' for a short name or operating condition of your choice.

You just need to scroll through with the > (or 6) key to get to the 7th and 8th positions.

The system in use means that you 'dial' the Reflector (or repeater) in the YR: field by programming the callsign, band module then a Link command, like:

YR:REF005AL

Or:

YR:GB7OKC L (Notice the space in the 7th position.)

Then once the link is made (you should get a voice prompt saying 'Remote system linked), you go back to the normal 'chat' (YR:CQCQCQ) to talk normally.

(Its probably worth saving these as a different memory channel than the normal 'chat' channel of "YR:CQCQCQ" so you don't have to keep reprogramming the radio each time.)

The RPT1 and 2 remain the same as long as you are on the same system, your DVAP in this case.

MY: remains as your callsign as long as you own the radio and doesn't change for as long as you own that radio :-)

Neil G7EBY.

On 30 October 2012 17:24, haroldclifford@ymail.com <haroldclifford@...
> wrote:

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> them in the 8th position. My 80AD does not allow any input past the 6th
> position. Is there a way around this.
>
> Many thanks,
>
> Harold (K1FFD)
>
>
>

1868. DVAP Command Line

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-30 22:44:27 UTC
From: ad6nh
Topic: 1868 Message: 1868

Good day, all! I run CentOS 6.3 x64 command line only as a server. Is there a tutorial on how to launch the dvap service from the command line? I don't want to load up a GUI just to handle it. Thanks!

73
Phil - AD6NH

1869. Re: DVAP Command Line

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-30 22:55:07 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1868 Message: 1869

Hi Phil. DVAPTool requires a GUI. If you are running headless, you could run it using VNC.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ad6nh" <ad6nh@...> wrote:
>
> Good day, all! I run CentOS 6.3 x64 command line only as a server. Is there a tutorial on how to launch the dvap service from the command line? I don't want to load up a GUI just to handle it. Thanks!
>
> 73
> Phil - AD6NH
>

1870. Re: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-30 23:33:41 UTC
From: haroldclifford@ymail.com
Topic: 1866 Message: 1870

I have tried everything you recommend so i must misunderstand most of it. Here is a example of what i have programed. I uploaded it to DROPBOX and named it DVAP....
https://www.dropbox.com/home#!/home

Harold

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, BEDFORD NEIL <barrymung@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Harold,
>
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> YR:, RPT1 and RPT2, the MY: setting has 8 plus the four after the '/' for a
> short name or operating condition of your choice.
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1871. DVAPTool Installation in Linux (OpenSUSE) - Newbie!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-10-31 23:30:11 UTC
From: Stephen
Topic: 1871 Message: 1871

Hi All,

I am new to Linux and OpenSUSE, in particular. But I am wondering if there is anyone who can direct me in how to install DVAPTool in Linux. Any help would be most appreciated!

Peace,
Stephen
W3SMK

1872. Re: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-02 23:03:22 UTC
From: haroldclifford@ymail.com
Topic: 1866 Message: 1872

Well i finally figured out that using the angle key (>) you have to be careful just how many spaces you use. I was using too many !!!

Anyway the only letter i really need is the U key to unlink with and doing it the way you described works great. The E and I key doesnt work using this procedure for some reason.

Many thanks Neil,

Harold

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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, BEDFORD NEIL <barrymung@> wrote:
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> > Hi Harold,
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> > short name or operating condition of your choice.
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> > 8th positions.
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> > YR:REF005AL
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1873. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-03 22:07:45 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 1866 Message: 1873

Glad you finally got there Harold, we were all in the same situation when
D-Star arrived on our shores all those years ago :-)

You can only experiment and practice, nothing will break if you get it
wrong. Only your nerves, Hi Hi.

Neil G7EBY.

On 2 November 2012 23:03, haroldclifford@... <haroldclifford@...
> wrote:

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1874. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-04 21:43:22 UTC
From: k6clm
Topic: 1841 Message: 1874

Having same issue. No hub, plugged in directly. I only have one USB > mini USB while on the road, so I can't switch cables. The DVAP is slowly pulsing green, but DVAP Tool cannot see it. I am on OSX 10.8.2.

Cameron
K6CLM

1875. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-05 12:45:56 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1841 Message: 1875

Hi Cameron. If you haven't installed the latest drivers already, go to www.ftdichip.com and click on Drivers and then download/install the latest VCP drivers.

Let us know if that helps.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k6clm" <cameron.mackenzie@...> wrote:
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1876. Re: [DVAPDongle] No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-05 19:07:03 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 1841 Message: 1876

Hello All,

FWIW ....

I know the definition of insanity is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting a different result, but it has been my experience (on Mac OS X.7.5 and Ubuntu Linux 12.04) that it can take a few tries before the DVAP Tool "finds" the DVAP ... even though the green light is in slow pulse.

Just a thought ...

73,
Stephen
W3SMK

On 4 Nov 2012, at 13:43, k6clm wrote:

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-06 21:30:15 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1841 Message: 1877

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1878. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-07 16:14:05 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1841 Message: 1878

Sorry, meant the problems was with Mac OSX 10.8.2!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
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1879. WANTED DVAP Dongle Belfast

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-07 17:20:18 UTC
From: techyguyni
Topic: 1879 Message: 1879

Hi

Trying to get hold of a second hand DVAP

Any information please phone me

paul 07933848793

mi6ire

73's

1880. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No DV AP Dongle Found -- Mac OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-07 19:01:10 UTC
From: Jeff Davis
Topic: 1841 Message: 1880

It's not universal. 10.8.2 here and never seen that problem.

Jeff, KE9V

On Wed, Nov 7, 2012 at 11:14 AM, Neil <neil@...> wrote:

> Sorry, meant the problems was with Mac OSX 10.8.2!
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
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1881. Re: DVAPTool Installation in Linux (OpenSUSE) - Newbie!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-08 03:50:44 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1871 Message: 1881

See if this gets you rolling (Linux instructions near bottom):

73,
Bob

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Stephen" <frastephen@...> wrote:
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> I am new to Linux and OpenSUSE, in particular. But I am wondering if there is anyone who can direct me in how to install DVAPTool in Linux. Any help would be most appreciated!
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> Peace,
> Stephen
> W3SMK
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1882. DVAP 440 & repeater configuration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-08 21:06:25 UTC
From: dawes.john@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1882 Message: 1882

Hello all

I have a DVAP 440 and it is great (thanks Robin). I am using an ID-31A and an IC80AD and have accessed repeaters and reflectors using the DVAP 440. However, I have a new issue which has arisen and which I havent' n been able to solve. With the ID31A , when I enter a simplex frequency into the radio (from group 20) and then try and change the TO setting to our local Port B repeater, VK5RWN B, the TO setting does not change but switches to CQCQCQ.

The moment I change the FROM setting to VK5RWN B I can enter any other repeater into the TO setting. I have been able to access the local repeater using the DVAP and the ID31A a couple of days ago, but it seems I have changed a configuration setting and can't work out which one. There is no problem with reflectors. I set the simplex frequency in the FROM setting and then using the CS button and go to YOUR CALL SIGN and select the appropriate reflector. When I try and do the same thing with a repeater 'Gateway CQ' the radio beeps and nothing happens.

Any advice will be greatly appreciated.

73

John DawesVK5BJE

1883. Dongle/radio not talking to each other

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-10 04:33:58 UTC
From: zl2arn@xtra.co.nz
Topic: 1883 Message: 1883

Hi guys,

Just a quick note re this subject. Some of you may be having similar problems.
My 70cm dongle was working nicely for the first week, then it stopped talking to the radios. (ID-31A & ID-880H) ??
After much investigation and testing, Robin suggested I try +/-5Khz settings in the DVAPTool. And yes there was the problem, the dongle and radio were some 7KHz apart.

1. You can do a simple plot of frequencies by moving the DVAPTool in 1KHz steps each way and plotting where your radio stops responding. Or

2. You can use Robins very neat DVAPUtil software which has a Spectrum Analyser display, and you can see immediately where you are.
With very careful adjustment you can move your dongle frequency to align with your radio.
But make sure first you know what your frequency is by using a calibrated frequency counter.

My dongle and radio are now on the same frequency and working perfectly.

Gordon
ZL2ARN

1884. Robin - any news on the DVAPTools ARM port?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-11 16:41:18 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1884 Message: 1884

Hi Robin:

Just wanted to see if there's any news you can share, and to offer my opinion that if you wanted to offer an ARM port as an unsupported/beta option, I'd be all for it.

Understand the support issues that can crop up with more exotic implementations (e.g. Raspberry Pi) might not be worth the audience supported.

73,
Bob

1885. Re: Robin - any news on the DVAPTools ARM port?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-12 13:43:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1884 Message: 1885

Hi Bob. For now, the only ARM based program is the network server daemon. It allows you to plug in the DV Dongle or DVAP to an ARM/Linux device and use it/them over your local area network. You still have to have a PC or Mac for the main program though.

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1886. Re: Robin - any news on the DVAPTools ARM port?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-13 02:14:36 UTC
From: kd4ebm
Topic: 1884 Message: 1886

Roger - thanks for the response.

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1887. Re: Dongle/radio not talking to each other

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-14 17:54:59 UTC
From: johngoble12
Topic: 1883 Message: 1887

hi all i have a uhf dvap it also worked good for two weeks now i cant get none of my radios to work with it 2820 80ad 91 92 the sofeware loads up everything looks good i key radios up onley thing comes up is the tx bar no call or data maybe my dvap bad help john in ohio!!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "zl2arn@..." <gordon_stewart@...> wrote:
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1888. Re: Dongle/radio not talking to each other

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-15 14:06:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1883 Message: 1888

Hi guys. Try adjusting the frequency up/down by 1-5 kHz in DVAPTool and see if that makes a difference. If it does, you may need to recalibrate the DVAP frequency with DVAPUtil.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "johngoble12" <johngoble12@...> wrote:
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1889. USB Cable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-16 04:51:42 UTC
From: k9ruf
Topic: 1889 Message: 1889

Just curious what is special about the USB cable that comes with the DVAP. I thought I'd try to leave that cable home and carry another USB cable just like it in my computer case but it doesn't recognize the DVAP.

73,
Dave K9RUF

1890. Quick Disconnect...suggestion for future versions of Dongle and DVAP software.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-16 05:40:11 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 1890 Message: 1890

Thanks Robin for a great DVAP....the 440 has been rock solid
and a joy to use.

My Question:

I wonder....why do we have to "Disconnect" on DSTAR, either on DPLUS,
Dongle or DVAP?

Is it possible that you could just program it so that when I issue a Link command, the
system assumes and understands that I want to disconnect from any existing link?

Thus, if I am linked to REF 12A, and I agree to QSY to 30C...
why can't we just issue a link command to REF030C?....why do we
have to first disconnect? Can a direct link capability be
built in to the DSTAR structure that sees the existing link and automatically unlinks it
and then carries out the new link command?

THANKS for any thoughts you may have.

KK6

AL

1891. Re: USB Cable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-16 13:41:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1889 Message: 1891

Hi Dave. There is nothing special about the provided cable. I have seen some cheap cables that did not have a sufficiently long mini connector to go into the unit fully.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k9ruf" <k9ruf@...> wrote:
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> Dave K9RUF
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1892. Re: Quick Disconnect...suggestion for future versions of Dongle and DVAP software.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-16 13:45:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1890 Message: 1892

Hi Al. The software was designed to function similar to when you work a repeater. Multiple people can connect with and use the DVAP at the same time, just like a repeater. One user may not know that another user has linked to a gateway/reflector so the software will tell them if they try to link while already linked.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "albertkarel" <arkarel@...> wrote:
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> and a joy to use.
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> built in to the DSTAR structure that sees the existing link and automatically unlinks it and then carries out the new link command?
>
> THANKS for any thoughts you may have.
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> KK6
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> AL
>

1893. Re: DVAP Dongle and Ubuntu Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-18 14:13:40 UTC
From: Greg
Topic: 1771 Message: 1893

Your idea worked! Thanks you. I forgot to log back in and thank you. Sorry for the delay.

Greg
NX8P

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Greg. The Linux command equivalent to "dir" on DOS to look at files is "ls".
>
> By default, your current directory is not in the search path for commands. You'll need to use "./DVAPTool" rather than "DVAPTool". To run it as root, run "sudo ./DVAPTool".
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Greg" <cobia7@> wrote:
> >
> > I'm having the same issue here this morning with the DVAPTool. I tried to run it from the DVAPTool directory and it says the DVAPTool file cannot be found. I issue the "dir" command in the DVAPTool directory and I can see the DVAPTool file, but still doesn't work. Anybody have any ideas?
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi (didn't get your name).
> > >
> > > Try running it as root. That will tell you if it is a permission issue.
> > >
> > > Open a terminal window, cd to the dvaptool folder, and run "sudo DVAPTool".
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@...m, "dj_dustz03" <dj_dustz03@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > I'm trying to get my DVAP to run on Ubuntu 12.04. But, after installing and opening the DVAP tool, I receive the no dongle detected error. I have uninstalled the brltty package. Any ideas? (I'm am not very familiar with Linux)
> > > >
> > >
> >

>

1894. DVAPTool version 1.04 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-19 21:04:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1894 Message: 1894

Version 1.04 of DVAPTool has been released.

Changes include:

1) fixed issue where the device would sometimes not be found (works around the USB3 FTDI driver bug and a race condition on Linux).

2) expanded the 70cm support to include frequencies 421-450 MHz.

The new network DVAP support requires Apple Bonjour libraries on your Windows system. These are installed when you install Apple programs like iTunes or Apple printer support. If you receive a message that DVAPTool failed to start due to a missing dnssd library, install the Bonjour print services from the Apple web site shown on the Downloads page.

Here's a copy of the Apple Bonjour link: http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999

For Linux users, this release was built on Ubuntu 10.04 LTS 32 bit and tested on 10.04 32 and 64 bit, 11.10 32 bit, and 12.04 32 bit. Make sure you take a look at the readme.txt file in the DVAPTool folder for installation requirements/instructions.

The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

1895. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-20 06:20:15 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 1894 Message: 1895

The new 1.04 tool has fixed the recurrent problem on my Intel iMac (10.8.2), thanks! I think, tho, I may still keep the dongle mostly on the laptop PC as I have grown attached to the log-in data on the PC's DOS terminal screen as the dongle finds its way online. If there is ever a way you could include this logging-on data on the Mac version of the Tool that would be great! Thanks again.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
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>
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> The new DVAPTool software is available on the Downloads page at
> http://www.dvapdongle.com.
>
>
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

1896. FS: DVAP 440

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-20 13:25:29 UTC
From: ke9v
Topic: 1896 Message: 1896

I have a brand new, in the box, DVAP 440 that is excess to my needs. Will ship to your QTH for $220. US only. PayPal only. Contact me off the list for information.

1897. Re: FS: DVAP 440

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-20 15:59:44 UTC
From: ke9v
Topic: 1896 Message: 1897

The DVAP 440 has been sold.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ke9v" <stuckbit@...> wrote:
>
> I have a brand new, in the box, DVAP 440 that is excess to my needs. Will ship to your QTH for $220. US only. PayPal only. Contact me off the list for information.
>

1898. Re: Quick Disconnect...suggestion for future versions of Dongle and DVAP software.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-20 22:10:02 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 1890 Message: 1898

Hmmmmm.....It never occurred to me that more than one person can use a DVAP at a time.

I surely do not comprehend the complexities of this wonderful device....so I just go back to my request that a "Quick Disconnect" be incorporated into each Link command. When one is ignorant (not stupid, mind you) everything appears simple!

So, in my simple world, if I am linked to 12a and want to hear what's going on on 30c....I just send REF030CL and the system understands that by that I mean:

IF not linked, THEN REF030CL
IF already linked, THEN UNLINK and REF030CL

Perhaps 2 commands simply cannot be given the system in one command.

If it could be done, tho, the number of UNLINK commands would drop by 90% or more, and linking transactions would be far more efficient for the operator.

THANKS

1899. Not Connecting to USB Device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-21 01:01:00 UTC
From: bryanbeam
Topic: 1899 Message: 1899

I've been using my DVAP without any problems. I moved my computer and reconnected the DVAP and now I get this message when I open the connection. "It looks like you are connected to a USB serial device other than the DV Dongle. Please check the device com port."

The only thing I can think of is I plugged into a different USB outlet on my computer. I've tried all of them and still get the message.

I'm using DVAP Tool version 1.4.

Any ideas??? Thanks in advance for any assistance.

Bryan W4HLD

1900. Re: Not Connecting to USB Device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-21 03:30:56 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1899 Message: 1900

Hi Bryan. It looks like your DVAP is being reported as invalid. Please send me a direct email and we will help to resolve the issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bryanbeam" <bryanbeam@...> wrote:
>
> I've been using my DVAP without any problems. I moved my computer and reconnected the DVAP and now I get this message when I open the connection. "It looks like you are connected to a USB serial device other than the DV Dongle. Please check the device com port."
>
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>
> I'm using DVAP Tool version 1.4.
>
> Any ideas??? Thanks in advance for any assistance.
>
> Bryan W4HLD
>

1901. Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-22 17:37:49 UTC
From: dubinky10
Topic: 1901 Message: 1901

I can only figure that this must be because I'm using windows 8.
I installed DVAPTools but it won't run.
First it said I was missing FTD2xx.dll, so I downloaded it.
Then it said I was missing dnssd.dll, so I downloaded it.

Now it says "The ordinal 79 could not be located in the dynamic link library c:\program files\dvaptool\dvaptool.exe

Any ideas?

1902. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-23 03:41:40 UTC
From: James
Topic: 1901 Message: 1902

Do I dare answer this with dozens of others will probably be responding with the same answer? Yea, why not. Read message #1894
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle/message/1894

73's

James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dubinky10" <alsprow@...> wrote:
>
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> I installed DVAPTools but it won't run.
> First it said I was missing FTD2xx.dll, so I downloaded it.
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>
> Now it says "The ordinal 79 could not be located in the dynamic link library c:\program files\dvaptool\dvaptool.exe
>
> Any ideas?
>

1903. Connection issues DVAP 440

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-23 14:14:21 UTC
From: vk2war@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1903 Message: 1903

Hi People,

I received my DVAP 440 about two weeks ago. In all that time I was unable to connect my ID-31A to the closest repeater or any reflector.

I spent countless hours trying everything.

In the end it turned out to be my Billion 7800N (touted to be the best modem/router you can get) that was the problem.

Now I tried allowing port 20001 in. I checked out all the connection ports the DVAP was using in and out. I added the ports to my firewall.

Nothing seemed to work, and I am totally uneducated in NAT so struggled with that.

Whilst changing my settings on my Billion 7800N I accidentally reset the modem. I have a Pocket wifi modem that I use whilst on the go. I connected the laptop to the pocket wifi and all of a sudden DVAP worked,

I went back to the Billion 7800N and in the end I just could not get the DVAP to connect to a repeater or reflector.

I gave up and purchased a NetGear D3000 and within 5 minutes I had the DVAP440 working like a trooper.

So people of you are getting a constant "Ignoring Transmit" error. Check your modem, change your modem and make sure your windows firewall or other firewall software is not blocking the DVAP from connecting.

Hope this helps

Jason
VK2WAR

1904. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connection issues DVAP 440

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-24 05:46:53 UTC
From: John Dawes
Topic: 1903 Message: 1904

Hi Jason
Well done - perseverence pays off. I gave a call on your repeater last night. You must have been doing your fatherly duties.
I look forward to saying hello in due course.
73

John Dawes
VK5BJE
--- On Fri, 23/11/12, vk2war@... <vk2war@...> wrote:

From: vk2war@rocketmail.com <vk2war@...>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Connection issues DVAP 440
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Received: Friday, 23 November, 2012, 2:14 PM

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Jason
VK2WAR

1905. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-24 16:55:38 UTC
From: dubinky10
Topic: 1901 Message: 1905

Well, I admit that I didn't look up dnssd.dll since I had already looked for ftd2xx.dll and didn't find it.
Problem is, I had already installed the bonjour stuff and it didn't change anything.

Any other suggestions?

Thanks!

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> > Any ideas?
> >
>

1906. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-24 18:28:47 UTC
From: azstefano186
Topic: 1894 Message: 1906

Robin:

Thanks for the update. I would have intermittent connection problems on the 1.03 tool on app startup, using a powered hub, but it usually resolved in 2-3 attempts. Didn't recall that problem in 1.02, and 1.04 seems fine too.

Steve NU7B

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Version 1.04 of DVAPTool has been released.
>
> Changes include:
>
> 1) fixed issue where the device would sometimes not be found (works around the USB3 FTDI driver bug and a race condition on Linux).
>
> 2) expanded the 70cm support to include frequencies 421-450 MHz.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

1907. DVAP on Centos 6.3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-26 13:20:31 UTC
From: YO9ION
Topic: 1907 Message: 1907

Hello to everyone,
I have a problem with DVAP dongle install on Centos 6.3, x86_64. I installed all components for run the program, but I think still are missing some components or settings. After 10 minutes the program(DVAPTool) crashes and need restart it.

```
[root@localhost DVAPTool]# ./DVAPTool
Qt: Session management error: None of the authentication protocols specified are supported
DVAPTool version 1.04
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=
DVDevice=
Frequency=146550000
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=13
O/S: Linux
DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
Callsign set to
Frequency set to 146550000
new frequency (146550000)
FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A800f6ti)
Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (YO9ION)
Frequency set to 144112500
new frequency (144112500)
Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
Opened device /dev/ttyUSB0
Timeout getting device name
Timeout getting device name
Timeout getting device name
Cannot get device name
Timeout getting device serial number
Timeout getting device serial number
Timeout getting device serial number
Cannot get device serial number
Device boot firmware version (1.03)
Device app firmware version (1.05)
Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 146000000)
Device receive frequency (144112500)
Device transmit frequency (144112500)
Timeout getting DVAP Device parameters
Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
Opened device /dev/ttyUSB0
Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Device serial number (AP031179)
```

```
Device boot firmware version (1.03)
Device app firmware version (1.05)
Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 146000000)
Device receive frequency (144112500)
Device transmit frequency (144112500)
Device receive frequency (144112500)
Device transmit frequency (144112500)
Finished reading from name server
Device modulation mode (GMSK)
DStar name server text message received ->You are running the latest version of DVAPTool.
Please check the DVAPDongle yahoo group for future software updates
```

here run very good and them:

```
new stream my (MI6WRT / ) ur (CQCQCQ ) r1 (REF001 C) r2 (GB7WT G) on gateway (REF001)
module C
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
Transmit state (ON)
txq 15 devq 32 squelch 7 rssi 129
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=2 ndx=7
0x0000: 90 00 |.. |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
0x0000: 00 81 00 56 |...V |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
0x0000: 56 07 20 90 |V. . |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=5 ndx=0
0x0000: 90 00 81 00 57 |....W |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=3 ndx=0
0x0000: 57 07 20 |W. |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=6 ndx=0
0x0000: 20 90 00 81 00 58 | ....X |
AMBE searching for next packet
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0x0000: 58 07 |X. |
AMBE searching for next packet
txq 2 devq 32 squelch 7 rssi 129
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AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
0x0000: 00 81 00 5e |...^ |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
0x0000: 5e 07 20 90 |^. . |
AMBE searching for next packet
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AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=5 ndx=0
0x0000: 90 00 81 00 5f |...._ |
AMBE searching for next packet
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0x0000: 5f 07 20 |_. |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=6 ndx=0
0x0000: 20 90 00 81 00 60 | ....` |
AMBE searching for next packet
AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=2 ndx=0
0x0000: 60 07 |`. |
AMBE searching for next packet
end stream my (MI6WRT )
Remote system reported 6280 packets transmitted on stream f7a4
Transmit state (OFF)
```

Please tell me here is the problem?

Thank you,
Ionut YO9ION

1908. Re: DVAP on Centos 6.3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-26 14:33:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1907 Message: 1908

Hi Ionut. DVAPTool was compiled and tested on Ubuntu. You might try that. The "AMBE out of sync" message indicated that data is being dropped between the device and the program. That is usually due to inadequate hardware or other programs running that are preventing DVAPTool from getting sufficient CPU cycles.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to (YO9ION)
> Frequency set to 144112500
> new frequency (144112500)
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Opened device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Timeout getting device name
> Timeout getting device name
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> Device serial number (AP031179)
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> Device app firmware version (1.05)
> Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 146000000)
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> 0x0000: 90 00 81 00 5f |...._ |
> AMBE searching for next packet
> AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=3 ndx=0
> 0x0000: 5f 07 20 |_. |
> AMBE searching for next packet
> AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=6 ndx=0
> 0x0000: 20 90 00 81 00 60 | ....` |
> AMBE searching for next packet
> AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=2 ndx=0
> 0x0000: 60 07 |`. |
> AMBE searching for next packet
> end stream my (MI6WRT )
> Remote system reported 6280 packets transmitted on stream f7a4
> Transmit state (OFF)
>
> Please tell me here is the problem?
>
> Thank you,
> Ionut YO9ION
>
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1909. Re: DVAP on Centos 6.3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-26 16:53:12 UTC
From: YO9ION
Topic: 1907 Message: 1909

Hello, Robin
I will try to see exactly where is the problem, I was curious about the 2 errors:
- Qt: Session management error: None of the authentication protocols specified are supported
- DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563

Thank you,
Ionut YO9ION

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Ionut. DVAPTool was compiled and tested on Ubuntu. You might try that. The "AMBE out of sync" message indicated that data is being dropped between the device and the program. That is usually due to inadequate hardware or other programs running that are preventing DVAPTool from getting sufficient CPU cycles.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "YO9ION" <yo9ion@> wrote:
> >
> > Hello to everyone,
> > I have a problem with DVAP dongle install on Centos 6.3, x86_64. I installed all components for run the program, but I think still are missing some components or settings. After 10 minutes the program(DVAPTool) crashes and need restart it.
> >
> > [root@localhost DVAPTool]# ./DVAPTool
> > Qt: Session management error: None of the authentication protocols specified are supported
> > DVAPTool version 1.04
> > Restored parameters:
> > UserCallsign=
> > DVDevice=
> > Frequency=146550000
> > SquelchLevel=-80
> > TxPowerLevel=13
> > O/S: Linux
> > DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> > Callsign set to
> > Frequency set to 146550000
> > new frequency (146550000)
> > FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A800f6ti)
> > Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added

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> > Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> > Callsign set to (YO9ION)
> > Frequency set to 144112500
> > new frequency (144112500)
> > Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> > Opened device /dev/ttyUSB0
> > Timeout getting device name
> > Timeout getting device name
> > Timeout getting device name
> > Cannot get device name
> > Timeout getting device serial number
> > Timeout getting device serial number
> > Timeout getting device serial number
> > Cannot get device serial number
> > Device boot firmware version (1.03)
> > Device app firmware version (1.05)
> > Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 146000000)
> > Device receive frequency (144112500)
> > Device transmit frequency (144112500)
> > Timeout getting DVAP Device parameters
> > Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> > Opened device /dev/ttyUSB0
> > Device name (DVAP Dongle)
> > Device serial number (AP031179)
> > Device boot firmware version (1.03)
> > Device app firmware version (1.05)
> > Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 146000000)
> > Device receive frequency (144112500)
> > Device transmit frequency (144112500)
> > Device receive frequency (144112500)
> > Device transmit frequency (144112500)
> > Finished reading from name server
> > Device modulation mode (GMSK)
> > DStar name server text message received ->You are running the latest version of
DVAPTool.
> > Please check the DVAPDongle yahoo group for future software updates
> >
> > here run very good and them:
> >
> > new stream my (MI6WRT / ) ur (CQCQCQ ) r1 (REF001 C) r2 (GB7WT G) on gateway (REF001)
module C
> > Transmit state (ON)
> > Transmit state (OFF)
> > Transmit state (ON)
> > txq 15 devq 32 squelch 7 rssi 129
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=2 ndx=7
> > 0x0000: 90 00 |.. |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 00 81 00 56 |...V |
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> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 56 07 20 90 |V. . |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=5 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 90 00 81 00 57 |....W |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=3 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 57 07 20 |W. |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=6 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 20 90 00 81 00 58 | ....X |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=2 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 58 07 |X. |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > txq 2 devq 32 squelch 7 rssi 129
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=2 ndx=7
> > 0x0000: 90 00 |.. |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 00 81 00 5e |...^ |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=4 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 5e 07 20 90 |^. . |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=5 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 90 00 81 00 5f |...._ |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=3 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 5f 07 20 |_. |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
> > AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=6 ndx=0
> > 0x0000: 20 90 00 81 00 60 | ....` |
> > AMBE searching for next packet
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> > Please tell me here is the problem?
> >
> > Thank you,
> > Ionut YO9ION
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>
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1910. Running 2 Dvaps on one computer

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-27 00:50:15 UTC
From: n1toq@arrl.net
Topic: 1910 Message: 1910

Does anyone know if its possible to run a 70cm and a 2 meter dvap on the same computer at the same time? Thanks and 73.

1911. Re: [DVAPDongle] Running 2 Dvaps on one computer

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-27 02:16:30 UTC
From: Dennis Rogers
Topic: 1910 Message: 1911

Yes, if you run two different applications/programs.

On Mon, Nov 26, 2012 at 6:50 PM, <n1toq@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> Does anyone know if its possible to run a 70cm and a 2 meter dvap on the
> same computer at the same time? Thanks and 73.
>
>
>

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Dennis, N5VRP
n5vrp.satx@...

1912. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-27 03:38:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1901 Message: 1912

I just installed Windows 8 64. I plugged in the DVAP and it automatically loaded the drivers. I then installed the Bonjour Services (not just the dll). When I installed DVAPTool 1.04, it came up and worked perfectly.

The only change I made to the system was to disable windows firewall for all profiles.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dubinky10" <alsprow@...> wrote:
>
> Well, I admit that I didn't look up dnssd.dll since I had already looked for ftd2xx.dll and didn't find it.
> Problem is, I had already installed the bonjour stuff and it didn't change anything.
>
> Any other suggestions?
>
> Thanks!
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "James" <n0xia@> wrote:
> >
> > Do I dare answer this with dozens of others will probably be responding with the same answer? Yea, why not. Read message #1894
> > http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle/message/1894
> >
> >
> > 73's
> >
> > James, N0XIA
> >
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dubinky10" <alsprow@> wrote:
> > >
> > > I can only figure that this must be because I'm using windows 8.
> > > I installed DVAPTools but it won't run.
> > > First it said I was missing FTD2xx.dll, so I downloaded it.
> > > Then it said I was missing dnssd.dll, so I downloaded it.
> > >
> > > Now it says "The ordinal 79 could not be located in the dynamic link library c:\program files\dvaptool\dvaptool.exe
> > >
> > > Any ideas?
> > >
> >
>

1913. DVAPTool - Linux compiled for RPi?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-11-30 04:23:46 UTC
From: w4oa.mitch@ymail.com
Topic: 1913 Message: 1913

Is the DVAOTool - Linux compiled only for Intel processors? Is there a binary for the Raspberry Pi?

Any other way to use the DVAP with RPi?

Any suggestions welcomed!

Mitch W4OA

1914. My dvapdongle vhf stopped working ....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-02 16:48:51 UTC
From: Rubens
Topic: 1914 Message: 1914

My dvapdongle VHF is working, nothing of the windows no longer recognizes the card, now swapped cable, since I changed computer and does not recognize the DVAP.
On board the LED blinks green and blue LED always on.
What can I do to fix the problem?
Or send to exchange bought the site hamradio.com

Who can help me?

Rubens PU2LRZ

1915. Re: My dvapdongle vhf stopped working ....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-02 17:28:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1914 Message: 1915

Hi Rubens. It sounds like some program has opened your DVAP and is sending data to it. Make sure that you don't have another program running that uses USB devices (like a hotspot). Also, make sure that you are plugging the DVAP directly into a USB port and not through a USB hub. We've seen some hubs that cause problems like these.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Rubens" <rhz_99@...> wrote:
>
> My dvapdongle VHF is working, nothing of the windows no longer recognizes the card, now swapped cable, since I changed computer and does not recognize the DVAP.
> On board the LED blinks green and blue LED always on.
> What can I do to fix the problem?
> Or send to exchange bought the site hamradio.com
>
> Who can help me?
>
>
> Rubens PU2LRZ
>

1916. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: My dvapdongle vhf stopped working ....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-02 18:05:39 UTC
From: Rubens Zolotujin
Topic: 1914 Message: 1916
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Thanks fRobin, or the reply, do not use hub, is connected directly to my PC. When I connect to the computer it is connected with Led Blue and green LED blinking, and windows no longer recognizes the device.

Have you tested it on two computers and presents the same problem.

what else can be done?

Rubens Handerson Zolotujin

De: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
Para: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Enviadas: Domingo, 2 de Dezembro de 2012 15:28
Assunto: [DVAPDongle] Re: My dvapdongle vhf stopped working ....

Hi Rubens. It sounds like some program has opened your DVAP and is sending data to it. Make sure that you don't have another program running that uses USB devices (like a hotspot). Also, make sure that you are plugging the DVAP directly into a USB port and not through a USB hub. We've seen some hubs that cause problems like these.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> My dvapdongle VHF is working, nothing of the windows no longer recognizes the card, now swapped cable, since I changed computer and does not recognize the DVAP.
> On board the LED blinks green and blue LED always on.
> What can I do to fix the problem?
> Or send to exchange bought the site hamradio.com
>
> Who can help me?
>
>
> Rubens PU2LRZ
>

1917. Re: My dvapdongle vhf stopped working ....

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-02 18:12:19 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1914 Message: 1917

Ahh, that is actually the blue and yellow lights (hard to tell through the red case). The green LED pulses slowly at the top right of the case.

Something is transmitting/receiving constantly. Those LEDs are connected to the USB tx/rx from the computer.

Have you tried a different cable? Also, make sure you have the latest drivers from www.ftdichip.com (the VCP version).

If that doesn't resolve it, you can send it back to HRO for an exchange or send it directly to me and I'll take a look at it. You can email me directly for that.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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>
> Thanks fRobin, or the reply, do not use hub, is connected directly to my PC. When I connect to the computer it is connected with Led Blue and green LED blinking, and windows no longer recognizes the device.
>
> Have you tested it on two computers and presents the same problem.
>
> what else can be done?
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> Â
>
>
> Rubens Handerson Zolotujin
>
>

1918. DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 00:02:04 UTC
From: mike_kj6tnn
Topic: 1918 Message: 1918

I have a DVAP Dongle that is about 6 month old. It worked very well with my IC-80D. I upgraded to release 1.04. Now I dont think my transmissions are getting out. When I connect to the PC the voice replys "System Linked Reveive Only".
Has anyone else had this kind of expreiance?
Can this be fixed?

Thanks
Mike_KJ6TNN
KJ6TNN@...

1919. Re: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 00:26:38 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1918 Message: 1919

Hi Mike. Receive only happens when the callsign you are using is not registered. That includes the terminal registration which you use in the 8th character of both mycall in the radio and the callsign field in DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mike_kj6tnn" <mranderson5129@...> wrote:
>
> I have a DVAP Dongle that is about 6 month old. It worked very well with my IC-80D. I upgraded to release 1.04. Now I dont think my transmissions are getting out. When I connect to the PC the voice replys "System Linked Reveive Only".
> Has anyone else had this kind of expreiance?
> Can this be fixed?
>
> Thanks
> Mike_KJ6TNN
> KJ6TNN@...
>

1920. Odd issue: 440 DVAP & ID-31A - doesn't accept I or E command

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 04:56:32 UTC
From: k6brr
Topic: 1920 Message: 1920

Hi All

I scanned the posts and didn't find anything exactly like this.

I'm trying to help a buddy in another state get his ID-31 & 440 DVAP working. I've never actually touched an ID-31 so that presents a bit of a challenge but we've made pretty good progress but hit a minor impasse this afternoon.

We've setup 5 channels using the DVAP's base frequency of 435.500 under the (as I recall the syntax) Repeaters option 20 Simplex section.

These are the YOUR entries:
Channel 1 - CQCQCQ
Channel 2 - xxxxxxxU (where x is a space)
Channel 3 - xxxxxxxI
Channel 3 - xxxxxxxE
Channel 5 - REF014CL

No entries in REF1 or REF2

The DVAP responds to CQCQCQ with the usual beep.
The DVAP responds to the xxxxxxxU <Unlink> with "Not Currently Linked" as it should
However there is no response from the I or the E command - nor does it link to REF014.

I've had him double check the character count of spaces before the commands and verify that we're in DV mode and that the frequency is the same for all the channels.

Any ideas appreciated. I'll get him on the forum tomorrow to simplify the communications.

Thanks & 73,
Dana
K6BRR

1921. DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 06:06:26 UTC
From: mike_kj6tnn
Topic: 1918 Message: 1921

I dont think I understand your answer. My DVAP in registered through WB6BA. Is my issue with WB6BA? How would I fix this?
Thanks
Mike _Kj6TNN
KJ6TNN@Roadrunner.com

1922. Re: Odd issue: 440 DVAP & ID-31A - doesn't accept I or E command

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 15:26:43 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1920 Message: 1922

Hi Dana. Use "DVAPxxxI" and "DVAPxxxE" (where x is a space) to issue commands to the DVAP.

When in doubt, check the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com. The above issue is covered there on the "Using the DVAP" tab in the "Radio Command Reference" section.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k6brr" <k6brr@...> wrote:
>
> Hi All
>
> I scanned the posts and didn't find anything exactly like this.
>
> I'm trying to help a buddy in another state get his ID-31 & 440 DVAP working. I've never actually touched an ID-31 so that presents a bit of a challenge but we've made pretty good progress but hit a minor impasse this afternoon.
>
> We've setup 5 channels using the DVAP's base frequency of 435.500 under the (as I recall the syntax) Repeaters option 20 Simplex section.
>
> These are the YOUR entries:
> Channel 1 - CQCQCQ
> Channel 2 - xxxxxxxU (where x is a space)
> Channel 3 - xxxxxxxI
> Channel 3 - xxxxxxxE
> Channel 5 - REF014CL
>
> No entries in REF1 or REF2
>
> The DVAP responds to CQCQCQ with the usual beep.
> The DVAP responds to the xxxxxxxU <Unlink> with "Not Currently Linked" as it should
> However there is no response from the I or the E command - nor does it link to REF014.
>
> I've had him double check the character count of spaces before the commands and verify that we're in DV mode and that the frequency is the same for all the channels.
>
> Any ideas appreciated. I'll get him on the forum tomorrow to simplify the communications.
>
> Thanks & 73,
> Dana
> K6BRR
>

1923. Re: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 15:32:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1918 Message: 1923

Hi Mike. Here's what your registration looks like:

USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[KJ6TNN] [WB6BA]

TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
[KJ6TNN A] [KJ6TNN A]
[KJ6TNN B] [KJ6TNN B]
[KJ6TNN C] [WB6BA A]
[KJ6TNN D] [KJ6TNN D]

You are missing the "space" terminal. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for instructions on adding the "space" terminal.

If you always use an "A", "B", "C", or "D" in the 8th character of callsign/mycall like above, you won't have an issue. I see from the logs that you are also using a "space" in the 8th character of the callsign field in DVAPTool. You have to register that "space" to use it (or use one of the characters above that you already have registered).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mike_kj6tnn" <mranderson5129@...> wrote:
>
> I dont think I understand your answer. My DVAP in registered through WB6BA. Is my issue with WB6BA? How would I fix this?
> Thanks
> Mike _Kj6TNN
> KJ6TNN@...
>

1924. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Odd issue: 440 DVAP & ID-31A - doesn't accept I or E command

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-03 18:19:00 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 1920 Message: 1924

Robin

That's the format we used in the Display field - I'll do the same thing in the YOUR field.

I'll forward the link. http://www.dvapdongle.com

By the way I have 3 of the 2M DVAPs - The DVAP dongle is among the most useful and fun ham radio items that I've purchased - and I have a lot of toys.

Thank you for the superb product design and ongoing support.

73,
Dana
K6BRR

On Dec 3, 2012, at 7:26 AM, aa4rc wrote:

> Hi Dana. Use "DVAPxxxI" and "DVAPxxxE" (where x is a space) to issue commands to the DVAP.
>
> When in doubt, check the instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com. The above issue is covered there on the "Using the DVAP" tab in the "Radio Command Reference" section.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k6brr" <k6brr@...> wrote:
>>
>> Hi All
>>
>> I scanned the posts and didn't find anything exactly like this.
>>
>> I'm trying to help a buddy in another state get his ID-31 & 440 DVAP working. I've never actually touched an ID-31 so that presents a bit of a challenge but we've made pretty good progress but hit a minor impasse this afternoon.
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>>
>> Thanks & 73,
>> Dana
>> K6BRR
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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1925. Re: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-05 01:23:50 UTC
From: mike_kj6tnn
Topic: 1918 Message: 1925

Hi Robin
I feel like such a dope. This can not be that hard, this is what I have done so far...
I went into the registration pages and reconfigured as your log shows;
[KJ6TNN A] [KJ6TNN A]
> [KJ6TNN B] [KJ6TNN B]
> [KJ6TNN C] [WB6BA A]
> [KJ6TNN D] [KJ6TNN D]

I could not make any contacts using my ID80 HT. I tried the DV Dongle with no success. I followed your instructions you provided on adding the space.

The DVAP links but the transmission does not go through.
I checked the MYCALL on the HT. It reads KJ6TNN (No Letters after the call sign so it would show as a blak in the 8th position?)

I am thinking that I must add a letter in the 8th place in MY CALL. Is this true?
So I reconfigured my registration page to read:
KJ6TNN A kj6tnna-DVAP
KJ6TNN (Space 8th) kj6tnn-ID80
KJ6TNN C kj6tnnc-dvdongle

It links up but the transmissions do not go through. Please help me. What am I doing wrong?

Thanks
Mike - KJ6TNN
KJ6TNN@...

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mike. Here's what your registration looks like:
>
> USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
> [KJ6TNN] [WB6BA]
>
> TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
> [KJ6TNN A] [KJ6TNN A]
> [KJ6TNN B] [KJ6TNN B]
> [KJ6TNN C] [WB6BA A]
> [KJ6TNN D] [KJ6TNN D]
>
> You are missing the "space" terminal. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for instructions on adding the "space" terminal.
>
> If you always use an "A", "B", "C", or "D" in the 8th character of callsign/mycall like above, you won't have an issue. I see from the logs that you are also using a "space" in the 8th character of the callsign field in DVAPTool. You have to register that "space" to

use it (or use one of the characters above that you already have registered).
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
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> > Thanks
> > Mike _Kj6TNN
> > KJ6TNN@
> >
>

1926. DVAP on Raspberry Pi?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-05 06:07:11 UTC
From: w4oa.mitch@ymail.com
Topic: 1926 Message: 1926

Robin,

I have the 70cm DVAP and ID-31A, and am having a ball!!! Great product and very easy to use.

I would like to make a portable hotspot using a Raspberry Pi and the DVAP, with the hotspot on my cell phone providing the internet connection. The Raspberry Pi with wireless adapter works great with my cell phone for surfing the web.

Have you any plans to compile the DVAPTool for the Raspberry Pi?

Thanks,
Mitch W4OA

1927. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-05 13:53:24 UTC
From: Bob Lucas
Topic: 1918 Message: 1927

Once you are linked up, in order to transmit you must switch the "URCALL" field to "CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system). I hope that helps. 73

 Bob - W4WBG

From: mike_kj6tnn <mranderson5129@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 4, 2012 8:23 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle

Hi Robin
I feel like such a dope. This can not be that hard, this is what I have done so far...
I went into the registration pages and reconfigured as your log shows;
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> [KJ6TNN B] [KJ6TNN B]
> [KJ6TNN C] [WB6BA A]
> [KJ6TNN D] [KJ6TNN D]

I could not make any contacts using my ID80 HT. I tried the DV Dongle with no success. I followed your instructions you provided on adding the space.

The DVAP links but the transmission does not go through.
I checked the MYCALL on the HT. It reads KJ6TNN (No Letters after the call sign so it would show as a blak in the 8th position?)

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KJ6TNN (Space 8th) kj6tnn-ID80
KJ6TNN C kj6tnnc-dvdongle

It links up but the transmissions do not go through. Please help me. What am I doing wrong?

Thanks
Mike - KJ6TNN
mailto:KJ6TNN%40roadrunner.com

--- In mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mike. Here's what your registration looks like:
>
> USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
> [KJ6TNN] [WB6BA]
>
> TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
> [KJ6TNN A] [KJ6TNN A]
> [KJ6TNN B] [KJ6TNN B]

> [KJ6TNN C] [WB6BA A]
> [KJ6TNN D] [KJ6TNN D]
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> You are missing the "space" terminal. Take a look at the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for instructions on adding the "space" terminal.
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> If you always use an "A", "B", "C", or "D" in the 8th character of callsign/mycall like above, you won't have an issue. I see from the logs that you are also using a "space" in the 8th character of the callsign field in DVAPTool. You have to register that "space" to use it (or use one of the characters above that you already have registered).
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> 73,
> Robin
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> >
> > I dont think I understand your answer. My DVAP in registered through WB6BA. Is my issue with WB6BA? How would I fix this?
> > Thanks
> > Mike _Kj6TNN
> > KJ6TNN@
> >
>

1928. Re: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-05 14:31:03 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1918 Message: 1928

Hi Mike. Bob Lucas brought up a good point. Make sure that you have switched back to "CQCQCQ " to talk.

I just looked up your registration and the "space" entry has not made it out to the network. Until it does, you will have to use the "A", "B", "C", or "D" in the 8th position of the callsign field in DVAPTool as well as the mycall field in your radio.

Check back with the gateway where you registered to make sure that space entry is there. Also, if you know the admin of the gateway, ask him to check to make sure his system is syncing with the network.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1929. Re: DVAP on Raspberry Pi?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-05 14:32:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1926 Message: 1929

Hi Mitch. I just started setting up a Pi for development. I'll announce here once I have something to test.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4oa.mitch@..." <mitchsfm@...> wrote:
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> Robin,
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> I have the 70cm DVAP and ID-31A, and am having a ball!!! Great product and very easy to use.
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> I would like to make a portable hotspot using a Raspberry Pi and the DVAP, with the hotspot on my cell phone providing the internet connection. The Raspberry Pi with wireless adapter works great with my cell phone for surfing the web.
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> Have you any plans to compile the DVAPTool for the Raspberry Pi?
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> Thanks,
> Mitch W4OA
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1930. DVAP Tool Installer 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-06 13:26:02 UTC
From: Geoff
Topic: 1930 Message: 1930

Hi

Have downloaded 1.04 and,after the installation completed and when trying to start, an error message stating that dnssd.dll couldn't be found.O/S is Windows XP and have been using 1.02 successfully for some time.

Geoff M0AUG

1931. Re: DVAP Tool Installer 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-06 21:14:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1930 Message: 1931

Hi Geoff. Please read the installation instructions. They discuss this very issue. It has also been discussed here many times and is discussed in the release announcement in this group.

Hint, follow step 9 in the installation guide at www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1932. Re: DVAP Tool Installer 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-07 11:27:35 UTC
From: Geoff
Topic: 1930 Message: 1932

Hi Robin

Only just joined the group, so didn't see previous posts. Thought that as 1.02 was already installed that 1.04 would just update the existing installation. Step 9 fixed the issue thanks.

73
Geoff M0AUG

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1933. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tool Installer 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-07 11:32:16 UTC
From: Steve Porter
Topic: 1930 Message: 1933

Hi
Make sure you completely delete the old version, plug in the dongle to your USB first and xp should look for the software automatically. I had the same problem because I installed the software first then plugged in the dongle and got errors with .dll files missing.
Good luck
Steve G4NHP

Sent from Steve Porter
Mobile 07836555321

On 6 Dec 2012, at 13:26, "Geoff" <m0aug@yahoo.co.uk> wrote:

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1934. Re: DVAP Tool Installer 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-07 13:10:17 UTC
From: Geoff
Topic: 1930 Message: 1934

Thanks Steve

Robin's reply solved the issue, but thanks anyway.

73
Geoff M0AUG

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Steve Porter <steveporter@...> wrote:
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1935. DVAP Will not connect to reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-08 19:37:24 UTC
From: J.D.
Topic: 1935 Message: 1935

uhf dvap shows blue light blinking and also shows the red bar graph when trying to connect to a reflector but will not connect. tried on 3 known working computers?? no problem with a dongle

1936. Re: DVAP Will not connect to reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-09 00:52:09 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1935 Message: 1936

Hi J.D.

When you try to link to a reflector, what do the mycall/urcall/rpt1/rpt2 fields in DVAPTool show?

If there was a problem with your internet connection when you clicked "Open", it would not have received the reflector list. Try clicking "Close" and then "Open" again to refresh the list.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "J.D." <kf4pbo@...> wrote:
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1937. Re: DVAP Will not connect to reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-09 01:31:07 UTC
From: J.D.
Topic: 1935 Message: 1937

Robin they are all blank it shows device opened on the bottom

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1938. Re: DVAP Will not connect to reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-09 12:53:24 UTC
From: J.D.
Topic: 1935 Message: 1938

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-09 14:10:46 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1935 Message: 1939

Hi J.D.

I see that you are currently connected to REF030 and also connected earlier today to REF001. With which reflector are you having problems?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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1940. Re: DVAP on Raspberry Pi?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-11 18:35:44 UTC
From: w4oa.mitch@ymail.com
Topic: 1926 Message: 1940

Many thanks! It appears that there is a LOT of interest of using the RPi and DVAP with a cellphone for a portable D-Star hotspot. Also, it will be nice to just set the RPi and DVAP in the shack for the shack connection.

Mitch W4OA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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1941. Fwd: D-STAR Live Video Broadcast by W5KUB.COM, Saturday, 12/29, 10 am - 4 pm CST (1500 - 2100 UTC)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-15 07:35:50 UTC
From: Mark Thompson
Topic: 1941 Message: 1941
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

-----Original Message-----
From: Ray Novak <RayNovak@...>
Sent: Fri, Dec 14, 2012 7:39 pm
Subject: D-STAR Live

Mark your calendars and be an active participant!!!! Also, please share this with anyone you know who is either D-STAR curious or D-STAR interested.

73,

Ray Novak, N9JA
Division Manager – Amateur and Receiver Products
Tel: 425.454.8155
http://www.icomamerica.com/

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John Davis, WB4QDX GA D-STAR/www.dstarinfo.com
Ed Woodrick, WA4YIH GA D-STAR/www.dstarinfo.com
Robin Cutshaw, AA4RC Internet Labs
Live chatroom host: Tom Medlin, W5KUB
Check out W5KUB.com for details on the show.

1942. Re: DVAP on Raspberry Pi?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-15 23:28:44 UTC
From: craigdamlo
Topic: 1926 Message: 1942

I agree with using the RPi as the host computer in the shack. It would be nice to just have it running all the time without having to run the software on my main computer. The price of the RPi makes them great single use computers.

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1943. "Dropping Extra Voice/Data Packets"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-18 21:47:19 UTC
From: brian95008
Topic: 1943 Message: 1943

I just loaded DVAP ver. 1.02 on my new Win 8 machine and now when transmitting I'll occasionally see an error on the DOS screen that reads "Dropping Extra Voice/Data Packets". This setup was working great on my old Win 7 PC.

Any ideas on what would be causing this?

'73
Brian
K6SCC

1944. Re: "Dropping Extra Voice/Data Packets"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-18 22:43:04 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1943 Message: 1944

Hi Brian. You should be using version 1.04 of DVAPTool. The "extra" packets are normal and can be ignored. The UDP protocol can have duplicate/out of order packets. It doesn't hurt anything in DVAPTool.

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Robin
AA4RC

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1945. Re: "Dropping Extra Voice/Data Packets"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-19 21:25:59 UTC
From: brian95008
Topic: 1943 Message: 1945

Thanks, Robin. I loaded ver 1.04 and all seems to be working fine. BUT, I do see on the DVAP Version 1.04 screen some words in-bedded in the program are cut-off. Like "Station Callsign" is missing the "gn". "DVAP Device" is missing the "ce". "Force Disconnect" is missing the "F".

Is this a known issue?

I've also heard from another user on Win. 7 he's seeing the same thing.

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1946. Re: "Dropping Extra Voice/Data Packets"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-19 23:01:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1943 Message: 1946

Hi Brian. If you increase your default font size in Windows, it will cause problems for DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "brian95008" <bdchristensen@...> wrote:
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1947. "D-STAR Live", December 29th on W5KUB.com

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-20 01:00:42 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 1947 Message: 1947

W5KUB.COM presents a special live video broadcast, "D-STAR Live", on December 29, 2012 from 10:00 AM until 4:00PM Central time (1500 until 2100 UTC). The live Internet broadcast will feature many D-STAR topics discussed by Ray Novak, N9JA, of Icom, Robin Cutshaw, AA4RC, co-creator of the DVDongle, DVAP and D-Plus, John Davis, WB4QDX, frequent D-STAR speaker and trainer, and Ed Woodrick, WA4YIH, of DSTARinfo.com and the D-STAR Calculator.

The broadcast will also host live chat for questions and comments and will feature a live D-STAR net on the air. For more information, check out www.W5KUB.com.

1948. Invalid Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-20 18:12:30 UTC
From: Michael
Topic: 1948 Message: 1948

Hello, I cant get my new 440 DVAP to accept any frequency. it keeps telling me invalid frequency.Any suggestions

1949. Re: Invalid Frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-20 21:18:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1948 Message: 1949

Hi Michael. Make sure you are using version 1.04 of DVAPTool. Enter the frequency in Hz (so 444.500 MHz would be 444500000).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Michael" <n8qya@...> wrote:
>
> Hello, I cant get my new 440 DVAP to accept any frequency. it keeps telling me invalid frequency.Any suggestions
>

1950. No local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 02:11:26 UTC
From: Brad Cunningham
Topic: 1950 Message: 1950

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Brad
KL1IF

1951. DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 02:37:43 UTC
From: bradlcunningham
Topic: 1951 Message: 1951

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Brad, KL1IF

1952. Re: DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 14:39:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1951 Message: 1952

Hi Brad. There are a number of gateway admins that will help you (many on this list). :)

If you don't get a quick response, send me a direct email and I'll resolve your issue.

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> Brad, KL1IF
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1953. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 15:09:16 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1951 Message: 1953

Brad,

I would think that is true if your local gateway block DVDongle users as we do. We don't do this because we don't want them. We do it because of limited bandwidth and most of our repeaters are connected to a reflector. Reflectors have n=much more bandwidth than repeater gateways.

If you are concerned about not be able to use your DVDongle on your local repeater, I would contact the admin to find out if you can before buying it. Otherwise, there are plenty of places you can connect to use it.

--Fran, W1FJM

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<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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1954. Re: [DVAPDongle] No local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 16:16:55 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 1950 Message: 1954

Brad IF asked:

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> trustee for acces? What if there is no dstar repeater where I live, or
> what if the local repeater trustee does not play well with others? I
> would hate to buy one of these only to find I have to have some ones
> else's "permission" to use it.

I hope I am not completely misreading or misunderstanding your question, but you do not have to rely on someone else any more than you would if you went to Ham Radio Outlet or Amateur Electronic Supply (or others) and bought a new radio.

As long as you are a registered D-STAR user, and that process is relatively simple, and you understand the FCC rules, you should not have to get permission from anybody else.

If I am wrong, I hope I can rely upon someone on this list to correct me in a pleasant and educational manner.

Dave Schultheis

WB6KHP San Jose

1955. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 16:46:21 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1951 Message: 1955

It appears that Brad is already setup on dstar.

http://query.ki4swy.org/index.php

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----

From: aa4rc

Sent: Dec 23, 2012 6:39 AM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Network Access help please.

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> Brad, KL1IF

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1956. RE: [DVAPDongle] No local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 17:03:01 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 1950 Message: 1956
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Brad,

The DVAP dongle gives you the ability to connect, via the Internet, to any D-Star repeater with a Gateway and any reflector. You don’t have to even have a local repeater. You normally register your callsign with your nearest D-Star repeater, but you can also register elsewhere if your nearest or local repeater owner is resistant. You will find that the store where you purchased your DVAP will register you if you ask them. Once registered, you will be able to enjoy the full functionality of your DVAP. I’ve owned one since they came out and have thoroughly enjoyed it.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brad Cunningham
Sent: Saturday, December 22, 2012 9:11 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] No local repeater

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Brad
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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2013.0.2805 / Virus Database: 2637/5975 - Release Date: 12/20/12

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1957. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 19:50:19 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 1951 Message: 1957

Brad:
I think you will find that most D-STAR repeater operators will allow a limited number of simultaneous Dongle or DVAP users to connect directly to a repeater. By default, the DPLUS software running on most repeaters to support Dongles and DVAPs allows up to four direct connections. Systems can increase or decrease that number depending on their Internet connections.

Keep in mind that if a particular repeater is linked to a reflector, your direct link to that repeater is also connected to the reflector. If you know that a local repeater normally links to a reflector, it would be best for you to connect directly to that reflector since reflectors have much more bandwidth to handle many connections.

I also confirmed that your callsign is already registered on WO0MD with a terminal added so you should be good to go anywhere. Have fun on D-STAR!

John WB4QDX

1958. Raspberry Pi distribution

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 20:34:01 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 1958 Message: 1958

Hello,

for those of you running Raspberry Pi with dvservice what distribution have you loaded? I downloaded Raspien and dvservice is unable to load libdns_sd.so.

Here is what I'm seeing:

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open("/usr/lib/libdns_sd.so", O_RDONLY) = 3
read(3,
"\177ELF\1\1\1\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\3\0(\0\1\0\0\0\354\17\0\0004\0\0\0"...,
512) = 512
lseek(3, 22628, SEEK_SET) = 22628
read(3,
"\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0\0"...,
1000) = 1000
lseek(3, 22332, SEEK_SET) = 22332
read(3, "A2\0\0\0aeabi\0\1(\0\0\0\0057-A\0\6\n\7A\10\1\t\2\n\3\f"...,
51) = 51
close(3) = 0
stat64("/usr/lib", {st_mode=S_IFDIR|0755, st_size=12288, ...}) = 0
writev(2, [{"dvservice", 9}, {": ", 2}, {"error while loading shared
libra"..., 36}, {": ", 2}, {"libdns_sd.so", 12}, {": ", 2}, {"cannot
open shared object file", 30}, {": ", 2}, {"No such file or directory",
25}, {"\n", 1}], 10dvservice: error while loading shared libraries:
libdns_sd.so: cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory
) = 121
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This is with dvservice-angstrom. I'm downloading archlinux now.

73,
Chris k4fh

1959. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 21:32:55 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 1951 Message: 1959

You could block DVDongle users from connecting to your gateway if you need to due to bandwidth considerations. But they still need to register somewhere.

In such a case, I would think you could still work with them by letting them register on your site, but educate them on why they should connect to a reflector instead of your gateway.

Mark

On 12/23/2012 8:09 AM, Fran Miele wrote:
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1960. Re: DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 22:28:16 UTC
From: James
Topic: 1951 Message: 1960

There have been a lot of responses to your question about access to the D-Star network via a DVAP. I think "permission" is not the correct word to use. The registration process is meant to verify the requester is a licensed ham. Registering on a local gateway is hoping the local admin (or admins) would have a better chance of knowing who you are and that you are a supporter of that gateway/repeater just like any other repeater in your area. The latter is difficult to apply to users that really are not considered local to the nearest gateway and can get access through any of the Dplus supported devices via the Internet. As you can see from the over whelming response to your thread, if you are a ham, you will have no problem getting registered (which you have already done). If your call is removed from that gateway (death, theft, no local interest in supporting the gateway, etc) you can get registered elsewhere. Have you ever tried to register on Echolink? D-Star registration is not a big deal. From an Admin's perspective, I think it is just harder to manage.

73

James, N0XIA

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1961. Re: DVAP Network Access help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-23 23:51:10 UTC
From: bradlcunningham
Topic: 1951 Message: 1961

Thanks for the advice everyone. I use to use dstar locally but have been away for about 5 years out of the country. Good to know I'm still registered. And good to know the dongle is independent of others. I intend to use locally while I am back in country, then use in the mission field when I return.

Thanks everyone.

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1962. DVAP 70CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-24 10:54:05 UTC
From: dandaham
Topic: 1962 Message: 1962

Merry Christmas all

I am new to Dstar and am trying to use the 70CM DVAP with the ID-31.
The problem I am having is after I connect to a Reflector or Gateway, once I transmit, after a short while the DVAP stops transmitting even tho I am still transmitting on Handheld.

My Internet connection speed is, 8Mbps Download, 2Mbps Upload

Anyone got any ideas what is going on?

73 Daniel ZL4DE

1963. Re: DVAP 70CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-25 17:39:55 UTC
From: m0lta
Topic: 1962 Message: 1963

3 minute timeout? Could that be the problem

Andrew

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dandaham" <zl4de@...> wrote:
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1964. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP 70CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-25 18:43:07 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1962 Message: 1964

You should be using version 1.04 of DVAPTool

Is this the version you are currently using? Just a guess, I hope you get it sorted out

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of dandaham
Sent: Monday, December 24, 2012 2:54 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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1965. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP 70CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-26 12:20:14 UTC
From: Daniel Erickson
Topic: 1962 Message: 1965

Thanks Brain. I can confirm I am using version 1.04. And it's not a timing issue as the times that it drops varies.

Kind Regards
Daniel Erickson ZL4DE

On 26/12/2012, at 7:43, "Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:

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1966. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP 70CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-27 14:45:49 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 1962 Message: 1966

Are you running any type of "Port checker" or anti-intrusion software "firewall" that might be causing issues?

WA6JFK
BrIAn

-----Original Message-----

From: Daniel Erickson

Sent: Dec 26, 2012 4:20 AM

To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com"

Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP 70CM

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1967. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP 70CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-28 00:40:43 UTC
From: Michael Anderson
Topic: 1962 Message: 1967

If your using a laptop with the DVAP check you screen saver settings and
your hard drive and general systems settings. They are typically set to
have screen saver go on in 5 min. And hard drive shut down up to 30 min.
I had to disable all of these setting in order to get reasonable talk time.
Regards
On Dec 27, 2012 6:23 AM, "Daniel Erickson" <zl4de@...> wrote:

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1968. 70CM dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-28 03:15:21 UTC
From: kc2idb
Topic: 1968 Message: 1968

Hello all, New to the group here, im having a problem only when I connect to REF001C it reports dup packets from the same call no matter how many times i Connect or disconnect from it, all the id-31a does is make random r2d2 until I force disconnect. It only happened when I connect to that reflector. Any other reflector it works just fine.

Thanks
Ken

1969. package voice prompts dvap download

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-28 16:31:07 UTC
From: Rubens Zolotujin
Topic: 1969 Message: 1969

Please someone possesses the audible voice prompts package for use in DVAP? Who can help me? if you have better in Portuguese, but you can send me in English

thanks!

Rubens Handerson Zolotujin

1970. Re: DVAP on Android?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-30 00:48:48 UTC
From: Doug
Topic: 1777 Message: 1970

Robin,
This is awesome news and I look forward to the app. You certainly do great work. You know the release date?

Thanks,
Doug / KF4REN

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Eric. I'm actively working on the Android software. This will probably be a paid program and sold through the Google Play store. It will require Android 4.0 (ICS) or later.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, KF4IXA <kf4ixa@> wrote:
> >
> > This question is directed to Robin (AA4RC).
> >
> > I watched the interview on Ham Radio Now (great interview). Robin, you
> > mentioned something about developing a method for connecting a DVAP to an
> > Android phone (and possibly to iOS too) in the Ham Radio Now interview. Is
> > this getting closer to a reality? If so, is there a time frame to
> > availability? This means I will have to get a new Android phone... :-)
> >
> > Thanks in advance!
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> > --
> > Eric Gissendaner
> > KF4IXA
> >
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1971. No DV AP Dongle Found.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-30 02:01:32 UTC
From: Doug
Topic: 1971 Message: 1971

I know this sounds old to you guys, but I cannot finD the answer when I searched the forum. I have a 64 bit Vista machine. Versions 1.02 and 1.03 of the DVAPTool works. However, if I try to use 1.04 or 1.05 with my 2 Meter DVAP, I get "no dv ap dongle found". I then manually downloaded the latest driver from www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm for my machine. It tells me after the update, I need to reboot and I do. Even after all of this, the newer software doesn't seem to recognize my dongle. I then said, "it must be my dongle needs a firmware update". I try this and the software that updateds the firmware doesn't work. It doesn't see the DVAP. I try DVUpdater 1.03, 1.04, and 1.05. None of these recognize the dongle. My dvap dongle works just fine with dvaptool 1.02 and 1.03. So, I know my dvap is okay.

Does anyone have any suggestions?

Doug
KF4REN

1972. DVAP on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-30 04:46:38 UTC
From: birmham@bellsouth.net
Topic: 1972 Message: 1972

The DVAP software installs and the driver as well. It identifies the dongle and appears to work but it won't communicate with the radio. Works just fine on Windows machine.

1973. Re: 70CM dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-30 14:19:14 UTC
From: Eugene
Topic: 1968 Message: 1973

I had the same problem on reflector 1C 2 nights ago. I think a radio was stuck on a linked repeater. It is working fine for me now.

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1974. Re: DVAP on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-30 21:09:25 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1972 Message: 1974

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AA4RC

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1975. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-30 21:12:47 UTC
From: kf4ren
Topic: 1971 Message: 1975

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1976. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-31 03:17:38 UTC
From: Michael Birmingham
Topic: 1972 Message: 1976

Dear Robin,

My name is Mike Birmingham, KK4LJG and I am a very new D-Star user. I installed the driver, and it works. I didn't have to change the frequency. Thank you so much for your help.

Happy New Year!

Mike

On Dec 30, 2012, at 4:09 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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1977. Re: DVAP on Android?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-31 18:06:24 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 1777 Message: 1977

I watched the broadcast on W5KUB this past weekend and noticed the tease for Android support. I have a Galaxy S3, Nexus 7, ASUS Transformer Prime, and if they ever release a 64gb Nexus 10 I'll get one of those too. I've been watching the 440 DVAP with serious interest and will probably be purchasing one next time I can find a sale or used unit. The fact that you will be supporting Android at some time in the future is a huge selling point to me. I appreciate all of the time and effort you are putting into this development!

Have a Very Happy New Year!

Robert

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Eric. I'm actively working on the Android software. This will probably be a paid program and sold through the Google Play store. It will require Android 4.0 (ICS) or later.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, KF4IXA <kf4ixa@> wrote:
> >
> > This question is directed to Robin (AA4RC).
> >
> > I watched the interview on Ham Radio Now (great interview). Robin, you
> > mentioned something about developing a method for connecting a DVAP to an
> > Android phone (and possibly to iOS too) in the Ham Radio Now interview. Is
> > this getting closer to a reality? If so, is there a time frame to
> > availability? This means I will have to get a new Android phone... :-)
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> > Thanks in advance!
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> > --
> > Eric Gissendaner
> > KF4IXA
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1978. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2012-12-31 23:32:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1971 Message: 1978

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1979. Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-01 19:01:49 UTC
From: michael_w6oso
Topic: 1979 Message: 1979

I have a new Raspberry Pi running Linux Wheezy. I want to run the 2 meter DVAP software on the Raspberry PI. I downloaded from the DVAP website the file: DVAPTool - Linux :
http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-1.04-linux.tgz
The Rasberry Pi will not open the the downloaded software.

Does anyone know how to configure the DVAO software for the Raspberry Pi (Wheezy)? Does the Linux version of the DVAP software act like the Windows version? Do I have to load additional software to the Pi to make the DVAP work?

Any help would be very appreciated.
Thanks
Mike - W60SO

1980. Re: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-02 14:39:24 UTC
From: Graham Saville
Topic: 1979 Message: 1980

Hi mike .tgz is a tarball which is like a zip file so you need to unzip
this first eith xarchive which should be on the pi. Then run the bin file
that is in the unzipped folder. Linux is different to windows.
Let me know how far you get I will see if I can help you.
I have my DVAP running on the rsspberry pi raspbain with Johnathon naylors
software and its so stable.

Graham G1rnz
On 2 Jan 2013 13:45, "michael_w6oso" <kj6tnn@...> wrote:

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1981. Re: No DV AP Dongle Found.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-04 02:34:13 UTC
From: kf4ren
Topic: 1971 Message: 1981

Sorry about that. It is version 1.04 dvtool that will not work and none of the dvupdater won't recognize the dvap. I am using the dvap, but can't use the the 1.04. It makes me wonder if it is just vista 64 giving me problems.

Doug / KF4REN

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1982. DVAP Shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-06 23:33:26 UTC
From: birmham@bellsouth.net
Topic: 1982 Message: 1982

I have noticed that the DVAP shuts down after a period of time of monitoring. Is this normal and what is the shutdown time? Can it be changed? Thanks.

1983. DAVP Mobile HOTSPOT

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-07 01:24:56 UTC
From: ve7hj
Topic: 1983 Message: 1983

I just finished loading another Video of my DVAP Hotspot setup which I will be installing in my mobile. I tested it in SUV last week and it worked really well. I brought the components back into the house to do some further work and testing of a power fail-over system. That works 100 percent as hoped. Now over the next week I will install all of the pieces on my vehicle.

Here is a link to the YouTube Video: http://youtu.be/URN59ignIZY
And I placed a PDF file of the layout and components in Files under VE7HJ Mobile Hotspot

73, VE7HJ
James

1984. VE7HJ DVAP Mobile Hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-07 15:22:55 UTC
From: Terry
Topic: 1984 Message: 1984

Just ordered the Raspberry Pi and plan to follow in your foot steps. Rather than a car, I plan to establish the hotspot in a travel trailer.

Terry - W6LMJ

1985. Re: Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-07 15:23:47 UTC
From: Terry
Topic: 1979 Message: 1985

Good morning all. I too plan to run a Rasberry Pi. Mine will be in a travel trailer and also provide a hotspot.

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1986. DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-08 04:29:27 UTC
From: simon.dowson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1986 Message: 1986

Hi...

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Sorry for the long post... I have been fighting this thing since Xmas.

Any suggestions gratefully received!

Thanks - Simon - G4EQS

1987. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-08 05:39:55 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 1982 Message: 1987

Hi Birmham,

Please explain what you mean with "the DVAP shuts down"?
My DVAP does not do that.
I can shut down the software that I am using to control it but the DVAP remains active until I power it off.
What I noticed is that the DVAP "locks up" from time to time.
This is mainly caused when bad signals are received (I call those R2D2 signals, sorry I am a Star Wars fan).

If this is what you mean than it should not be accepted as normal. There is no timer to set or change for this.
It would require a firmware update to solve.

Good luck.

Bert, PE1KZU

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Op 07-01-13 00:33, birmham@... schreef:
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1988. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-08 12:20:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1986 Message: 1988

Hi Simon. The DVAP swaps the AMBE in the DV Dongle for a RF modem chip so it does not work with DVTool.

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1989. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-08 13:53:13 UTC
From: simon.dowson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1986 Message: 1989

Hi Robin,

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1991. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-09 03:17:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1986 Message: 1991

Hi Simon. Let me know if you have issues with registration. I can point you to some helpful folks (if some of the nice folks here don't get to you first).

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1992. Re: VE7HJ DVAP Mobile Hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-09 05:11:31 UTC
From: ve7hj
Topic: 1984 Message: 1992

Terry

That sounds like a great idea. I am so pleased with the way my system is working.
If you have any questions let me know.

James VE7HJ

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1993. Re: Mountain Lion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-09 14:35:45 UTC
From: m1acb
Topic: 1993 Message: 1993

It works well for me on Mountain Lion - no problems.

Steve, M1ACB

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Lewis" wrote:
>
> Looking to move off of the Windows platform and use my Mac for amateur radio, anyone using DVAPDongle with Mountain Lion, and if so how well does it work?
>
> 73
> Lew
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1994. HamRadioNow: Double Dose of D-STAR at the DCC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-09 22:23:49 UTC
From: Gary Pearce KN4AQ
Topic: 1994 Message: 1994

HamRadioNow: Double Dose of D-STAR at the DCC

HamRadioNow has just uploaded two D-STAR related talks from last September's ARRL/TAPR Digital Communications Conference! Watch them at: www.HamRadioNow.tv.

The first talk is from Moe Wheatley AE4JY, on how he developed the DVAP. You've probably seen Robin Cutshaw AA4RC, either live at a forum or on one of our videos (and an interview in Episode 20). Robin wrote the software for the DVDongle and DVAP, and he's been the public face of the products. But this time, Moe steps out of the shadows (or from the back row of the forums) and makes his own presentation... and he does a great job!

Next, John Davis WB4QDX - a familiar name to just about everyone in D-STAR - digs into the low and high speed data modes, and shows how easy it is to use the D-RATS program with your radio. And in case you missed, it, HamRadioNow has John's three-hour D-STAR training seminar from last year's Dayton Hamvention? (look for Episode 12).

If you're curious about digital voice beyond D-STAR, there's a TAPR talk on the state of HF digital voice just before John's talk.

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73,
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1995. No rx audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-09 23:32:28 UTC
From: Glenn Dunstan - Dunstan and Associates
Topic: 1995 Message: 1995

Hello all from Tropical Australia

I have a strange problem with my UHF DVAP.

It has been working perfectly for about 2 weeks, until yesterday.

I can not get any receive audio on my radio (880H) from the dongle.

If I key up the radio on the Dongle freq with a simple CQCQCQ call, I can see the dongle transmit a response on the radio S meter, but I do not receive any recovered audio from the radio - there is no 'beep'.

Similarly, I can connect to a reflector, but there is no connection message decoded from the radio - I see the carrier back from the Dongle, but there is no recovered audio.

All the Dongle LEDs are working normally, and I listened to the Dongle in FM mode - there is data modulation on the Dongle signal OK.

The radio is OK - I can key up the local DStar repeater normally.

I swapped the dongle to another PC - same problem.

Ideas?

73
Glenn VK4DU

1996. Re: No rx audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-10 02:05:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1995 Message: 1996

Hi Glenn. Try changing your radio frequency up/down 5 kHz and see if that makes a difference. If it does, you just need to calibrate your DVAP. Try downloading the DVAP Util from the download page at dvapdongle.com. Run it and center the RF footprint by changing the calibration value in the lower left corner.

We've seen this happen a couple of times lately when programs other than DVAPTool were used with the DVAP (especially on the raspberry pi).

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1997. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: No rx audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-10 02:28:05 UTC
From: Glenn Dunstan - Dunstan and Associates
Topic: 1995 Message: 1997

Thanks

Wilco.

Regards
Glenn

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-10 02:52:27 UTC
From: Glenn Dunstan - Dunstan and Associates
Topic: 1995 Message: 1998

Many thanks Robin.

Was off freq

Ran the cal program. Back on freq.

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Glenn

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-10 14:27:56 UTC
From: Victor Johnson
Topic: 1994 Message: 1999

Gary

Any idea when the GNU/SDR Sunday sessions of the ARRL/TAPR 2012 DCC will appear?

Thanks

Vic K4GXV

2000. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-10 19:29:59 UTC
From: simon.dowson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1986 Message: 2000

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2001. Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-10 23:01:37 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1077 Message: 2001

I have experienced several lock ups with my DVAP. What I mean is that both the Blue and RED lights stay on and my handheld displays a constant "FM Detect" message until I unplug the DVAP from the USB. This happens when using the DVAP with both DVAPTOOL on my Windows machine and Johnathan Naylor's software on my Raspberry PI. It usually occurs after the DVAP has been running 24x7 for a couple of weeks, although it happened twice today

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2002. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-11 03:10:21 UTC
From: Glenn Dunstan - Dunstan and Associates
Topic: 1986 Message: 2002

Hello Simon

You need to get registered through your local gateway.

Where is your nearest D-star repeater?

Is there a UK d-star info web page?

The registration links are normally on there.

Hope that helps.

73
Glenn VK4DU

On 11/01/2013, at 12:23, "simon.dowson@rocketmail.com<mailto:simon.dowson@rocketmail.com>" <simon.dowson@fxtion.com<mailto:simon.dowson@fxtion.com>> wrote:

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2003. RE: [DVAPDongle] Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-11 04:09:37 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 1077 Message: 2003
Attachments: 4 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I'd suggest looking for RF floating around,

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Fran Miele
Sent: Thursday, January 10, 2013 6:02 PM
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2004. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-11 13:24:53 UTC
From: simon.dowson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1986 Message: 2004

Hi Glenn,

Thanks for your message... I have pretty much worn Google out trying to find a registration link or contact for GB7RW. Its not a heavily used repeater, but it is local to where I am when in the UK. I have exhausted the obviously available options... but will keep trying. I am out of the country for another 5 weeks, before I can actually use my handheld on the repeater directly... it would have been nice to use the DVAP here which is why I got it in the first place.

Cheers
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2005. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-11 13:37:29 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 1077 Message: 2005

Thanks Ed. That is a distinct possibility. My 880 sits right next to it

--Fran
Sent from my iPad ☐

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2006. Re: HamRadioNow: Double Dose of D-STAR at the DCC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-11 21:47:54 UTC
From: kn4aq
Topic: 1994 Message: 2006

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Victor Johnson" wrote:
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> Gary
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> Any idea when the GNU/SDR Sunday sessions of the ARRL/TAPR 2012 DCC will appear?
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> Vic K4GXV

Hi, Vic,

Thanks for asking...

Might be next week, and maybe I'll release them an hour at a time, so at least one or two hours will come next week. I have one other HamRadioNow story I'll be working on next week, and a client project the following week that will use up all my time, so I'll be finishing the DCC (any remaining GNU and the Banquet Keynote from BDale Garbee in early February.

I need to hire an editor! Anyone know how much they charge?

73,
Gary KN4AQ

2007. rasberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-13 02:49:49 UTC
From: n5riv
Topic: 2007 Message: 2007

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thanks
Tom N5RIV

2008. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-13 21:10:59 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 1986 Message: 2008

Simon wrote:

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I assume that this is of no help to you:

http://www.dstarusers.org/viewrepeater.php?system=GB7RW

I hope that I understand what you want to do. You want to get registered
so that you can use D-STAR. If that is correct, here is an option:

http://www.bay-net.org/dstarreg.html

If this does not help, please press "delete" and I wish you luck.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

2009. Re: [DVAPDongle] rasberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-13 22:30:26 UTC
From: KU7CAD
Topic: 2007 Message: 2009

Tom,

I have one up and working. I'll sell it for $600. Includes Pi in case, power, hub, wifi, wireless keyboard, memory card and DVAP.

On Sat, Jan 12, 2013 at 6:49 PM, n5riv <n5riv@...> wrote:

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2010. FS: 2m DVAP & UT-118 module

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-13 22:50:59 UTC
From: Erik Finskas
Topic: 2010 Message: 2010

I have good condition 2m DVAP for sale, asking $200

Includes USB cable, VHF stubby antenna and also adapters to
N-female/BNC-female for additional antenna connections.

Also spare unused UT-118 D-STAR module, reasonable offers welcome.

73
.-.-.
Erik OH2LAK

2011. Re: Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-14 03:36:28 UTC
From: Kelvin
Topic: 1979 Message: 2011

Where can I find Johnathon Naylors software?

K7KHA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Graham Saville wrote:
>
> Hi mike .tgz is a tarball which is like a zip file so you need to unzip
> this first eith xarchive which should be on the pi. Then run the bin file
> that is in the unzipped folder. Linux is different to windows.
> Let me know how far you get I will see if I can help you.
> I have my DVAP running on the rsspberry pi raspbain with Johnathon naylors
> software and its so stable.
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> Graham G1rnz
> On 2 Jan 2013 13:45, "michael_w6oso" wrote:
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> > I have a new Raspberry Pi running Linux Wheezy. I want to run the 2 meter
> > DVAP software on the Raspberry PI. I downloaded from the DVAP website the
> > file: DVAPTool - Linux :
> > http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-1.04-linux.tgz
> > The Rasberry Pi will not open the the downloaded software.
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> > Does anyone know how to configure the DVAO software for the Raspberry Pi
> > (Wheezy)? Does the Linux version of the DVAP software act like the Windows
> > version? Do I have to load additional software to the Pi to make the DVAP
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2012. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-14 12:50:11 UTC
From: simon.dowson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1986 Message: 2012

Hi Dave,

Thanks for you message. The page for GB7RW has no registration link, so I could not go that route.... I had tried the other link to K6MDD at Christmas and 2 or three times after, but the registration did not get completed..

Thanks to Mark (ZL2UFI) I am now registerd via ZL2VH and up and running until I get back to the UK, when I will be able to pursue GB7RW.

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2013. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

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From: Woodrick, Ed
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Wait a sec.....

Once registered, you are registered EVERYWHERE.

DO NOT ATTEMPT TO REGISTER IN MULTIPLE LOCATIONS!!!!!!

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Thanks to Mark (ZL2UFI) I am now registerd via ZL2VH and up and running until I get back to the UK, when I will be able to pursue GB7RW.

Thanks
Simon

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "Dave Schultheis" wrote:
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> I hope that I understand what you want to do. You want to get registered
> so that you can use D-STAR. If that is correct, here is an option:
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> http://www.bay-net.org/dstarreg.html
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> If this does not help, please press "delete" and I wish you luck.
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> Dave Schultheis
> WB6KHP San Jose
>

2014. Help with Raspberry Pi and DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-15 04:45:52 UTC
From: Kelvin
Topic: 2014 Message: 2014

Both work independently, but I want to pair up the Pi and the DVAP and need some pointers/tips/help in getting the right package for the Pi.

I've tapped into the openDV software from Jonathan Naylor G4KLX and the instructions contained in Hans-J. Barthen, DL5DI, document and all seems to go well until I get to 'apt-get install repeater' and the result is

E: Unable to locate package repeater

So it appears the package is not available.

I'm wondering how others have managed to get this to locate the correct package.

Help is appreciated.

73
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2015. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help with Raspberry Pi and DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-15 14:50:13 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 2014 Message: 2015

You need to be running the plain Debian version, not Raspian; there isn't yet a Raspian version of Jonathan's software.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android

2016. Re: DVAP Dongle Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-15 15:09:35 UTC
From: simon.dowson@rocketmail.com
Topic: 1986 Message: 2016

Yes, I am aware of that... Mark said I must deregister with the NZ node before re-registering elsewhere.

* No need to shout * :)

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" wrote:
>
> Wait a sec.....
>
> Once registered, you are registered EVERYWHERE.
>
> DO NOT ATTEMPT TO REGISTER IN MULTIPLE LOCATIONS!!!!!!
>
> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of simon.dowson@...
> Sent: Monday, January 14, 2013 7:50 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle Issues
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2017. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help with Raspberry Pi and DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-15 19:16:50 UTC
From: Kelvin Anderson
Topic: 2014 Message: 2017

Got it thanks very much for the help!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 15, 2013, at 7:50, Matthew Pitts <daywalker_blade_2004@...> wrote:

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> Matthew Pitts
> N8OHU
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> Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android
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> From: Kelvin <nonstoptwo@...>;
> To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>;
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Help with Raspberry Pi and DVAP Dongle
> Sent: Tue, Jan 15, 2013 4:45:52 AM
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2018. Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-16 09:20:59 UTC
From: pa3dfn
Topic: 1077 Message: 2018

Here the same issues. Hope there will be an better firmware for the dvap in the near future.

Philip PA3DFN

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele wrote:
>
> I have experienced several lock ups with my DVAP. What I mean is that both
> the Blue and RED lights stay on and my handheld displays a constant "FM
> Detect" message until I unplug the DVAP from the USB. This happens when
> using the DVAP with both DVAPTOOL on my Windows machine and Johnathan
> Naylor's software on my Raspberry PI. It usually occurs after the DVAP has
> been running 24x7 for a couple of weeks, although it happened twice today
>
> Any thoughts as to why this occurs and how to fix it?
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> --Fran, W1FJM
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> IMPORTANT: The contents of this email and any attachments are confidential.
> They are intended for the named recipient(s) only. If you have received
> this email by mistake, please notify the sender immediately and do not
> disclose the contents to anyone or make copies thereof.
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2019. Ordinal 80 could not be found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-17 00:06:50 UTC
From: mikeb_onsite
Topic: 2019 Message: 2019

Hi, I just upgraded my DVAP tool to the latest one, and it failed to run, claiming the above ordinal could not be found in the FTD2DX.DLL. OK, I went to the FTDI drivers website and downloaded the latest version, which is 2.824

I tried to uninstall the old version using control panel - it doesn't even appear in there. I then went to hardware manager, and right clicked on the USB COM port. I clicked on uninstall. I then un-plugged the computer from the outside world, and plugged the dongle back in. It found it, and I then pointed at the new drivers, which it seemed to install OK. Re-booted the machine, and ran the dvap tool, and got exactly the same damn message as per the subject header. I then opened hardware manager again, and confirmed I am running version 2.824 of the FTDI driver.

Not sure where to go from here, anyone got any ideas, please?

Thanks,

Mike.

2020. Re: Ordinal 80 could not be found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-17 03:49:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2019 Message: 2020

Hi Mike. Please follow step 9 of the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "mikeb_onsite" wrote:
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> Thanks,
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> Mike.
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2021. Macbook air

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-20 21:51:56 UTC
From: N4ULE
Topic: 2021 Message: 2021

Can someone tell me if my Dvap will work on the Apple MacBook Air? What software can be used? Thanks fr any advice.

73,s

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Jim Quick N4ULE / NNN0KCS
n4ule@...
nnn0kcs@...
http://n4ule.com

2022. Re: Macbook air

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-21 01:46:42 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2021 Message: 2022

Hi Jim. It should work fine. Just follow the instructions that came with the DVAP. Those are also at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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2023. DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-21 08:26:18 UTC
From: John Dawes
Topic: 2023 Message: 2023

Hello Robin and all

I have both a 2m and 70cm DVAP operating with Windows XP and Windows 7. I have great fun with this set up - but Linux is a bit like Mount Everest: it is there and I would like to have a go at it.

I have downloaded the DVAP tool for Linux (1.4) and have tried to get it doing in Linux Mint 13 and 14. I have not had any success, although the interface screen comes up and I have entered my call sign, added a frequency correctly, and clicked open and nothing happens. Robin says that DVAP tool 1.4 Linux works with a variety of 'flavours' of Linux and may be someone out there has succeeded with Linux Mint? The computer noted the connection of the DVAP.

Any suggestions, help will be greatly appreciated.

73 John Dawes
VK5BJE

Perhaps Robin may suggest an appropriate Linux distro for an old guy?

2024. Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-21 12:26:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2023 Message: 2024

Hi John. Make sure that you are clicking on the dvaptool.sh file and not just dvaptool. Also, look at the readme file that comes with the distribution. It has things you need to do to get it working on Linux.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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2025. Re: Macbook air

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-21 14:14:44 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 2021 Message: 2025

I have used my Dvap with MB Air, iMac, and Windows 7 running VMware Fusion on my iMac, all with no issues.

Bill
W4BRZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, N4ULE wrote:
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> Can someone tell me if my Dvap will work on the Apple MacBook Air? What
> software can be used? Thanks fr any advice.
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2026. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-21 20:35:58 UTC
From: John Dawes
Topic: 2023 Message: 2026

Hello RobinThanks for the tip. I will have another go at getting it to work. Linux is a new experience for me. I thought it would be great to be able to demonstrate both operating systems to other amateurs.I gave a demonstration of the 70cm DVAP and ID31A on Sunday at our local radio club picnic and was asked about Linux. So hence the challenge!
73John VK5BJE

--- On Mon, 21/1/13, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@interlabs.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Linux
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Received: Monday, 21 January, 2013, 12:26 PM

Hi John. Make sure that you are clicking on the dvaptool.sh file and not just dvaptool. Also, look at the readme file that comes with the distribution. It has things you need to do to get it working on Linux.

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Robin

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2027. Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-22 14:05:59 UTC
From: Michael
Topic: 2023 Message: 2027

I have DVAPTool running on Linux Mint without any problems. Be sure to remove ModemManager and br1tty packages.

Mike K8SQ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, John Dawes wrote:
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2028. DVAPTool for Raspberry Pi Update?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-23 14:30:08 UTC
From: jrkolonay
Topic: 2028 Message: 2028

Hello Robin

Just wondering if you have an update for the Raspberry Pi build of DVAP tool or a command line equivalent. I've had limited success using the Freestar image, and honestly, that's a lot more functionality than I'm looking for.

I literally just want to use an RPi for a Dstar appliance!

Thanks, and 73

KF7IJZ

2029. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-23 20:47:37 UTC
From: John Dawes
Topic: 2023 Message: 2029

Hello Michael,
thanks for the email, I have removed the Modemmanager and I will check again for the britty package. I have made a little more progress and have the software recognise the DVAP, and when I connect it shows the correct indication. However, the running log program is not visible and I suspect one of the files in Robin's software has not opened or executed properly. I did connect once to our local repeater here in Adelaide, VK5RWN C and to Reflector 001C - but not a second time. Other than that I am impressed with Linux Mint. It is good to know someone else has succeeded.
When I have it all sorted out I will report back.

73
John Dawes
VK5BJE

--- On Tue, 22/1/13, Michael <mmw1@...> wrote:

From: Michael <mmw1@yahoo.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Linux
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Received: Tuesday, 22 January, 2013, 2:05 PM

I have DVAPTool running on Linux Mint without any problems. Be sure to remove ModemManager and br1tty packages.

Mike K8SQ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, John Dawes wrote:
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2030. Raspberry Pi Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-24 12:17:30 UTC
From: Terrence R. Redding Redding
Topic: 2030 Message: 2030

Anyone using a Raspberry Pi computer with the DVAP?

Terry - W6LMJ

2031. Re: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-25 02:35:47 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 2030 Message: 2031

The legendary Michael VK5ZEA has done this exact thing, using a Ras Pi, DVAP, 3G connection, etc in a nice little Pelican road case smaller than a shoebox... http://vk5rex.squarespace.com/ and once again, he has a few videos up on YouTube about it. Enjoy!

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Anakie

----- Original Message -----
From: Terrence R. Redding Redding
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2013 11:17 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi Re: DVAP and Linux

Anyone using a Raspberry Pi computer with the DVAP?

Terry - W6LMJ

2032. New DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-25 18:35:51 UTC
From: kelandis@...
Topic: 2032 Message: 2032

Hello All

Just got the UHF dvap this past wednesday1-23-13 and all was working great. Linked to reflectors,repeaters etc.

So...I decided to change the dvap to my Raspberry pi but didnt have all the info I needed to set it up.

Long story short..I moved it back to my Mac and now it wont work.

Symptoms:

DVAPtool will see the dvap and the blue led flashes. However..when I transmit to it nothing happens...no green receive led but the signal strength shows up on DVAPtool software. It also shows the serial number and DVAp Dongle in software but nothing in any of the other fields as before.

Any help will be much appreciated!!

PS...have tried to install and get working on 2 other computers with same results.

Tnx es 73
Kent
N8ZRD

2033. New Tool and Com Port

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-25 21:09:41 UTC
From: n2zso
Topic: 2033 Message: 2033

Just installed new tool and it does not find the com port however when I unplug the dvap com port comes up in window is there a fix to this.

thanx, bill

2034. Re: New DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-25 23:31:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2032 Message: 2034

Hi Kent. We've had a handfull of folks that used third party software on the PI that had the same problem. It seems to be corrupting the calibration data in the device. You can download DVAPUtility from the downloads page and try to recalibrate it yourself or send it in for calibration.

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Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, kelandis@... wrote:
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2035. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 00:49:48 UTC
From: KENT
Topic: 2032 Message: 2035

Hello Robin

Thanks for the quick response. I have the UHF Dvap…should the center frequency be changed before calibration as the instructions say to set to 146.00 MHZ?

Tnx agn es 73
Kent
N8ZRD
On Jan 25, 2013, at 6:31 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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2036. DVAP (70CM) and IC-92AD Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 01:48:39 UTC
From: butch weber
Topic: 2036 Message: 2036

Hello, I hope you can help me. Its been a hair puller for sure.

Problem: DVAP works fine with IC-880h. On the IC-92AD HT it only will transmit to the DVAP, no receive.

I have the 70CM DVAP and it did work at one time with the HT.

What actually happens is I see the DV signal being received from the DVAP and while the 880 will decode it the HT won't. Right at the end of the transmission it changes to the FM DET icon. If I press the squelch to hear what is going on I at first hear the Digital signal on FM and than get what sounds like R2D2 signals.

The HT will work fine with a DStar Repeater both transmit and receive.

Has anyone come up with this problem?

I can't say the HT is bad because it works with both analog and DStar repeaters.

I can't say the DVAP is bad because it works fine with the IC-880h.

It actually works well with the IC-880h and having the DVAP on an external antenna I can drive about a mile around the neighborhood and it works great.

I am perplexed and don't know how to fix this problem. Please help if you can.

Thanks,

Butch - WA4GIF

2037. DVAPtool question.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 06:55:47 UTC
From: n9nra
Topic: 2037 Message: 2037

Hey all, was just looking at some stuff on the DVAP/dongle website regarding changing the "stock" voice announcements heard whan linking/unlinking, etc, and got to wondering, i know one can replace these via recording your own voice announcements, which i kinda like, but i was wondering, is there a way for me to bring in (import) something like a Windows sound file or a .wav file on my machine and use that instead? if not then i`d like to suggest this as a update idea. Also on the same line, what about having a option to completely disable the voice announcements altogether? Another suggestion for a feuture feature. Thanx! 73 DE N9NRA

2038. Raspberry Pi Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 12:17:33 UTC
From: Beischel
Topic: 2030 Message: 2038

Yes, I sure am for 2 meters. I have have another Pi connected to a Hotspot to a UHF transceiver for UHF.

Both work very well.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Terrence R. Redding Redding" wrote:
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2039. Re: DVAP (70CM) and IC-92AD Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 13:02:49 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2036 Message: 2039

Hi Butch. Download the DVAPUtility from the downloads page at www.dvapdongle.com and install it. Then run it and take a look at the spectrum from keying up the 880 as compared to the 92. You may need to tweek the DVAP frequency calibration so that both are centered.

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2040. Re: New DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 13:05:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2032 Message: 2040

Hi Kent. As long as the full bandwidth of the radio shows up in the display, that should be ok. Placing the radio at 146.000 (in the US) before calibration is best practice but not absolutely required. For folks in IARU regions 1/3, use 145.000.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, KENT wrote:
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> On Jan 25, 2013, at 6:31 PM, aa4rc wrote:
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> > AA4RC
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, kelandis@ wrote:
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2041. Re: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 13:54:19 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2030 Message: 2041

Yes, I use the 2M on the pi

--Fran. W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>
<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On Sat, Jan 26, 2013 at 7:17 AM, Beischel <beischel@...> wrote:

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> Yes, I sure am for 2 meters. I have have another Pi connected to a Hotspot
> to a UHF transceiver for UHF.
>
> Both work very well.
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> Duffy
> www.wb8nut.com
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Terrence R. Redding Redding" wrote:
> >
> > Anyone using a Raspberry Pi computer with the DVAP?
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> > Terry - W6LMJ
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2042. help 70cm dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 13:57:20 UTC
From: wx2pst
Topic: 2042 Message: 2042

i got my 70cm dvap yesterday was previously registered,

when i connect up to the local repeater via dvap it works but times out very quickly on the screen it says missed keep alive several times then unlinks

when i connect to reflectors it says receive only

hope someone can help

73's

larry
wx2pst

2043. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 14:58:23 UTC
From: KENT
Topic: 2032 Message: 2043

Hello Robin

I replied directly to you with a screenshot of the readout I get when trying to use the DVAP….I tried to use the DVapUtil and it will connect to the Com port and say its Running but nothing else. '

The screenshot I sent was in a .pdf file. Did you receive it?

Thanks!
Kent
On Jan 26, 2013, at 8:05 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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2044. Linux DVAP version for raspberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-26 18:57:00 UTC
From: aj4g
Topic: 2044 Message: 2044

I need a detailed instructions on how to install or setup the dvap linux version of dvap on a raspberry pi. I have tried several with no luck.

Thanks,
Ralph
aj4g

2045. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP (70CM) and IC-92AD Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-27 00:41:40 UTC
From: Butch Weber
Topic: 2036 Message: 2045

Hello Robin, Thanks for the help. That fixed it but I also found out that the Raspberry Pi is corrupting the calibration data. I assume they are resetting the calibration to a set point in the software because every time I hook it up to the Pi it reverts back to the same problem. I can't get the DVAPUtility program to run right either. It connects but don't show any information about the DVAP or provide any signals on the grid. I know it is connected because it will transmit when I click the Transmit box. I have the DVAP set for the middle of the 70cm band 435500 Mhz, but when I take it off the Pi it always reads 435494 Mhz and never works with the 92AD. I can't look at the receive signal from the 880 or the 92AD because I don't get the signal on the grid. So what I have done is use a frequency counter to bring it back to 435500 Mhz by inputting a -250 in the calibration box. After that I get out of the DVAPUtility and run DVAPTools and both rigs work with the DVAP. If I hook it up to the Raspberry Pi, the 880 works fine but the 92AD don't because it reverts back to 435494 Mhz. Did you write the software for the DVAPNode and if so do you know if it defaults the calibration? I have even tried to get the calibration as high as 435506 Mhz on Windows 7-64 Bit but it continues to revert back to 435494 Mhz. If there were a calibration program for the Pi I think I could get it to work there. As it is, I can't use the Pi-DVAP combination around the house because it don't work with the HT. I wanted to use the Pi due to the low power consumption and would be able to leave it hooked up all the time and possibly use it as a Hotspot later on being able to make it portable. So that is what I found out and I can get it back to working properly as long as I don't hook it up to the Raspberry Pi. :-(

Thanks again,

Butch - WA4GIF

On Sat, Jan 26, 2013 at 8:02 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> Hi Butch. Download the DVAPUtility from the downloads page at
> www.dvapdongle.com and install it. Then run it and take a look at the
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2046. New User TO DVAP HELP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-27 13:09:48 UTC
From: Tom Tate
Topic: 2046 Message: 2046

I am so new to DVAP for 440 /icom ID-31A and this group. I have the DVAP connected to the computer and the blue light blinks. I have set a freq of 435.500 in the dongle and have the Icom on same. When I key the Icom I see a message that says unknown command. Iam not doing something wrong on the radio but just not sure what to do or program the Icom.
Thanks
Tom
WA4CGF

2047. New Guy

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-28 10:43:59 UTC
From: tate_tom@ymail.com
Topic: 2047 Message: 2047

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Thanks

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WA4CGF

2048. Re: DVAP (70CM) and IC-92AD Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-28 13:57:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2036 Message: 2048

Thanks Butch. That is good data. The software other than DVAPTool was written by another party. Hopefully, they will fix their code.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Butch Weber wrote:
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2049. Re: New Guy

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-28 13:59:59 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2047 Message: 2049

Hi Tom. Make sure you are using commands that are documented on the "Using the DVAP" page at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

Remember that "CQCQCQ " only works when you are linked somewhere, otherwise it is an unknown command.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "tate_tom@..." wrote:
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2050. ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-29 18:03:48 UTC
From: AF6GL
Topic: 2050 Message: 2050

Anyone using the new ID-51 with their DVAP?

How does it work?

It appears that the 51 does not work with some of the non-Icom hotspot/repeater boards.

2051. COM Port Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-30 17:08:16 UTC
From: n2zso
Topic: 2051 Message: 2051

Just installed new DVAP Tool and the only problem I have is it does not recobnize the DAVAP com port unless I unplug DVAP and then it comes up. and I plug it back in. I know it must be something I am not doing never had this problem before.

Thanks, bill

2052. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-30 17:12:21 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 2050 Message: 2052

Mine works fine. No problems.

Jim, NS3K

From: AF6GL <af6gl@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2013 1:03 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

Anyone using the new ID-51 with their DVAP?

How does it work?

It appears that the 51 does not work with some of the non-Icom hotspot/repeater boards.

2053. Re: COM Port Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-30 17:24:30 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2051 Message: 2053

Hi Bill. We've noticed that the FTDI drivers sometimes fail to register the device if you boot with it plugged in. Your fix of unplugging/plugging fixes it. Hopefully, they will fix this problem.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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2054. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-30 17:54:52 UTC
From: Jeff Davis
Topic: 2050 Message: 2054

Working fine with the 51 here as well. No issues noted.

Jeff KE9V

On Jan 29, 2013, at 1:03 PM, AF6GL <af6gl@...> wrote:

> Anyone using the new ID-51 with their DVAP?
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> How does it work?
>
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2055. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-30 19:29:27 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2050 Message: 2055
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

It works great with both the 440 and 2M DVAPs.

As to its use with some of the other hotspot boards, that's probably the same situation as happened with the ID-31. The tolerance of protocol were tightened up to increase the performance of the radio. Any hotspots that aren't tuned to give a clean signal may have problems.

Tuning a hotspot correctly requires the use of spectrum monitors and relatively sophisticated test equipment. Tuning the volume knob on a hotspot board until a radio works does not quite fit the requirements.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of AF6GL
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2013 1:04 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

Anyone using the new ID-51 with their DVAP?

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2056. Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-31 21:29:45 UTC
From: John Breland
Topic: 2056 Message: 2056

What "scheme" do you guys use with your handhelds to toggle between connecting to a repeater (or reflector), the CQ comand, and the unlink command?

Currently I have unlink and CQ in memory locations 1 and 2. Reflectors are in the next several memory banks. This wasn't a problem intil I entered several dozen repeaters and reflectors. I feel that there has to be a better scheme than what I am doing to switch between these commands while using the DVAP.

Any suggestions?

2057. 70cm DVAP & IC-91AD -- poor receive!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-31 21:53:33 UTC
From: kk7pw
Topic: 2057 Message: 2057

Hi folks,

I am new to the list. I am using a 70cm DVAP with a Comet SMA-24 antenna and RazPi, and use both ID-880H and IC-91AD. I get excellent (anticipated) performance with my 880H (via my outside Comet GP-15 at 25ft -- the 70cm signal seems to easily find its way in and out of the house), though my 91AD is rife with R2D2 in close range and around the house. Anyone else have this experience with 91AD? I have tried replacing the stock antenna on the 91 with the SMA-24 and no improvement. Also went back to stock DVAP antenna just to see if any benefit -- no change. Low or high power -- no difference.

BTW, when I was previously using the 2m DVAP, I had no such issue, so I am guessing the UHF is more challenging to receive / decode than the VHF. Not sure. Any 91 tweaks come to mind?

Thanks for any advice.

73.

de KK7PW

2058. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-01-31 23:18:51 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2050 Message: 2058
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I've been using mine with both 2m and 70cm DVAPs with absolutely no problems.

John WB4QDX

From: AF6GL [mailto:af6gl@...]
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2013 1:04 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ID-51

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.2890 / Virus Database: 2639/6059 - Release Date: 01/26/13

2059. Re: Ordinal 80 could not be found

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 02:10:12 UTC
From: mikeb_onsite
Topic: 2019 Message: 2059

Hello Robin, I did that, and got the software working, but it looks now like AT&T do not forward the ports you are using, so it still doesn't work. My internet is via an AT&T aircard - no useable DSL out here.

Have you heard of such aircard issues before, please?

Thanks,

Mike

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" wrote:
>
> Hi Mike. Please follow step 9 of the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

2060. FS: 2m DVAP and UT-118 D-STAR module for Icom radios

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 03:38:52 UTC
From: oh2lak
Topic: 2060 Message: 2060

Still available;

I have good condition 2m DVAP for sale, asking $200

Includes USB cable, VHF stubby antenna and also adapters to
N-female/BNC-female for additional antenna connections.

Also spare unused UT-118 D-STAR module, asking $150 OBO.

I am currently in the US with these things with me, so shipping to US fast and
cheap :)

73
.-.-.
Erik OH2LAK

2061. Raspberry Pi Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 07:14:08 UTC
From: kk7pw
Topic: 2030 Message: 2061

Hi. I've been running my RazPi with (initially) a 2m DVAP and now a 70cm DVAP (heard from others there were receiver tweaks made for 70cm). My system has been running great. IRCDDBGW works and updates fine. My second RazPi is currently deployed as a media center running Rasbmc. :)

I run both an ID-880H and an IC-91AD. The 880H plays very well, and my outdoor Comet GP-15 tribander (at 25') listens and speaks well to the DVAP indoors (which I now have sporting a dual-band Comet SMA-24 whip). Trouble is my IC-91AD is now suffering from constant R2D2, even in proximity to the DVAP, while the 880H (using the same DVAP) works fine.

It has been suggested that the DVAP is somehow off frequency and needs to be calibrated using DVAPtool. I'm unsure about this, since if so, the 880H would / should also be R2D2'ing.

Anyone have thoughts on this? Anyone else have DVAP issues using the 91AD, or any tweaks to settings I should consider? BTW, I have also tried using the SMA-24 antenna in place of the stock 91 antenna, with no improvement.

All for now. 73.

de KK7PW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Terrence R. Redding Redding" wrote:
>
> Anyone using a Raspberry Pi computer with the DVAP?
>
> Terry - W6LMJ
>

2062. Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 13:48:14 UTC
From: John Breland
Topic: 2056 Message: 2062

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2063. BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 14:27:50 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2063 Message: 2063

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2064. Re: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 14:40:34 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2063 Message: 2064

Is there a way to look at these settings before "experimenting" and recording them, so that one could put it back to exact specs if something wipes it out?

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: aa4rc
Sent: Feb 1, 2013 6:27 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

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2065. Re: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 14:55:43 UTC
From: Terry Partigianoni
Topic: 2063 Message: 2065

Robin can you disclose which software are you referring to? Thanks

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On Feb 1, 2013, at 8:27 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@interlabs.com> wrote:

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2066. Re: [DVAPDongle] Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 15:28:11 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 2056 Message: 2066

John,

My setup is similar to what you described. In my IC80AD and ID880H, I have an entire bank of channels dedicated to the DVAP.

Chan 00 is my CQ channel. Chan 01 is the unlink command. Chans 2 and 3 are the ID and echotest channels. Then I have all the reflectors in numerical order followed by repeaters I might link to.

Rather than dial to a reflector to link it, I just enter the channel number on the IC80AD keypad and quick-key to link. Once linked, I punch 00 on the keypad and I'm back on my CQ channel. Dialing up one channel lets me unlink. It's about the simplest way I could think of to organize it.

Tim, AF1G

---- John Breland <john.breland@...m> wrote:

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2067. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 15:27:04 UTC
From: WD4CWG
Topic: 2063 Message: 2067

Robin,

Thanks for the Heads Up ... Which Raspberry Pi distribution with your DVAP software do you recommend, I am at the point of being ready to install.

73,
Jerome
WD4CWG

Sent from my iPad

2068. Re: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 16:40:38 UTC
From: Stan Grigaliunas
Topic: 2063 Message: 2068

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Sent: Friday, February 01, 2013 9:27 AM
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2069. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 21:05:47 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2063 Message: 2069

Thanks Robin□which third party 'ware are you referring to, which Raspbian build is a culprit?

Best, Kc2WNWW David

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "aa4rc" wrote:
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2070. DV Dongle for sale.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-01 23:24:59 UTC
From: wolobmp
Topic: 2070 Message: 2070

DV ACCESS POINT DONGLE...VHF model and comes with USB cable. Works great and in good working and physical condition. Price shipped is: $185. Reason for selling: selling all DSTAR gear; migrating to DMR/Turbo. Accept postal money orders, cashiers check, personal check(ships after funds clear) or paypal+fee. CONUS only and no trades.
Thanks for looking.....
73

Mike

2071. RE: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 00:12:45 UTC
From: Fred PA4YBR
Topic: 2063 Message: 2071

Robin,

Wiping out important device settings is definitely NOT a good thing.

Which software are we talking about? There are several, it would be good to know which one(s) - to avoid them, and/or to have them "fix" it..

I do not believe it is my WinDV you are talking about, because that is not available for the RPi's. Still, as my second DVAP *is* connected to a Hackberry (not RPi, but similar), it would be good to know!

Thanks,

Fred

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Friday, February 01, 2013 3:28 PM
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2072. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP & IC-91AD -- poor receive!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 04:00:33 UTC
From: Butch Weber
Topic: 2057 Message: 2072

I had that problem as well with my IC-92AD. What I found out is that the Raspberry Pi version of the DVAPNode software corrupts the calibration data that the factory sets the DVAP to before shipping. I reset it using the Windows DVAPUtil program to bring it back right on frequency and the HT started working again. By the way the ID-880H worked in all cases. I plug the DVAP into the Pi and reboot and it reverts back to the same frequency that don't work with the HT. What I found is that in the Pi DVAPNode software is an Offset. I set this offset the same as what it took me to get back to the correct frequency using the DVAPUtil software in Windows. In my case it was -250 to get it back on frequency. Now that the offset has the -250 in it, the HT and the 880 work in both the Pi and the Windows DVAPNode software.

Hope this helps.
de Butch - WA4GIF

On Thu, Jan 31, 2013 at 4:53 PM, kk7pw <scherch.kk7pw@...> wrote:

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2073. Re: [DVAPDongle] Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 04:07:07 UTC
From: Butch Weber
Topic: 2056 Message: 2073

I use the UR callsign memory locations to add the different link commands. This gives you 60 different possibilities for them. I set the first one to CQCQCQ (to set after linking), 2nd to U for unlink, DCAP I and E in the next two, after that any reflectors I want and/or repeaters. I just have to change the UR Callsign by going to Menu, Callsign, Edit, then turn to the one I want and hit Enter. Then I can use PTT to get the right link. It sounds harder than it really is. By the way, I'm using the IC-92AD.

Regards, Butch - WA4GIF

On Fri, Feb 1, 2013 at 8:48 AM, John Breland <john.breland@yahoo.com> wrote:

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2074. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 11:41:43 UTC
From: rvalder
Topic: 2063 Message: 2074

Is this both the 70cms and 2m models?

2075. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 14:05:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2063 Message: 2075

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2076. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 14:06:14 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2063 Message: 2076

Hi Brian. You can use DVAP Utility to see the current calibration setting (and reset it).

73,
Robin
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2077. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 14:07:28 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2063 Message: 2077

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2078. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 14:08:59 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2063 Message: 2078

It is either DVAPnode or DstarNode, not sure which. It has an "offset" field that wipes out the calibration. I think it is just a bug. It should have used a different API call.

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2079. Re: 70cm DVAP & IC-91AD -- poor receive!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 14:10:39 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2057 Message: 2079

Hi Butch. Thanks for pointing that out. You can check the calibration value with DVAP Utility before playing with the other software. You can then restore it afterwards when the DVAP quits working. :)

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2080. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 14:36:23 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2063 Message: 2080

Robin, I'm using dvap node, and my 440 dvap is now off approximately 5 kHz... I know how to put it back on freq but just wanted to point out what software I am using that caused the issue.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

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2081. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 17:50:17 UTC
From: Stan
Topic: 2063 Message: 2081

HI Robin and thank you for the info. Your DVAPTools work great on my Win7 and Ubuntu. No, I am not going to Orlalndo, it is to warm there. I like the Ohio WX. See you in Dayton.
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2082. Re: 70cm DVAP & IC-91AD -- poor receive!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-02 20:15:35 UTC
From: w9hpx
Topic: 2057 Message: 2082

I can confirm what Butch posted. It is G4KLX's DVAP node software.
I recalibrated my DVAP using Moe's DVAP Utility. Confirmed that the setting persisted by disconnecting/reconnecting it to my PC. Then plugged it into the Pi. Rechecked it with DVAP Utility and it was reset to zero.

Roland W9HPX

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2084. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-03 13:23:56 UTC
From: w9hpx
Topic: 2063 Message: 2084

I can confirm that it is DVAPnode. That is the only Pi software I have used and it wiped out the calibration. Happens on both 2M and 70cm DVAPs.
73, Roland W9HPX

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2085. RE: [DVAPDongle] Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-03 18:49:11 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2056 Message: 2085
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

John,

Many people often put each "home" repeater in it' own "bank" then you can quickly switch between memory banks, or quickly switch between functions within a bank. The DVAP is generally setup as another bank.

For those repeaters that you may want to have programmed in, but not necessarily consider a home repeater, these are often grouped into one or more banks, for example, one bank for each surrounding state.

You didn't mention which radio that you were using, that can make a big difference, and the capabilities of the radios can vary greatly. The ID-31 and ID-51 completely change the way that memories are organized.

For many of the radios, there's the ability to download the information for importing into the radio's software. http://www.dstarinfo.com/icom-import-files.aspx allows you to download in a variety of fashions to support the programming method that you desire.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John Breland
Sent: Friday, February 1, 2013 8:48 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

What "scheme" do you guys use with your handhelds to toggle between connecting to a repeater (or reflector), the CQ command, and the unlink command?

Currently I have unlink and CQ in memory locations 1 and 2. Reflectors are in the next several memory banks. This wasn't a problem until I entered several dozen repeaters and reflectors. I feel that there has to be a better scheme than what I am doing to switch between these commands while using the DVAP.

Any suggestions?

2086. Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-04 14:12:47 UTC
From: john.breland
Topic: 2056 Message: 2086

Thanks for the replies everyone. I use a IC-92A, which is not easy to hop between banks with. Maybe I am overlooking a memory management feature? I don't really have "home repeaters" because the HT is the only D-Star radio I have and the closest D-Star repeaters are over a mountain from me. I would be "dead in the water" without my DVAP. I sure do turn that memory knob a lot though

2087. R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-05 09:11:32 UTC
From: Geno
Topic: 2087 Message: 2087

Has anyone come up with a simple package for the Raspberry Pi and DVAP combo? I don't want to run a repeater or gateway, just something like DVAPtools only ported over to the R-Pi. The R-Pi/DVAP are made for each other. If we only had a program that didn't need to mess with port forwarding or setting up as a gateway it would be nice.

GENE
K8OW

2088. Re: R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-05 21:28:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2087 Message: 2088

Hi Gene. Coming to the Orlando Hamfest? :-)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Geno" wrote:
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> GENE
> K8OW
>

2089. DVAP application for Android phone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-05 22:13:18 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2089 Message: 2089

Hello Robin,
Like (I suspect) many otheres, I'm eagerly awaiting the Android mobile phone DVAP application.

You previously mentioned Christmas but I maybe the Raspberry Tart software took priority ... however, I *DO* realise you're a busy chap.

Any news on a possible release date ??.

Being 500km from a D-Star repeater I'm totally dependant on the DVAP and it would certainly ne nice not to have to lug a laptop round on the (mechanical) wheelchair.

The DVAP + Galaxy SII + O.T.G.USB would be the bee's knee's.

73 John LA2QAA

2090. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-06 02:42:58 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2056 Message: 2090
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Take a look on Page 76 of the manual. Changing memory banks is as easy as rotating the top button.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of john.breland
Sent: Monday, February 4, 2013 9:13 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Thanks for the replies everyone. I use a IC-92A, which is not easy to hop between banks with. Maybe I am overlooking a memory management feature? I don't really have "home repeaters" because the HT is the only D-Star radio I have and the closest D-Star repeaters are over a mountain from me. I would be "dead in the water" without my DVAP. I sure do turn that memory knob a lot though...

2091. Re: [DVAPDongle] R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-05 21:43:28 UTC
From: Nik Presser
Topic: 2087 Message: 2091

Yep, see Michaels website here... http://vk5rex.squarespace.com/ and all in a nice little Pelican case too.

Cheers,

Nik Presser
VK3BA
Anakie

----- Original Message -----
From: Geno
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 05, 2013 8:11 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] R-Pi/DVAP

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GENE
K8OW

2092. Re: R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-06 04:36:57 UTC
From: Geno
Topic: 2087 Message: 2092

Sorry Robin, I am not going to make it to Orlando, I have some friends that will be there,snowbirds. I'm stuck here in Ohio.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" wrote:
>
> Hi Gene. Coming to the Orlando Hamfest? :-)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Geno" wrote:
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> >
> > GENE
> > K8OW
> >
>

2093. Re: R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-06 18:10:53 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2087 Message: 2093

I'll be there, Robin; sounds like you may have news (;-)

73 de KC2WNW David

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" wrote:
>
> Hi Gene. Coming to the Orlando Hamfest? :-)
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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2094. Re: DVAP application for Android phone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-06 20:32:57 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 2089 Message: 2094

or maybe even a side loadable beta version if you need help testing?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "la2qaa" wrote:
>
> Hello Robin,
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>
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> Any news on a possible release date ??.
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>
> The DVAP + Galaxy SII + O.T.G.USB would be the bee's knee's.
>
> 73 John LA2QAA
>

2095. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-08 06:03:14 UTC
From: rs1141
Topic: 2063 Message: 2095

Has this issue ben corrected? Is there an updated version I can download. I have a new RPi just waiting to be setup but I don't want to brick my new 70 cm DVAP!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" wrote:
>
> As several people have experienced, there is a flaw in the 3rd party software for the Raspberry Pi. The software wipes out the calibration data that is programmed into the DVAP at the factory.
>
> If you use the software, you will have to recalibrate using the DVAP Utility software. It probably won't get you as close as factory settings but can bring it back to usable.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

2097. Re: R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-09 05:19:46 UTC
From: Geno
Topic: 2087 Message: 2097

You're missing the point. It's over kill to set up as gateway or get a club call to register as a repeater just to connect with the DSTAR network. All I want to do is use my DVAP as it was intended with the R-pi as the computer.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Nik Presser" wrote:
>
> Yep, see Micaels website here... http://vk5rex.squarespace.com/ and all in a nice little Pelican case too.
>
> Cheers,
>
> Nik Presser
> VK3BA
> Anakie
>
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: Geno
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Tuesday, February 05, 2013 8:11 PM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] R-Pi/DVAP
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>

2098. Re: [DVAPDongle] Macbook air

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-10 05:26:42 UTC
From: Shawn Summa - KC0SIQ
Topic: 2021 Message: 2098

I use mine on a macbook air, they make the dvapdongle.com software for mac also, works like a champ

On Sun, Jan 20, 2013 at 2:51 PM, N4ULE <n4ule@sc.rr.com> wrote:

> **
>
>
> Can someone tell me if my Dvap will work on the Apple MacBook Air? What
> software can be used? Thanks fr any advice.
>
> 73,s
>
> --
> Jim Quick N4ULE / NNN0KCS
> n4ule@...
> nnn0kcs@navymars.org
> http://n4ule.com
>
>
>

2099. Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-12 02:58:55 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 2056 Message: 2099

The ICOM DR mode, I think, takes care of all that without programming. 99% is already in DR enabled rigs (ID-31, ID-32, etc.). It incorporates into 2 fields (T0, FROM) all you need for all DVAP commands, including talk, link, unlink, echo, status, and connecting with all reflectors worldwide...all without programming. Linking to a specific repeater, or call sign routing to a specific ham can easily be done. Just spin the control knob, and perhaps tap the enter button a few times as needed. DR also gives you access to nifty features like listing nearby DSTAR repeaters. DR mode plus a DVAP lets you easily and quickly zoom around the DSTAR world.

2100. gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-12 06:33:44 UTC
From: ems474
Topic: 2100 Message: 2100

I'm really stuck getting the dvap working. Keep getting "gateway unknown" message when trying to connect. The "I" and "E" work fine. I turned off the firewall on windows and anti-virus program. Blue light flashes on the dvap, pulsing green light before software is opened. Internet connection is strong. I put the module in the 7th space and the L in the 8th space. Not sure whatelse I could be missing. I do see the following message on the dos screen when loading the software. "It looks like you are connected to a USB serial device other than the DV dongle, please check your device com port." Not sure if that has any value or not. Any thoughts would certainly help.

Tnx
Kevin
KM2E

2101. Re: gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-12 14:00:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2100 Message: 2101

Hi Kevin. I looked through the logs and your DVAP has an invalid serial number. Send me a direct email and we'll take care of the problem.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ems474" wrote:
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> Kevin
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2102. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-12 16:33:59 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2056 Message: 2102
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Albert,

The DR mode does indeed give those capabilities, but, it does so for repeaters. Since the DVAP is simplex, the radio doesn't turn on the features in the same way. Bummer.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of albertkarel
Sent: Monday, February 11, 2013 9:59 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

The ICOM DR mode, I think, takes care of all that without programming. 99% is already in DR enabled rigs (ID-31, ID-32, etc.). It incorporates into 2 fields (T0, FROM) all you need for all DVAP commands, including talk, link, unlink, echo, status, and connecting with all reflectors worldwide...all without programming. Linking to a specific repeater, or call sign routing to a specific ham can easily be done. Just spin the control knob, and perhaps tap the enter button a few times as needed. DR also gives you access to nifty features like listing nearby DSTAR repeaters. DR mode plus a DVAP lets you easily and quickly zoom around the DSTAR world.

2103. Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-13 14:15:10 UTC
From: wb4bxo
Topic: 2056 Message: 2103

I use DR mode with the DVAP by setting up a "repeater" for the DVAP frequency that has an offset of 0.00. That way the radio thinks it's a repeater and will do the DR stuff appropriately.

Steve - WB4BXO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Woodrick, Ed" wrote:
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> Ed WA4YIH
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of albertkarel
> Sent: Monday, February 11, 2013 9:59 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories
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2104. Re: Tablets with Dongle and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-14 13:07:43 UTC
From: Dennis
Topic: 1391 Message: 2104

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Dave" wrote:
>
> Robin, Will the Dongle and Dvap work on a tablet (iPad2, Amazon's Fire, and other tablets with the Android OS) I know most of the smaller (7 inch)tablets have a micro USB port. The iPad may not have any ports. Thanks
>

Running a Asus Transformer tablet. Just picked up the powered keyboard/base, which has 1 USB output on it. Probably will not work, but this weekend I am going to give a look at.

2105. Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-17 15:49:00 UTC
From: ke4qdc
Topic: 2056 Message: 2105

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "wb4bxo" <wb4bxo@...> wrote:
>
> I use DR mode with the DVAP by setting up a "repeater" for the DVAP frequency that has an offset of 0.00. That way the radio thinks it's a repeater and will do the DR stuff appropriately.
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> > From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of albertkarel
> > Sent: Monday, February 11, 2013 9:59 PM
> > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> >

Steve can you give me a screen shot of your repeater page. I got the offset of 0.00 and all but what goes in the remaining fields. I tried it but must be missing something some where. It will be a while before I can test it again since I did a dump thing and rendered my dvap inoperable. Hoping to get it back up and going soon
>

2106. DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-18 19:45:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2106 Message: 2106

DVAPTool for the Raspberry Pi is now available for the Raspian Wheezy distribution 2013-02-09-wheezy-raspian.img.

Follow the steps below to install/run:

1) make sure you are running Raspian Wheezy 2013-02-09 and are connected to the internet with your Pi.

2) open an LXTerminal window and run: "sudo apt-get install qt4-dev-tools". Answer "Y" when prompted.

3) in terminal window run: "curl -O http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz"

4) in terminal window run "sudo tar xzPf DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz"

5) in terminal window run DVAPTool with "./DVAPTool" from your home directory.

Note that this is a full GUI version. I'm working on a text only daemon.

There are no current plans to compile DVAPTool for any distribution other than Raspian. It may or may not work on others.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2107. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-18 20:08:15 UTC
From: W.
Topic: 1901 Message: 2107

Robin,

I just attempted installation of my DVAP on a Windows 8 machine with Bonjour installed (during installation of iTunes and listed in the programs listing). The drivers loaded and I have the DVAP showing in the device listing as Com 3, however when I start DVAPTool 1.04 it is not recognizing the DVAP and listing Com 3. I have verified the latest firmware in the DVAP.

Any further thoughts? Should I de-install Bonjour and reinstall it as stand-alone?

Thanks,
Stan, WA4DYD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> I just installed Windows 8 64. I plugged in the DVAP and it automatically loaded the drivers. I then installed the Bonjour Services (not just the dll). When I installed DVAPTool 1.04, it came up and worked perfectly.
>
> The only change I made to the system was to disable windows firewall for all profiles.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dubinky10" <alsprow@> wrote:
> >
> > Well, I admit that I didn't look up dnssd.dll since I had already looked for ftd2xx.dll and didn't find it.
> > Problem is, I had already installed the bonjour stuff and it didn't change anything.
> >
> > Any other suggestions?
> >
> > Thanks!
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "James" <n0xia@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Do I dare answer this with dozens of others will probably be responding with the same answer? Yea, why not. Read message #1894
> > > http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle/message/1894
> > >
> > >
> > > 73's
> > >
> > > James, N0XIA

> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dubinky10" <alsprow@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > I can only figure that this must be because I'm using windows 8.
> > > > I installed DVAPTools but it won't run.
> > > > First it said I was missing FTD2xx.dll, so I downloaded it.
> > > > Then it said I was missing dnssd.dll, so I downloaded it.
> > > >
> > > > Now it says "The ordinal 79 could not be located in the dynamic link library
c:\program files\dvaptool\dvaptool.exe
> > > >
> > > > Any ideas?
> > > >
> > >
> >
>

2108. Off topic -- but I'm looking for an ID-800H if anyone has one for sale.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 02:10:07 UTC
From: andrewthall
Topic: 2108 Message: 2108

I'm looking for an ID-800H if anyone has one for sale. I know its off topic and my apologies to the group if it is inappropriate.

Andy, K2OO
thall@...

2109. Re: Schemes while swapping between DVAP commands and memories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 06:46:43 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 2056 Message: 2109

When setting up a repeater for the FROM field with a zero offset (so that the Gateway CQ function works with a DVAP)...the ADD function requires a CALLSIGN before it will allow you to save the new "repeater". How do you handle that? What CALLSIGN would be added, or is there a workaround? THANKS

2110. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 14:02:19 UTC
From: Mike Heitmann
Topic: 2106 Message: 2110

Thanks Robin!

Mike, N0SO

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, February 19, 2013 7:50:27 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

DVAPTool for the Raspberry Pi is now available for the Raspian Wheezy distribution 2013-02-09-wheezy-raspian.img.

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73,
Robin
AA4RC

2111. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 15:29:50 UTC
From: jrkolonay
Topic: 2106 Message: 2111

Thank you sir! I look forward for giving this a go!

Will this eventually include the rest of the toolset (calibration, etc)?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
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>
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>
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> AA4RC
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2112. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 15:39:10 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2106 Message: 2112

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2113. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 15:43:36 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1901 Message: 2113

Hi Stan. Try version 1.03 of DVAPTool and see if that makes a difference. A few folks have reported the same issue that you currently see. I'm working on some debug/test code to try to figure out why 1.04 doesn't show the device.

The change in 1.04 was to use the FTDI API to ask for devices. You'd think that their API would work better than scanning the registry (which is done in 1.03).

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2114. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 16:01:50 UTC
From: Tommy Martin
Topic: 2106 Message: 2114

That is great news. I can't wait to try it.

Thanks!
Tommy
N5ZNO

On Mon, Feb 18, 2013 at 1:45 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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Tommy

2115. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 16:02:03 UTC
From: Kelvin Anderson
Topic: 2106 Message: 2115

Thank YOU!

On Feb 19, 2013, at 8:39 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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2116. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 17:10:08 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 2106 Message: 2116

This works great, once I used Raspian Wheezy distribution 2013-02-09-wheezy-raspian.img.

Thanks Robin for making this happen.

Bill
W4BRZ

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2117. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 17:21:11 UTC
From: k6ozy
Topic: 2106 Message: 2117

Robin,

Thank you so much for making this program. I have been using it on my Pi for a while now, and it is perfect. I'm very spoiled at being able to bring my own D-star repeater with me without having to open my laptop. I am looking forward to a text only version. Is ircDDBgateway available in a text only version too? I'd love to not have to run X on my pi.

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2118. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 17:37:28 UTC
From: flyboy622
Topic: 1901 Message: 2118

Did you make sure you are running the latest or a standalone copy of Bonjour? I ran into this and that is how I solved it.

Roy, W8QAS

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2119. DVAP question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 17:57:53 UTC
From: Rusty Bryant
Topic: 2106 Message: 2119

I'm about to purchase an ID-51 and a UHF dvap.

I've heard that a dvdongle will not callsign route to another dvdongle, so my question is, will a dstar radio callsign route through a dvap to another dvap on the other end?

It's an elementary question I'm sure but unlike IRLP which has pretty much a single source for information, dstar has about a million sources. Of course, that's not a bad thing but its sometimes hard to find an answer.

Thanks!

Rusty Bryant
WB4BSD
Sent from my iPhone 4s

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2120. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 18:37:51 UTC
From: lozj@...
Topic: 2106 Message: 2120

Robin:

I am confused on step 5. Don't you need to modify the auto start program as well?

John Lozar
----- Original Message -----
From: "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, February 18, 2013 1:45:11 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

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2121. QUESTION: MAKING DVAP and "GATEWAY CQ" WORK TOGETHER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 18:56:48 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 2121 Message: 2121

Thanks to Robin for all his good work here. I hooe he might help on this one.

On the ID-31 and 51, DR mode is very useful.

One valuable feature is the GATEWAY CQ list. It gives you quick access to all of the repeaters on the world-wide ICOM repeater list.

While you are in the TO field in DR mode, you just hit the center button and you see Local CQ, Gateway CQ, Your Call Sign, etc. Clicking on Gateway CQ brings up a list of all the repeaters, sorted into areas of the world. WOW...what a feature.

BUT IT DOES NOT WORK WHILE USING THE DVAP. That is a significant loss...not being able to easily link with worldwide repeaters because we are using a DVAP.

Because you must use a simplex frequency to contact the DVAP, the internal ID31 and 51 firmware apparently concludes that if you are on a simplex frequency, you are NOT going to be linking, so it DISABLES THE GATEWAY CQ MENU!

I would much appreciate it if Robin could advise how we can have our cake (tasty DVAP) and eat it too (have full GATEWAY CQ functionality).

I tried setting up a repeater link with zero offset, but couldn't make it work...perhaps I did it wrong.

THANKS in advance for help with this problem.

AL
KK6 AL

2122. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 19:05:10 UTC
From: k4shp
Topic: 2106 Message: 2122

Robin,
Thank you so much for your work on this project! I can't wait to start using the software with my PI.
73

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2123. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 20:12:54 UTC
From: AF6GL
Topic: 2106 Message: 2123

Thanks Robin!

Got mine up and running!

Timothy
AF6GL

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2124. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-19 20:52:10 UTC
From: Lricha
Topic: 171 Message: 2124

Has there been a cable for the iPad to work with the DV dongle or DVAP dongle?

Thanks,
Don WJ9m
lricha2001@...

Sent from my iPad

2125. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 00:57:15 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2106 Message: 2125
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

For this command, "curl -O http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz", I had to add sudo or it wouldn't write. Working fine!

John

From: aa4rc [mailto:aa4rc@...]
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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.2899 / Virus Database: 2639/6103 - Release Date: 02/14/13

2126. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 02:22:30 UTC
From: k4shp
Topic: 2106 Message: 2126

Robin,
All went well until step 5. I am getting an error that says something like "no such file or no such directory". I am sure that it is my mistake but some guidance would be appreciated.

Thanks and 73
Jason

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2127. Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 13:27:36 UTC
From: richardc
Topic: 1979 Message: 2127

Thanks Robin for the DVAP Pi release.
Great instructions. Got the Pi board,
last week, installed the DVAP software yesterday.
Works flawlessly.

Rich W0RWC

2128. Re: DVAP question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 15:05:16 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2106 Message: 2128

Hi Rusty. The DVAP and DV Dongle use the same infrastructure so neither currently supports callsign routing. I'm working on adding it for both.

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AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Rusty Bryant <rustyb78@...> wrote:
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2129. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 15:07:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2106 Message: 2129

Hi (didn't get your name).

I'm confused with your confusion. :)

I'm not familiar with an auto start program.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, lozj@... wrote:
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> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Monday, February 18, 2013 1:45:11 PM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released
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2130. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 15:09:21 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 171 Message: 2130

Hi Don. Unfortunately, Apple wants their pound of flesh to connect with their devices. First, you have to have your lawyers get with their lawyers to hammer out a contract in the MFI (made for iPod) program. :)

Using a Raspberry Pi, it would be possible to extend the device via wifi so you could still use it with a custom app.

73,
Robin
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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Lricha <lricha2001@...> wrote:
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> Has there been a cable for the iPad to work with the DV dongle or DVAP dongle?
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>
> Thanks,
> Don WJ9m
> lricha2001@...
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> Sent from my iPad
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2131. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 15:10:47 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2106 Message: 2131

Hi John. If the curl command did not work, you must not have been in your home directory. When you open the LXTerminal, it should place you in your home directory by default.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, John Davis <wb4qdx@...> wrote:
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> For this command, "curl -O http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz", I had to add sudo or it wouldn't write. Working fine!
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> John
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> From: aa4rc [mailto:aa4rc@...]
> Sent: Monday, February 18, 2013 2:45 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released
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> AA4RC
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> No virus found in this message.
> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
> Version: 2013.0.2899 / Virus Database: 2639/6103 - Release Date: 02/14/13
>

2132. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 15:12:04 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2106 Message: 2132

Hi Jason. From the terminal window, run "ls" to see what file/directories are there. DVAPTool should be there. Make sure you place the "./" in front of DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k4shp" <k4shp@...> wrote:
>
> Robin,
> All went well until step 5. I am getting an error that says something like "no such file or no such directory". I am sure that it is my mistake but some guidance would be appreciated.
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> Thanks and 73
> Jason
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
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2133. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 15:19:40 UTC
From: Jim's Yahoo Mail
Topic: 171 Message: 2133

It would be great to use with the Kindle Fire.

Jim, NS3K

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 20, 2013, at 10:09 AM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi Don. Unfortunately, Apple wants their pound of flesh to connect with their devices. First, you have to have your lawyers get with their lawyers to hammer out a contract in the MFI (made for iPod) program. :)
>
> Using a Raspberry Pi, it would be possible to extend the device via wifi so you could still use it with a custom app.
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2134. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 16:33:30 UTC
From: W.
Topic: 1901 Message: 2134

Robin,

I found I had 1.03 in my download library and loaded it. While it displays COM3 as a com port, it will not open the port. I get the error messages "Cannot open com port COM3" and Cannot open DVTool device COM3". Not sure how to proceed at this point. Every indication is that the "device" is working properly. Any thing you would like me to test for you, let me know.

I have run into a few issues with two other USB devices, one a USB connected GPS that had a Prolific chipset no longer supported under Windows 8 and another that was an RS-232 to USB adapter that has worked under every other OS I have used it with from 98 up through Windows 7 (could be the same chipset issue, but I'm unable to determine if that is the case).

Thanks,
Stan

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Stan. Try version 1.03 of DVAPTool and see if that makes a difference. A few folks have reported the same issue that you currently see. I'm working on some debug/test code to try to figure out why 1.04 doesn't show the device.
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> The change in 1.04 was to use the FTDI API to ask for devices. You'd think that their API would work better than scanning the registry (which is done in 1.03).
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> 73,
> Robin
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "W." <wa4dyd@> wrote:
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> > Robin,
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> > Any further thoughts? Should I de-install Bonjour and reinstall it as stand-alone?
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> > Thanks,
> > Stan, WA4DYD
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@...m, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:

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> > > I just installed Windows 8 64. I plugged in the DVAP and it automatically loaded the drivers. I then installed the Bonjour Services (not just the dll). When I installed DVAPTool 1.04, it came up and worked perfectly.
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> > > The only change I made to the system was to disable windows firewall for all profiles.
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> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "dubinky10" <alsprow@> wrote:
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> > > > Well, I admit that I didn't look up dnssd.dll since I had already looked for ftd2xx.dll and didn't find it.
> > > > Problem is, I had already installed the bonjour stuff and it didn't change anything.
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> > > > Any other suggestions?
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> > > > Thanks!
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2135. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 17:21:35 UTC
From: radiodays2010
Topic: 2106 Message: 2135

I think he was asking how to run the software from a cold boot to create a headless system. I had the very same question. In fact, I will be adding the wifi dongle to use with my iPhone. That will bring up a whole new series of questions. I am not a Linux guy (can you tell?).

Thanks,
Dave

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> > ----- Original Message -----
> > From: "aa4rc" <aa4rc@>
> > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> > Sent: Monday, February 18, 2013 1:45:11 PM

> > Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released
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2136. Re: Installing on Windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-20 22:41:13 UTC
From: W.
Topic: 1901 Message: 2136

Thanks, Roy. I would think that since I just downloaded iTunes from Apple and it is included that it would be the latest version. I've had issues with two USB devices not working with Windows 8 that did work with Windows 7 due to USB chipset compatibility problems. It does get a little frustrating upgrading OS's at times.

Stan, WA4DYD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "flyboy622" <w8qas@...> wrote:
>
> Did you make sure you are running the latest or a standalone copy of Bonjour? I ran into this and that is how I solved it.
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> Roy, W8QAS
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
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2137. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 00:01:45 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2106 Message: 2137
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I noticed an autostart folder in /homr/pi/.config/autostart for the DVAPnode image to autostart the two programs. That's probably what he is referring to.

John

From: aa4rc [mailto:aa4rc@...]
Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2013 10:07 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Hi (didn't get your name).

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2138. Re: [DVAPDongle] QUESTION: MAKING DVAP and "GATEWAY CQ" WORK TOGETHER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 01:24:56 UTC
From: Michael Kaufman
Topic: 2121 Message: 2138

Hi Al:

I have been using my ID51 with my vhf davap with no problems. In the from field in DR mode select the CS button followed by selecting repeater list scrolling down to # 20 followed by the blue button will get you simplex frequencies list. I use 145.67 for my dvap, the blue button will select it. The RX-CS will select the To field. The CS button will get you another menu, the third field down "your call sign" will get you an entire menu of commands to be used on the dvap, all of the reflectors are listed as well as un link and CQ and I added repeaters that I frequent to the list.

Have fun with the radio I love mine

Mike

WB9SLI

--- On Tue, 2/19/13, albertkarel <arkarel@...> wrote:

> From: albertkarel <arkarel@...>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] QUESTION: MAKING DVAP and "GATEWAY CQ" WORK TOGETHER
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Tuesday, February 19, 2013, 6:56 PM
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> Thanks to Robin for all his good work here. I hooe
> he might help on this one.
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> On the ID-31 and 51, DR mode is very useful.
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> One valuable feature is the GATEWAY CQ list. It gives you
> quick access to all of the repeaters on the world-wide ICOM
> repeater list.
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> While you are in the TO field in DR mode, you just hit the
> center button and you see Local CQ, Gateway CQ, Your Call
> Sign, etc. Clicking on Gateway CQ brings up a list of all
> the repeaters, sorted into areas of the world. WOW...what a
> feature.
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> BUT IT DOES NOT WORK WHILE USING THE DVAP. That is a
> significant loss...not being able to easily link with
> worldwide repeaters because we are using a DVAP.
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> Because you must use a simplex frequency to contact the
> DVAP, the internal ID31 and 51 firmware apparently
> concludes that if you are on a simplex frequency, you are
> NOT going to be linking, so it DISABLES THE GATEWAY CQ
> MENU!
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>
> I would much appreciate it if Robin could advise how we can
> have our cake (tasty DVAP) and eat it too (have full GATEWAY
> CQ functionality).
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> I tried setting up a repeater link with zero offset, but
> couldn't make it work...perhaps I did it wrong.
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> THANKS in advance for help with this problem.
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2139. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 02:18:39 UTC
From: k4shp
Topic: 2106 Message: 2139

Thanks Robin,
I went back and re-did step 4 to make sure that I did it correctly and then everything else worked as it should. The DVAPTool software is working GREAT on the PI!!! Thanks for all of your hard work.

Are there any plans to adapt the software so that it will automatically start and connect to the DVAP-DONGLE so that no user interaction will be necessary?

Thanks again and 73
- Jason

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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k4shp" <k4shp@> wrote:
> >
> > Robin,
> > All went well until step 5. I am getting an error that says something like "no such file or no such directory". I am sure that it is my mistake but some guidance would be appreciated.
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> > Thanks and 73
> > Jason
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
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> > > Follow the steps below to install/run:
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> > > 2) open an LXTerminal window and run: "sudo apt-get install qt4-dev-tools". Answer "Y" when prompted.
> > >
> > > 3) in terminal window run: "curl -O http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz"

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> > > 4) in terminal window run "sudo tar xzPf DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz"
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> > > 5) in terminal window run DVAPTool with "./DVAPTool" from your home directory.
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> > > Note that this is a full GUI version. I'm working on a text only daemon.
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> > > There are no current plans to compile DVAPTool for any distribution other than Raspian. It may or may not work on others.
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> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
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2140. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 02:55:53 UTC
From: tim_white150
Topic: 2106 Message: 2140

Hi Robin,

I performed these steps. When I try to execute the DVAPTool I get an "unable to connect to X server" message.

There were no errors reported by the previous steps.

Any ideas?

Tim VK2AAA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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2141. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 03:28:41 UTC
From: michael_w6oso
Topic: 2106 Message: 2141

Hi Robin,
I flashed my SD card as per your instructions. All of your instructions are fine until Line 4, where you call for "sudo tar xzPfDVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz". The reply from the PI is "xtar: old option 'f' requires an argument. try 'tar -- help or 'tar--useage' for more information.

Is there a mistake in the line 4 instructions? I am condifent that I downloaded a good software as I used the SHA-1 Checksum software to varify the complete 2013-02-09-wheezy-raspbian.zip software.

Do you have any ideas or suggestions?

Thanks
Mike - W6OSO

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> Robin
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2143. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 13:42:14 UTC
From: k4shp
Topic: 2106 Message: 2143

Mike,
There is a space between the xzPf and DVAPTool in the command line. It is hard to see on the instructions but if you look close you will see it.

Give that a try!
73

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "michael_w6oso" <kj6tnn@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Robin,
> I flashed my SD card as per your instructions. All of your instructions are fine until Line 4, where you call for "sudo tar xzPfDVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz". The reply from the PI is "xtar: old option 'f' requires an argument. try 'tar -- help or 'tar--useage' for more information.
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> Do you have any ideas or suggestions?
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> Thanks
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2144. Re: QUESTION: MAKING DVAP and "GATEWAY CQ" WORK TOGETHER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 15:22:30 UTC
From: jsfcalif
Topic: 2121 Message: 2144

Mike,

I think Al wanted to use Gateway CQ rather than Your Call Sign so he would have access to all the repeaters in the database and not have to add each repeater to the list as you did.

John
K6KD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Michael Kaufman <wb9sli@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Al:
>
> I have been using my ID51 with my vhf davap with no problems. In the from field in DR mode select the CS button followed by selecting repeater list scrolling down to # 20 followed by the blue button will get you simplex frequencies list. I use 145.67 for my dvap, the blue button will select it. The RX-CS will select the To field. The CS button will get you another menu, the third field down "your call sign" will get you an entire menu of commands to be used on the dvap, all of the reflectors are listed as well as un link and CQ and I added repeaters that I frequent to the list.
>
> Have fun with the radio I love mine
>
> Mike
>
> WB9SLI
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> --- On Tue, 2/19/13, albertkarel <arkarel@...> wrote:
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> > From: albertkarel <arkarel@...>
> > Subject: [DVAPDongle] QUESTION: MAKING DVAP and "GATEWAY CQ" WORK TOGETHER
> > To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> > Date: Tuesday, February 19, 2013, 6:56 PM
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> > Thanks to Robin for all his good work here. I hooe
> > he might help on this one.
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> > On the ID-31 and 51, DR mode is very useful.
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> > One valuable feature is the GATEWAY CQ list. It gives you
> > quick access to all of the repeaters on the world-wide ICOM
> > repeater list.
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> > While you are in the TO field in DR mode, you just hit the
> > center button and you see Local CQ, Gateway CQ, Your Call
> > Sign, etc. Clicking on Gateway CQ brings up a list of all
> > the repeaters, sorted into areas of the world. WOW...what a
> > feature.
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> > BUT IT DOES NOT WORK WHILE USING THE DVAP. That is a
> > significant loss...not being able to easily link with
> > worldwide repeaters because we are using a DVAP.
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> > Because you must use a simplex frequency to contact the
> > DVAP, the internal ID31 and 51 firmware apparently
> > concludes that if you are on a simplex frequency, you are
> > NOT going to be linking, so it DISABLES THE GATEWAY CQ
> > MENU!
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> > I would much appreciate it if Robin could advise how we can
> > have our cake (tasty DVAP) and eat it too (have full GATEWAY
> > CQ functionality).
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> > I tried setting up a repeater link with zero offset, but
> > couldn't make it work...perhaps I did it wrong.
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> > THANKS in advance for help with this problem.
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2145. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 16:38:47 UTC
From: craigdamlo
Topic: 2106 Message: 2145

Just wanted to report that it's working perfectly here. Thanks again for this. Next step is to get it to run headless.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> Working nicely here;
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> will try next on remix
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2146. R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 16:46:08 UTC
From: Geno
Topic: 2087 Message: 2146

Any chance someone can upload a working .iso file for the R-Pi with the os,vnc,gui wifi and dvaptools. It sure would help the Linux impaired trying to get this working.

2147. Blog Post About RPI and DVAP setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-21 21:23:51 UTC
From: ab4bj
Topic: 2147 Message: 2147

I've been having a lot of fun setting up the little Raspberry Pi computers to work with the DVAP. Although there is a lot on the Internet about this, I thought I would share my experiences in a blog post in case it might answer some questions that anyone might have about setting up this system. The blog post is here:

http://ab4bj.com/wordpress/2013/02/setting-up-a-raspberry-pi-to-work-with-a-dv-access-point-dongle-dvap/

73,

Bill
AB4BJ

2148. Re: QUESTION: MAKING DVAP and "GATEWAY CQ" WORK TOGETHER

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-22 00:46:20 UTC
From: albertkarel
Topic: 2121 Message: 2148

HI MIKE-

That's just how I did mine too....BUT...it does not give you
access to all the repeaters listed under GATEWAY CQ. To get to repeaters while on a DVAP, you must program them in by hand! If you are on a repeater, you have an amazing pre-loaded, world-wide list. That's
a significant loss.

THAT'S WHY I HOPED ROBIN WOULD CHIME IN WITH A FIX.

We LOVE our DVAP's and we LOVE our ID-31's and 51's, but the without some help here...we're going to miss out on an important feature of those radios...ALL THE PRE-PROGRAMMED REPEATERS listed under Gateway CQ.

AL

2149. RE: [DVAPDongle] R-Pi/DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-22 01:35:07 UTC
From: David Maria
Topic: 2087 Message: 2149

I would absolutely love for that to happen!!!!

Dave

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Geno
Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2013 10:46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] R-Pi/DVAP

Any chance someone can upload a working .iso file for the R-Pi with the os,vnc,gui wifi and dvaptools. It sure would help the Linux impaired trying to get this working.

2150. Re: Blog Post About RPI and DVAP setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-22 01:51:32 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 2147 Message: 2150

I've been trying to avoid the Pi frenzy going around. Not sure I'm going to be able to resist much longer. Thanks for your blog post Bill! The Pi will be on next month's budget.

Robert

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ab4bj" <ab4bj@...> wrote:
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> 73,
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> Bill
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2152. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-22 02:15:37 UTC
From: tim_white150
Topic: 2106 Message: 2152

OK, my bad. I was doing this from the shell, not the window based command line. All is working fine.....

Tim

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "tim_white150" <tim.w@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Robin,
>
> I performed these steps. When I try to execute the DVAPTool I get an "unable to connect to X server" message.
>
> There were no errors reported by the previous steps.
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> Any ideas?
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> Tim VK2AAA
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> > Robin
> > AA4RC

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2153. Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-22 02:43:20 UTC
From: kb6tho@pacbell.net
Topic: 2106 Message: 2153

It may not be the most artful, but this works here...
Add the following to the "rc.local" file (in /etc)

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# Start X Server so DVAPToo can start...
su pi -c startx
```

Create the following ".xinitrc" file in /home/pi and make it executable (chmod 755 .xinitrc)

```
#!/bin/sh
#.xinitrc
# Start DVAPTool
exec /home/pi/Desktop/DVAPTool -open
```

This starts an xserver session at boot and then runs DVAPTool and "opens" it so you are ready to connect via RF. As soon as you see the blue LED light up, you can key up to connect...

73!
Ed, KB6THO

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "craigdamlo" <ku7cad@...> wrote:
>
> Just wanted to report that it's working perfectly here. Thanks again for this. Next step is to get it to run headless.
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2155. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-22 17:28:30 UTC
From: KJ6TNN
Topic: 2106 Message: 2155

Got it. Itis now up and running fine.
Thanks

Michael Anderson - KJ6INN
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Sent from my Samsung Galaxy Note™, an AT&T LTE smartphone

-------- Original message --------
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released
From: k4shp <k4shp@yahoo.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
CC: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Mike,
There is a space between the xzPf and DVAPTool in the command line. It is hard to see on the instructions but if you look close you will see it.

Give that a try!
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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "michael_w6oso" wrote:
>
> Hi Robin,
> I flashed my SD card as per your instructions. All of your instructions are fine until Line 4, where you call for "sudo tar xzPfDVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz". The reply from the PI is "xtar: old option 'f' requires an argument. try 'tar -- help or 'tar--useage' for more information.
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2157. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool version 1.04 for Raspberry Pi released

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-23 00:25:19 UTC
From: Kelvin Anderson
Topic: 2106 Message: 2157

Thanks Ed that was very helpful, I had to make one minor adjustment because of where DVAPTool was installed, based on Robins' install instructions, on my SD Card, so I have "exec /home/pi/DVAPTool -open" in .xinitrc and it fired right up.

K7KHA

On Feb 21, 2013, at 7:43 PM, "kb6tho@..." <kb6tho@...> wrote:

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>
> It may not be the most artful, but this works here...
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2158. DVAP Commands on 2m DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-23 14:33:47 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 2158 Message: 2158

I got a new ID-51 recently and was getting it all setup for use with my 2m & 70cm DVAPs. While checking out the DVAP commands, talk, link, unlink, echo, status, etc. I noticed that echo and status don't work on the 2m DVAP and work as expected on the 70cm DVAP. Initially, I thought it was the ID-51 programming or something. However, I grabbed my IC-91AD and got the same results.

I got on the air and worked with a friend and coordinated a test and of course his DVAP operated as expected with all the commands. Interestingly, if I setup for echo test on mine, connected to a repeater, when I transmitted the DVAPTool would show UR: E but he would show that I was sending CQCQCQ in the UR: field. When he made the same test, his DVAP should show UR: E as expected and I would see UR: E and he would get his echo test as expected.

This is all very perplexing because I think all the commands use to work on my 2m DVAP. The only thing I can think of is that my 2m DVAP was purchased the first day they were available at HRO and I am sure the other one is likely somewhat newer.

As I was writing this, I am wondering if there has every been a firmware update for the 2m DVAP and I just need to update or something.

Mark,
WB5SLA

2159. Re: Raspberry Pi and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-23 19:50:56 UTC
From: Bill Jourdain
Topic: 2159 Message: 2159

I explain a lot of what you are looking for in my post here:
http://ab4bj.com/wordpress/2013/02/setting-up-a-raspberry-pi-to-work-with-a-dv-access-point-dongle-dvap/

73,

Bill

AB4BJ

2160. THANK YOU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-23 19:55:49 UTC
From: AF6GL
Topic: 2160 Message: 2160

I just wanted to say thank you to Robin AA4RC, Ed KB6THO, and Kelvin K7KHA for their work on making DVAP on Raspberry Pi come to fruition (pun intended).

I now have my stand alone Dstar station up and running. Plug it into a 110v outlet and 58.7 seconds later I'm up and running.

It is configured for wifi on my home router or I can plug it into a router with a cat5 cable.

I will post a picture.

Job well done gentlemen.

73

Timothy McGowen
AF6GL

BTW, for total fruition I use a Blackberry power supply.

2161. DVAP RPI Software.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-24 01:39:53 UTC
From: ve7hj
Topic: 2161 Message: 2161

When I run " sudo tar xzPF DVAPTool-rpi-1.04.tgz"

I get gzip: stdin not in gzip format
Tar: child returned status 1
Tar: Error is not recoverable: exiting now

Any suggestions?

VE7HJ -James

2162. Re: DVAP RPI Software.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-24 02:30:38 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2161 Message: 2162

Hi James. It looks like your download didn't complete properly. Try it again and see if that works.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ve7hj" <ve7hj@...> wrote:
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> Tar: child returned status 1
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> Any suggestions?
>
> VE7HJ -James
>

2163. Re: [DVAPDongle] THANK YOU

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-24 04:09:40 UTC
From: Kelvin Anderson
Topic: 2160 Message: 2163

I didn't do anything, he he he. I'm just along for the ride. Robin did the heavy lifting and Ed provided some bushwacking.

-K7KHA

On Feb 23, 2013, at 12:55 PM, "AF6GL" <searchk9@...> wrote:

> I just wanted to say thank you to Robin AA4RC, Ed KB6THO, and Kelvin K7KHA for their work on making DVAP on Raspberry Pi come to fruition (pun intended).
>
> I now have my stand alone Dstar station up and running. Plug it into a 110v outlet and 58.7 seconds later I'm up and running.
>
> It is configured for wifi on my home router or I can plug it into a router with a cat5 cable.
>
> I will post a picture.
>
> Job well done gentlemen.
>
> 73
>
> Timothy McGowen
> AF6GL
>
> BTW, for total fruition I use a Blackberry power supply.
>
>

2164. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Commands on 2m DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-24 04:33:42 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2158 Message: 2164

Hmmm. Did you notice that DVAP echo and status UR are different from DSTAR repeaters?Echo and status test for DVAP is:UR: DVAP<sp><sp><sp>EUR: DVAP<sp><sp><sp>I Look about 1/2 of the way down: http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.htmlThat works like a champ for me. The DVAP plays around with the various UR fields as it knows that you are calling simplex. What you see out on the various repeaters and gateways is not exactly what you have in your radio. Just my 2 cents. Others could tell you the more technical side. 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: markn@...
Date: Sat, 23 Feb 2013 14:33:47 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Commands on 2m DVAP

I got a new ID-51 recently and was getting it all setup for use with my 2m & 70cm DVAPs. While checking out the DVAP commands, talk, link, unlink, echo, status, etc. I noticed that echo and status don't work on the 2m DVAP and work as expected on the 70cm DVAP. Initially, I thought it was the ID-51 programming or something. However, I grabbed my IC-91AD and got the same results.

I got on the air and worked with a friend and coordinated a test and of course his DVAP operated as expected with all the commands. Interestingly, if I setup for echo test on mine, connected to a repeater, when I transmitted the DVAPTool would show UR: E but he would show that I was sending CQCQCQ in the UR: field. When he made the same test, his DVAP should show UR: E as expected and I would see UR: E and he would get his echo test as expected.

This is all very perplexing because I think all the commands use to work on my 2m DVAP. The only thing I can think of is that my 2m DVAP was purchased the first day they were available at HRO and I am sure the other one is likely somewhat newer.

As I was writing this, I am wondering if there has every been a firmware update for the 2m DVAP and I just need to update or something.

Mark,

WB5SLA

2165. Auto start and DVAP connect w/PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-25 00:44:34 UTC
From: k4shp
Topic: 2165 Message: 2165

Does anyone know how or even if it is possible to have the DVTool software automatically start when the PI starts and then have it open the comport for the DVAP?

73

2168. RE: [DVAPDongle] Auto start and DVAP connect w/PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-25 04:24:24 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2165 Message: 2168
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

It's fully documented in a message earlier in this group.

From: k4shp [mailto:k4shp@...]
Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2013 7:45 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Auto start and DVAP connect w/PI

Does anyone know how or even if it is possible to have the DVTool software automatically start when the PI starts and then have it open the comport for the DVAP?

73

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.2899 / Virus Database: 2641/6128 - Release Date: 02/24/13

2171. Auto start for DVAP and Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-25 19:39:06 UTC
From: Mike Gee
Topic: 2171 Message: 2171

Could someone please email me an image file for my SD card that would automatically start start Linux with DVAP tools and open the comm port so that I don't need the computer. I have it working now but, I have to use the computer to run DVAPTools and to open the comm port.

TNX Mike W9QO

2172. Re: Auto start and DVAP connect w/PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-25 22:54:56 UTC
From: wb9opr
Topic: 2165 Message: 2172

This all works just fine on my Pi. My question is there a way to eliminate the pop up that says your running the current version so I can see the small monitor attached showing the DVAP window without having a mouse to click the OK button. This is not a big deal was really curious for convenience with the least hardware.

Frank
WB9OPR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k4shp" <k4shp@> wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone know how or even if it is possible to have the DVTool software automatically start when the PI starts and then have it open the comport for the DVAP?
> >
> > 73
> >
>
> For wheezy ;
>
> Create text file & name/edit ;
>
> file path & name = /home/pi/.config/autostart/Start_DVAPTool.desktop
>
> ----------
>
> Desktop Entry]
> Type=Application
> Exec=sudo /home/pi/DVAPTool
> ----------
>
> Your DVAPTool bin file path may vary from above, so just edit to suit & save. reboot to test.
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
> http://vk4tux.no-ip.org/PiPics
>

2174. Re: Auto start and DVAP connect w/PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-26 02:51:21 UTC
From: radiodays2010
Topic: 2165 Message: 2174

You lost me at the beginning. What is that list of stuff right after "use"? Use it where????

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> I worked this trick out myself (linux), to get around the open button.,
>
> use
>
>
>
>
> [root@fedora18desk DVAPTool]# ./DVAPTool -open
> DVAPTool version 1.04
> Restored parameters:
> UserCallsign=VK4TUX
> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB1
> Frequency=144700000
> SquelchLevel=-88
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Linux
> DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A9003R9J)
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB1 found (A6007ELQ)
> Callsign set to VK4TUX
> Frequency set to 144700000
> new frequency (144700000)
> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB1) added
> Found 2 FTDI device(s)
> Auto open from command line
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB1
> Callsign set to (VK4TUX)
> Opened device /dev/ttyUSB1
> AMBE out of sync! bytesleft=17 ndx=0
> 0x0000: 00 10 00 01 00 44 56 41 50 20 44 6f 6e 67 6c 65 |.....DVAP
> Dongle|
> 0x0010: 00 |.
> |
> AMBE searching for next packet
> Timeout getting device name
> Device name (DVAP Dongle)
> Device serial number (AP000067)
> Device boot firmware version (1.01)

> Device app firmware version (1.05)
> Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 148000000)
> Device receive frequency (144700000)
> Device transmit frequency (144700000)
> Device receive frequency (144700000)
> Device transmit frequency (144700000)
> Finished reading from name server
> Device modulation mode (GMSK)
>
>
> so,
>
> use (now revised by me)
>
> For wheezy ;
>
> Create text file & name/edit ;
>
> file path & name = /home/pi/.config/autostart/Start_DVAPTool.desktop
>
> ---
>
> Desktop Entry]
> Type=Application
> Exec=sudo /home/pi/DVAPTool -open
> ---
>
> Your DVAPTool bin file path may vary from above, so just edit to suit &
> save. reboot to test.
>
> Now the Rpi;
>
> Addittionally (I should have mentioned this first, setup auto login,
> before auto start;
>
> Setting up Auto-loginNow I don't use the GUI at all but I bet most
> people do and I think most of them just want it to login when the Pi
> boots, so lets set that up!
>
> (Note: Please only do this in a secure environment, because this
> basically removes the login prompt)
>
> So lets get started by punching in:
>
> sudo nano /etc/inittab
>
> This opens Nano, a very lightweight text-editor and opens the file that
> controls the initialization process.
>

> Scroll down until you find:
>
> 1:2345:respawn:/sbin/getty 115200 tty1
>
> We need to comment this out, do this by placing a `#' in front of the
> line like so:
>
> #1:2345:respawn:/sbin/getty 115200 tty1
>
> This disables the login prompt.
> Now we need to add the following line below to make it auto-login to our
> account:
>
> 1:2345:respawn:/bin/login -f pi tty1 /dev/tty1 2>&1
>
> This makes it so we auto login. The `-f' flag makes it so it logs in the
> user `pi', the rest is what user and environment to use.
>
> Save the file by pressing: "Ctrl + X" and hitting Enter twice after
> that.
>
> If everything went ok, we should be able to login on boot, but! We want
> it to auto-start the GUIÂ
>
> Lets do that now:
>
> sudo nano /etc/profile
>
> All we have to do here is scroll to the bottom and add the following
> line:
>
> startx
>
> Exit by pressing: "Ctrl + X" and hitting Enter twice.
>
> And that's it, we are done! Reboot your Pi by punching in:
>
> sudo reboot
>
> Gui and DVAPTool should be up and running (see previous post)
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>

2175. Re: Auto start and DVAP connect w/PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-26 22:28:13 UTC
From: wb9opr
Topic: 2165 Message: 2175

I do not have another Linux machine that I can do that on or I would at least try. Sorry.

Frank
WB9OPR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "wb9opr" <wb9opr@> wrote:
> >
> > This all works just fine on my Pi. My question is there a way to eliminate the pop up that says your running the current version so I can see the small monitor attached showing the DVAP window without having a mouse to click the OK button. This is not a big deal was really curious for convenience with the least hardware.
> >
> > Frank
> > WB9OPR
>
> Could not get around that one, however its a non issue on a headless system as you mention. Being a binary the program has no option access
> to the end user like that. Perhaps Robin may? be able to add a enable checkbox for the connect popup later ...
>
> If you could DD your card on a linux machine;
>
> i.e;
>
> dd if=/dev/sdd of=/home/yourname/egdvapname.img bs=1M
>
> > example above and zip it, the other guy here is looking for that.
>
> Although the procedure is here how to add to what you have.
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>

2177. Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-28 19:55:01 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2177

I installed the DVAPTool on my Pi today. When I try to open the device I get an error: Here is what I see in the terminal window:

```
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool
DVAPTool version 1.04
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=W1FJM
DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
Frequency=145685000
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: Linux
DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
new frequency (145685000)
Callsign set to W1FJM
Frequency set to 145685000
FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)
Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Callsign set to (W1FJM)
Callsign set to (W1FJM)
Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
```

How do I resolve this ?

Fran, W1FJM

2178. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-28 22:39:14 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen
Topic: 2177 Message: 2178

Since it appears to be a com port issue have you tried changing your com port?

Also are you running Wheezy and which version?

Timothy McGowen
AF6GL

On Feb 28, 2013, at 11:55, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:

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>
>
> I installed the DVAPTool on my Pi today. When I try to open the device I get an error:
Here is what I see in the terminal window:
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>
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> DVAPTool version 1.04
> Restored parameters:
> UserCallsign=W1FJM
> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
> Frequency=145685000
> SquelchLevel=-80
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Linux
> DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> new frequency (145685000)
> Callsign set to W1FJM
> Frequency set to 145685000
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)
> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
>
> How do I resolve this ?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
>
>
>
>
```

2179. Re: Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-02-28 23:11:46 UTC
From: k4shp
Topic: 2177 Message: 2179

This might be a stab in the dark but ha be you tried to browse the Internet with your Pi? Looking the line that reads "DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563" you might not be connected to the Internet properly. Just a guess though.

73
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:
>
> I installed the DVAPTool on my Pi today. When I try to open the device I
> get an error: Here is what I see in the terminal window:
>
>
> pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool
> DVAPTool version 1.04
> Restored parameters:
> UserCallsign=W1FJM
> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
> Frequency=145685000
> SquelchLevel=-80
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Linux
> DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> new frequency (145685000)
> Callsign set to W1FJM
> Frequency set to 145685000
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)
> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
>
> How do I resolve this ?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
>

2180. Re: Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 00:11:25 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2180

I just looked at the /dev/ttyUSB0 file and it says the owner id OPENDV.
Could this be the reason DVAPTool can't open it?

DVAPTool is installed on a PI that also has Ircddbgateway and Repeater
installed that would use the DVAP. However they are not running.

Any useful info will be appreciated. I don't know enough about Linux to
figure this stuff out.

Thanks

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Thu, Feb 28, 2013 at 2:55 PM, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:

> I installed the DVAPTool on my Pi today. When I try to open the device I
> get an error: Here is what I see in the terminal window:
>
>
> pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool
> DVAPTool version 1.04
> Restored parameters:
> UserCallsign=W1FJM
> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
> Frequency=145685000
> SquelchLevel=-80
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Linux
> DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> new frequency (145685000)
> Callsign set to W1FJM
> Frequency set to 145685000
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)
> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0

> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
>
> How do I resolve this ?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
>
>

2183. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 02:46:02 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2183

Adrian,

I have your emails, but didn't see anything with this issue.

I know the command you just sent will append to a user account, but what is it actually going to do? What is "dialup"? I like to understand what I? am doing so I learn.

Thanks

--Fran

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On Thu, Feb 28, 2013 at 7:38 PM, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> ** Hi Fran, I'm surprised you did not keep the emails; re this, flowing
> my way, however it
> looks like a permissions issue.
>
> try
>
> sudo usermod -a -G dialout *pi*
>
> Check there are no references to ttyUSB0 in /boot/cmdline.txt
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
>
> -----Original Message-----
> *From*: Fran Miele <fran@...<Fran%20Miele%20%3cfran@miele-family.com%3e>
> >
> *Reply-to*: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *To*: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject*: [DVAPDongle] Can't open DVAP on RPI
> *Date*: Thu, 28 Feb 2013 14:55:01 -0500
>
> I installed the DVAPTool on my Pi today. When I try to open the device I

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>
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> UserCallsign=W1FJM DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0 Frequency=145685000
> SquelchLevel=-80 TxPowerLevel=10 O/S: Linux DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> new frequency (145685000) Callsign set to W1FJM Frequency set to 145685000
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0) Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0)
> added Found 1 FTDI device(s) Callsign set to (W1FJM) Callsign set to
> (W1FJM) Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0 Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
>
> How do I resolve this ?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
>
>
>

2184. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 02:48:20 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2184

Tim, I have not tried changing comm ports. I wouldn't know how. I don't think that is the problem as the DVAP is accessible using G4KLX software

--Fran

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On Thu, Feb 28, 2013 at 5:39 PM, Timothy McGowen <searchk9@...> wrote:

> **
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>
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> port?
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> Also are you running Wheezy and which version?
>
> Timothy McGowen
> AF6GL
>
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> get an error: Here is what I see in the terminal window:
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>
> pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool
> DVAPTool version 1.04
> Restored parameters:
> UserCallsign=W1FJM
> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
> Frequency=145685000
> SquelchLevel=-80
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Linux
> DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> new frequency (145685000)
> Callsign set to W1FJM
> Frequency set to 145685000
> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)

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> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
>
> How do I resolve this ?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
>
>
>
```

2185. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 02:49:01 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2185

i can get out to the internet

--Fran

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<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>

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On Thu, Feb 28, 2013 at 6:11 PM, k4shp <k4shp@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> This might be a stab in the dark but ha be you tried to browse the
> Internet with your Pi? Looking the line that reads "DNSServiceBrowse
> error=-65563" you might not be connected to the Internet properly. Just a
> guess though.
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> 73
>
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> > DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
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> > SquelchLevel=-80
> > TxPowerLevel=10
> > O/S: Linux
> > DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
> > new frequency (145685000)
> > Callsign set to W1FJM
> > Frequency set to 145685000
> > FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)
> > Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
> > Found 1 FTDI device(s)

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> > Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> > Callsign set to (W1FJM)
> > Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
> > Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
> > Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
> >
> > How do I resolve this ?
> >
> > Fran, W1FJM
> >
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>
```

2186. Read Only Reflectors?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 04:26:42 UTC
From: Jeff
Topic: 2186 Message: 2186

I just setup my new 70cm DVAP for use with my ID-31A and it seems good so far but one reflector REF012C being used for the PAPA D-Star round table net and my DVAP will only connect read only. Are they locking out DVAP's or is it people need to pay to use the PAPA reflectors/repeaters? Some of the people on the round table were not in the local area to the repeater so its not rejecting all people.

I have no problem connecting to REF014C and being seen there, so I have least some things right in my DVAP setup...

Thanks!

Jeff Ellis
KG7BMA

2187. Re: Read Only Reflectors?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 13:59:05 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2186 Message: 2187

Hi Jeff. It looks like your registration of the "A" terminal made it through to REF012. Try it again. Also, try connecting with a space in the 8th character of the callsign in DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jeff" <driftenlists@...> wrote:
>
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> I have no problem connecting to REF014C and being seen there, so I have least some things right in my DVAP setup...
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> Jeff Ellis
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2188. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 15:18:54 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2188

Adrian,

The usermod did not fix it.

The only way I can get DVAPTool to run and let me open the DVAP is if I log in as "root" and run "/home/pi/DVAPTool".

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On Thu, Feb 28, 2013 at 9:22 PM, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:

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> -----Original Message-----
> *From*: Fran Miele <fran@...<Fran%20Miele%20%3cfran@...%3e>
> >
> *Reply-to*: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *To*: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject*: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can't open DVAP on RPI
> *Date*: Thu, 28 Feb 2013 19:11:25 -0500
>
> I just looked at the /dev/ttyUSB0 file and it says the owner id OPENDV.
> Could this be the reason DVAPTool can't open it?
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> ok
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> sudo usermod -a -G opendv pi
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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>
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2189. Echo and Info commands in DVAP on ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 15:48:37 UTC
From: ar11964
Topic: 2189 Message: 2189

Can someone please give me a hint how to enter DVAP E and DVAP I commands into my ID-31A? The programming software rejects the final character. On the HT itself the Simplex command seems to have disappeared after loading the dstar info repeater lists. Everything else, reflector linking, Unlink, etc. was programmed in using the software and micro SD card and works as expected. Thanks, Alan, K2RHK

2190. Overloading on the DVAP with ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 15:58:24 UTC
From: ar11964
Topic: 2190 Message: 2190

I'm seeing some overloading problems on my new 440 DVAP, and I wonder if anyone has some ideas how to get around them other than keeping my ID-31A on the lowest power setting and as far from the DVAP as possible? If I operate closer than about two feet I get either no link or an unstable one. If I operate, say, 10 or 15 feet away I start to see some packet loss and then have to increase power. I makes operation a bit tricky. I'm in a very high IM location but I'm not sure that has anything to do with it. I've tried varying operating frequencies and squelch settings without effect. Thanks, Alan, K2RHK

2191. Re: [DVAPDongle] Read Only Reflectors?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 17:03:48 UTC
From: Jeff Ellis
Topic: 2186 Message: 2191

I just tried just using my call as if I was going to a local repeater (like you suggested with a space in the 8th character) and I was able to link. to REF012C and I show up there on last heard. In DVAPTool I still have the Station Callsign locked to "KG7BMA A" on http://ref012.dstargateway.org it shows me as a remote user as the DVAP and Last Heard as the radio.

So I am guessing that is the correct configuration and gives systems a path to route back to my radio if someone tried to call sign route to my radio?

Thanks so much for the help. This is a lot different then what I am used to with ip routing.

I am loving the use of the DVAP so far. Its making my ID-31A useful.

73,
Jeff
KG7BMA

On Mar 1, 2013, at 5:59 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@interlabs.com> wrote:

> Hi Jeff. It looks like your registration of the "A" terminal made it through to REF012. Try it again. Also, try connecting with a space in the 8th character of the callsign in DVAPTool.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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2192. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-01 21:47:56 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen
Topic: 2177 Message: 2192

Fran,

Open DVAPTool and next to DVAP Device" it will list a Com Port. You can try changing that. You might want to check your other software and see which com port it is configured to use.

I am not familiar with the other software but if it running at the same time sharing the com port could be problematic.

Wish I could help more.

Timothy McGowen

On Feb 28, 2013, at 18:48, Fran Miele <fran@...> wrote:

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> Tim, I have not tried changing comm ports. I wouldn't know how. I don't think that is the problem as the DVAP is accessible using G4KLX software
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> --Fran
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>>> pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool
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>>> Restored parameters:
>>> UserCallsign=W1FJM
>>> DVDevice=/dev/ttyUSB0
>>> Frequency=145685000
>>> SquelchLevel=-80
>>> TxPowerLevel=10
>>> O/S: Linux
>>> DNSServiceBrowse error=-65563
>>> new frequency (145685000)
>>> Callsign set to W1FJM
>>> Frequency set to 145685000
>>> FTDI serial device ttyUSB0 found (A6007EW0)
>>> Serial device (/dev/ttyUSB0) added
>>> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
>>> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
>>> Callsign set to (W1FJM)
>>> Opening DVAP device /dev/ttyUSB0
>>> Cannot open com port /dev/ttyUSB0
>>> Cannot open DVTool device /dev/ttyUSB0
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>>> How do I resolve this ?
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>>> Fran, W1FJM
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2193. Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 04:24:47 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 2193 Message: 2193

Hi All,

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Mike, W2SWR

P.S. Thanks Robin for all your work!

2194. RE: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 04:46:35 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2063 Message: 2194

Are there instructions on how to use the DVAP tool to capture the factory settings on a 70cm DVAP?

Thanks

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Friday, February 01, 2013 6:28 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

As several people have experienced, there is a flaw in the 3rd party software for the Raspberry Pi. The software wipes out the calibration data that is programmed into the DVAP at the factory.

If you use the software, you will have to recalibrate using the DVAP Utility software. It probably won't get you as close as factory settings but can bring it back to usable.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2196. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 12:34:57 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 2193 Message: 2196

Id be more than happy to pay you credit. Sorry I missed you on the sheet. I am revising the pdf file to credit you as well.

73

Mike

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2197. Re: Echo and Info commands in DVAP on ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 13:11:42 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 2189 Message: 2197

Sure, I ran across this issue on the 2-meter DVAP. Does not seem to be a problem on the 70cm version. Anyway, for some reason the DVAP does not seem to like just the command out in the 8th space with nothing before it. So, all you need to do is put something before the command, it does not matter what it is. So for clarity, I put the following:
Echo EInfo I
For me, this made it start accepting the commands.
Let me know if you have any more questions.
MarkWB5SLA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@...> wrote:
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2198. Re: Echo and Info commands in DVAP on ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 13:15:59 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 2189 Message: 2198

Whoops, I forgot one thing. If the programming software is rejecting the last character, my guess is that you are miscounting by one space and attempting to put the command in space nine.

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2199. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't open DVAP on RPI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 14:12:01 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2177 Message: 2199

Thanks Tim

It looks like it is a permissions problem.

--Fran

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<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>

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2200. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 14:54:56 UTC
From: Lewis
Topic: 2193 Message: 2200

Mike, thanks for putting the info in one location. I'm have a problem with some of the instructions (it may well be an operator issue, as the Raspberry is new to me) and assume you verified the instructions before you posted, correct?

Issue I'm having is with line "cd /.config & (enter)" reports "No such file or Directory"

73
Lew

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike.w2swr@...> wrote:
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2201. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 16:50:20 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 2193 Message: 2201

I added you to the credits at the bottom of the pdf. Sorry I didn't get you in there last night. It was late and an oversight. I don't have your first name as it isn't listed here or under your call in QRZ.com

73

Mike,W2SWR

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2202. Re: Overloading on the DVAP with ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 17:12:10 UTC
From: k9ruf
Topic: 2190 Message: 2202

Actually this sounds like the problem I was having with my 31 and then the 51. What you might be experiencing is that the DVAP is not on the frequency that you are displaying. If you download the DVAP utility which is a basic spectrum analyzer you can transmit with a known frequency source such as an another HT and see how acurate the DVAP receives it. The problem I was experiencing was the Dstar radio would not break squelch yet it would siplay an S meter reading. With the DVAP utility you can recalibrate the DVAP plus or minus a couple hundred Hz until the signal is centered on the frequencey you entered in the DVAP. Your problems may have started if like me you're using a raspberry PI since it resets the DVAP calibration from the factory. With this process you can bring it back in alignment. Hope I didn't confuse you but this made a world of difference for me with my issue.

Good Luck!

K9RUF
Dave

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2203. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-02 19:25:41 UTC
From: Les
Topic: 2193 Message: 2203

Mine won't autostart for some reason.

I created the autostart directory in the /home/pi/.config directory. I created the DVAPTool.desktop using the LeafPad editor file which looks like this:

DVAPTool.desktop

Name=DVAP Tool

Exec=/home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool -open

Icon=/home/pi/DVAP/dvap.png

Terminal=False

I also created the DVAP directory in /home/pi which is a copy of the DVAPTool.desktop located in /home/pi/.config/autostart

Both files are executable but the DVAP does not autostart. If I try to run the DVAPTool.desktop manually I get the following errors from the script:

The DVAPTool starts without errors if I log into the desktop and connects to the correct COM port.

I'm probably missing something in the instructions, but so far have not seen what the problem is.

```
pi@raspberrypi ~/.config/autostart $ ./DVAPTool.desktop
./DVAPTool.desktop: line 1: [Desktop: command not found
./DVAPTool.desktop: line 3: Tool: command not found
./DVAPTool.desktop: line 5: -open: command not found
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2205. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 02:10:29 UTC
From: ab4bj
Topic: 2193 Message: 2205

I have also added this to my blog as an update to my original post. You can find it here (the autostart for DVAPTool is at the bottom of the post):

http://ab4bj.com/wordpress/2013/02/setting-up-a-raspberry-pi-to-work-with-a-dv-access-point-dongle-dvap/

Giving credit where credit is due, I agree that VK4TUX first posted this info (DVAPTool -open), but it took an email to me from John, WB4QDX to point me in the right direction (and I'm sure he got some if not all of his info from posts that he found here and elsewhere). Thanks to everyone on this forum and in the Dstar community at large for sharing this information - it seems to be a community effort and evryone deserves some credit for this process. After all, that is the essence of ham radio. I'm looking forward to further refinements that others may choose to post here.

Thanks and 73,

AB4BJ

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2206. Link issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 05:08:29 UTC
From: Jeff
Topic: 2206 Message: 2206

I am betting this is a dumb issue, but I don't know what happened. Everything had been working great the other day. I tried to change the frequency to match one of the pre-programmed simplex frequencies to see if things would work better that way. That did not seem to work so I put it back to 435.500. When I give the info command or echo everything works. When I tell it to link to a reflector nothing happens. The command shows on the radio and on DVAPTool but it does not connect.

Here is an example of what shows in the DVAP Tool when I key up:
MY:KG7BMA /ID31
UR: REF010CL
R1: DIRECT
R2: DIRECT

Listening to KG7BMA

So the command is making it to the DVAP but nothing connects. I have tried with different reflectors in the list with the same results. With ECHO and Info working it seems like I am talking fine to the DVAP so I don't know why this is not working. I am running DVAPTool 1.04. I tried unplugging the DVAP and then putting it back on with no change in what its going.

What is strange is everything worked a couple of days ago.

Thanks

Jeff

2207. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 16:54:02 UTC
From: Jeff Ellis
Topic: 2206 Message: 2207

I fixed the issue. I rebooted the Mac the DVAP was connected to and now things work normally again. Its not often that Mac OSX or Linux system need to be rebooted but it fixed things in this case.

On Mar 2, 2013, at 9:08 PM, Jeff <driftenlists@...> wrote:

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2209. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 19:22:27 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 2193 Message: 2209

Hi Everyone,

I made a few mods to the instructions and just now replaced the DVAP_Tool.txt file which was somehow corrupt. I just tested the procedure and it is now working. Please make sure you are using rev 5 of my instructions and download a new DVAP_Tool.txt file.

Just a note: the pi's web browser dosn't like downloading stuff from yahoo groups too much. once I click to download any file, the browser gives me an error page, but it does in fact download what I wanted to my "/home/pi" folder.

Please let me know if you have any further issues.

73

Mike, W2SWR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Les" <dafuser@...> wrote:
>
>
> Mine won't autostart for some reason.
>
> I created the autostart directory in the /home/pi/.config directory. I created the DVAPTool.desktop using the LeafPad editor file which looks like this:
>
> DVAPTool.desktop
>
> Name=DVAP Tool
>
> Exec=/home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool -open
>
> Icon=/home/pi/DVAP/dvap.png
>
> Terminal=False
>
> I also created the DVAP directory in /home/pi which is a copy of the DVAPTool.desktop located in /home/pi/.config/autostart
>
> Both files are executable but the DVAP does not autostart. If I try to run the DVAPTool.desktop manually I get the following errors from the script:
>
> The DVAPTool starts without errors if I log into the desktop and connects to the correct COM port.
>
> I'm probably missing something in the instructions, but so far have not seen what the problem is.
>

> pi@raspberrypi ~/.config/autostart $ ./DVAPTool.desktop
> ./DVAPTool.desktop: line 1: [Desktop: command not found
> ./DVAPTool.desktop: line 3: Tool: command not found
> ./DVAPTool.desktop: line 5: -open: command not found
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike.w2swr@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi All,
> >
> > After a few days of trial and error, I finally have my DVAP working with Robin's DVAPTool for RPi and operating as a standalone "just power it all up and you're done" auto start operation. With the help of Robin's instructions posted here in the group and a bunch of web surfing, I got it working quite well. I figured I would make it easier on the next ham and documented my steps. I added the procedure to this groups Files link. Please check them out and let me know if I left anything out.
> >
> > 73
> > Mike, W2SWR
> >
> > P.S. Thanks Robin for all your work!
> >
>

2210. dvap rpi loading trouble

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 19:44:40 UTC
From: perryc
Topic: 2210 Message: 2210

I followed the directions, everything went fine until I typed in

sudo tar xzPf dvaptool-rpi.tgz
I got an error that reads as follows

gzip: stdin: not in gzip format
tar: child returned status 1
tar: error is not recoverable: exiting now

any ideas?
just about to put rpi thru insinkerator.....

ke6anm

2211. Re: Overloading on the DVAP with ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 20:03:20 UTC
From: ar11964
Topic: 2190 Message: 2211

Thanks, Dave. I'll give it a try. That's the same situation here; it'll show a full S meter reading but sometimes not break the squelch. I'm using the native Windows software, but it's possible that the DVAP is slightly off. I see the DVAP is very sensitive to the placement in the room. I thought I had found a location where it was happy but just now it turns out that it may not be so after all. The amount of stray RF floating around in this midtown Manhattan location - enough sometimes to even crash my wireless mouse - may have something to do with the problem too. I'll post the results.

Thanks again for the suggestion.
Alan, K2RHK

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "k9ruf" <k9ruf@...> wrote:
>
> Actually this sounds like the problem I was having with my 31 and then the 51. What you might be experiencing is that the DVAP is not on the frequency that you are displaying. If you download the DVAP utility which is a basic spectrum analyzer you can transmit with a known frequency source such as an another HT and see how acurate the DVAP receives it. The problem I was experiencing was the Dstar radio would not break squelch yet it would siplay an S meter reading. With the DVAP utility you can recalibrate the DVAP plus or minus a couple hundred Hz until the signal is centered on the frequencey you entered in the DVAP. Your problems may have started if like me you're using a raspberry PI since it resets the DVAP calibration from the factory. With this process you can bring it back in alignment. Hope I didn't confuse you but this made a world of difference for me with my issue.
>
> Good Luck!
>
> K9RUF
> Dave
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@> wrote:
> >
> > I'm seeing some overloading problems on my new 440 DVAP, and I wonder if anyone has some ideas how to get around them other than keeping my ID-31A on the lowest power setting and as far from the DVAP as possible? If I operate closer than about two feet I get either no link or an unstable one. If I operate, say, 10 or 15 feet away I start to see some packet loss and then have to increase power. I makes operation a bit tricky. I'm in a very high IM location but I'm not sure that has anything to do with it. I've tried varying operating frequencies and squelch settings without effect. Thanks, Alan, K2RHK
> >
>

2214. Re: Echo and Info commands in DVAP on ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-03 21:35:17 UTC
From: ar11964
Topic: 2189 Message: 2214

Thanks, Mark. As it turns out, I was able to enter the commands into the ID31 directly, but not through the 31's programming software on Windows. I then saved to the SD card on the 31 and moved the card back to the Windows computer where I was able to continue with the setting up process. I appreciate your help. Thanks again, Alan, K2RHK

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mark" <markn@...> wrote:
>
> Whoops, I forgot one thing. If the programming software is rejecting the last character, my guess is that you are miscounting by one space and attempting to put the command in space nine.
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@> wrote:
> >
> > Can someone please give me a hint how to enter DVAP E and DVAP I commands into my ID-31A? The programming software rejects the final character. On the HT itself the Simplex command seems to have disappeared after loading the dstar info repeater lists. Everything else, reflector linking, Unlink, etc. was programmed in using the software and micro SD card and works as expected. Thanks, Alan, K2RHK
> >
>

2219. Re: Overloading on the DVAP with ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 01:44:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2190 Message: 2219

If you have run DVAPnode, you may have wiped the calibration data in the DVAP. You can download DVAP utility from the web site and run it to check to see if you are still on frequency. If not, you can use the tool to adjust it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@...> wrote:
>
> Thanks, Dave. I'll give it a try. That's the same situation here; it'll show a full S meter reading but sometimes not break the squelch. I'm using the native Windows software, but it's possible that the DVAP is slightly off. I see the DVAP is very sensitive to the placement in the room. I thought I had found a location where it was happy but just now it turns out that it may not be so after all. The amount of stray RF floating around in this midtown Manhattan location - enough sometimes to even crash my wireless mouse - may have something to do with the problem too. I'll post the results.
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> Thanks again for the suggestion.
> Alan, K2RHK
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> > Good Luck!
> >
> > K9RUF
> > Dave
> >
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packet loss and then have to increase power. I makes operation a bit tricky. I'm in a very high IM location but I'm not sure that has anything to do with it. I've tried varying operating frequencies and squelch settings without effect. Thanks, Alan, K2RHK
> > >
> >
>

2220. Re: [DVAPDongle] RI WHEEZY/DVAPTool 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 02:29:35 UTC
From: Yosh Todo
Topic: 2208 Message: 2220

Hellow All,

My DVAPTool works well no other device like Monitor.
if you don't mind Japanese site, commands and files are same.
But I can't explain detail in English.

http://goo.gl/dYl0y

Best 73
++++++++++++++++++++
J E 3 H C Z Yosh Todo
藤 堂 善 春
Omihachiman City, JAPAN
++++++++++++++++++++

2013/3/4 n2jbj <n2jbj@...>

> **
>
>
> DVAPTool won't open all way to port, keyboard is needed to open dvapdongle
> to standy mode.
>
> I want it to boot fully headless, No keyboard, No Monitor, No mouse.
>
> Can someone help me and copy and paste their entire edited file/s so i may
> edit my DVAPTool.desktop file or any otherfiles needed. Thanks, David/N2JBJ.
>
>
>

2221. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap rpi loading trouble

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 02:32:21 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2210 Message: 2221

everything is case sensitive. the file name is not in the correct case. Use what Robin said following the correct case for the file name

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ccdl.us%2F>
<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>

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On Sun, Mar 3, 2013 at 2:44 PM, perryc <canoeman@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> I followed the directions, everything went fine until I typed in
>
> sudo tar xzPf dvaptool-rpi.tgz
> I got an error that reads as follows
>
> gzip: stdin: not in gzip format
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> tar: error is not recoverable: exiting now
>
> any ideas?
> just about to put rpi thru insinkerator.....
>
> ke6anm
>
>
>

2223. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 13:08:06 UTC
From: Les
Topic: 2193 Message: 2223

ps -s A shows:

```
PID TTY TIME CMD
1 ? 00:00:01 init
2 ? 00:00:00 kthreadd
3 ? 00:00:00 ksoftirqd/0
5 ? 00:00:00 kworker/0:0H
6 ? 00:00:00 kworker/u:0
7 ? 00:00:00 kworker/u:0H
8 ? 00:00:00 khelper
9 ? 00:00:00 kdevtmpfs
10 ? 00:00:00 netns
11 ? 00:00:00 kworker/0:1
12 ? 00:00:00 bdi-default
13 ? 00:00:00 kblockd
14 ? 00:00:00 khubd
15 ? 00:00:00 rpciod
16 ? 00:00:00 khungtaskd
17 ? 00:00:00 kswapd0
18 ? 00:00:00 fsnotify_mark
19 ? 00:00:00 nfsiod
20 ? 00:00:00 crypto
27 ? 00:00:00 kthrotld
28 ? 00:00:00 VCHIQ-0
29 ? 00:00:00 VCHIQr-0
30 ? 00:00:00 VCHIQs-0
31 ? 00:00:00 iscsi_eh
32 ? 00:00:00 dwc_otg
33 ? 00:00:00 DWC Notificatio
35 ? 00:00:00 deferwq
36 ? 00:00:00 kworker/u:2
37 ? 00:00:01 mmcqd/0
38 ? 00:00:00 jbd2/mmcblk0p2-
39 ? 00:00:00 ext4-dio-unwrit
142 ? 00:00:00 udevd
354 ? 00:00:00 flush-179:0
691 ? 00:00:00 udevd
1475 ? 00:00:00 ifplugd
1478 ? 00:00:00 ifplugd
1517 ? 00:00:00 ifplugd
1534 ? 00:00:00 RTKTHREAD
1594 ? 00:00:00 wpa_supplicant
1708 ? 00:00:00 wpa_cli
1809 ? 00:00:00 rsyslogd
1832 ? 00:00:00 kworker/0:2
```

```
1901 ? 00:00:00 cron
1943 ? 00:00:00 dbus-daemon
1979 ? 00:00:00 lightdm
2000 tty7 00:00:01 Xorg
2015 ? 00:00:00 ntpd
2047 ? 00:00:00 dhclient
2079 ? 00:00:00 sshd
2106 ? 00:00:00 thd
2112 ? 00:00:00 lightdm
2117 ? 00:00:00 console-kit-dae
2178 ? 00:00:00 Xtightvnc
2190 ? 00:00:00 polkitd
2205 ? 00:00:00 xstartup
2210 ? 00:00:00 lxsession
2223 ? 00:00:00 ck-launch-sessi
2239 tty1 00:00:00 getty
2240 tty2 00:00:00 getty
2241 tty3 00:00:00 getty
2242 tty4 00:00:00 getty
2243 tty5 00:00:00 getty
2244 tty6 00:00:00 getty
2245 ? 00:00:00 getty
2267 ? 00:00:00 ssh-agent
2272 ? 00:00:00 dbus-launch
2273 ? 00:00:00 ssh-agent
2274 ? 00:00:00 dbus-daemon
2284 ? 00:00:00 openbox
2286 ? 00:00:02 lxpanel
2287 ? 00:00:00 lxsession
2288 ? 00:00:01 pcmanfm
2291 ? 00:00:00 dbus-launch
2295 ? 00:00:00 dbus-daemon
2303 ? 00:00:00 lxpolkit
2306 ? 00:00:00 openbox
2308 ? 00:00:02 lxpanel
2309 ? 00:00:01 pcmanfm
2314 ? 00:00:00 lxpolkit
2320 ? 00:00:00 menu-cached
2323 ? 00:00:00 menu-cached
2325 ? 00:00:00 gvfsd
2329 ? 00:00:00 gvfsd
2332 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-fuse-daemo
2339 ? 00:00:00 udevd
2342 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-gdu-volume
2344 ? 00:00:00 udisks-daemon
2345 ? 00:00:00 udisks-daemon
2348 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-gphoto2-vo
2350 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-afc-volume
2352 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-gdu-volume
2355 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-gphoto2-vo
```

```
2357 ? 00:00:00 gvfs-afc-volume
2359 ? 00:00:00 sshd
2366 ? 00:00:00 sshd
2367 pts/0 00:00:00 bash
2377 ? 00:00:00 kworker/0:0
2379 pts/0 00:00:00 ps
pi@raspberrypi ~ $
```

If I try to ssh into the Raspberry and manually run DVAPTool&

```
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool&
[1] 2386
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ DVAPTool: cannot connect to X server

[1]+ Exit 1 ./DVAPTool
```

if acts like the desktop is not running, but I can see it in the process list:

```
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ps aux |grep X
root 2000 0.1 1.5 16444 7096 tty7 Ss+ 06:48 0:01 /usr/bin/X :0 -auth
/var/run/lightdm/root/:0 -nolisten tcp vt7 -novtswitch
root 2178 0.1 1.4 9336 6568 ? S 06:48 0:01 Xtightvnc :1 -desktop X -auth /root/.Xauthority
-geometry 1280x800 -depth 16 -pixelformat rgb565 -rfbwait 120000 -rfbauth
/root/.vnc/passwd -rfbport 5901 -fp /usr/share/fonts/X11/misc/,/usr/share/fonts/X11/Type1/
,/usr/share/fonts/X11/75dpi/,/usr/share/fonts/X11/100dpi/ -co /etc/X11/rgb
pi 2210 0.0 0.3 12792 1500 ? Ssl 06:48 0:00 /usr/bin/lxsession -s LXDE -e LXDE
pi 2286 0.3 1.9 82216 8728 ? S 06:48 0:02 lxpanel --profile LXDE
root 2287 0.0 0.3 12792 1504 ? Sl 06:48 0:00 /usr/bin/lxsession -s LXDE -e LXDE
pi 2288 0.1 2.4 93592 11200 ? S 06:48 0:01 pcmanfm --desktop --profile LXDE
root 2308 0.3 1.8 79408 8472 ? S 06:48 0:02 lxpanel --profile LXDE
root 2309 0.1 2.0 88996 9396 ? S 06:48 0:01 pcmanfm --desktop --profile LXDE
pi 2388 0.0 0.2 4348 912 pts/0 S+ 07:01 0:00 grep --color=auto X
```

After logging into the Rsspberry using VNC and try to manually start DVAPTool from a SSH session, DVAPTool still cannot connect to the X server although I am currently logged in via VNC thru the desktop.

```
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ./DVAPTool&
[1] 2391
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ DVAPTool: cannot connect to X server

[1]+ Exit 1 ./DVAPTool
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ sudo ./DVAPTool&
[1] 2392
pi@raspberrypi ~ $ DVAPTool: cannot connect to X server

[1]+ Exit 1 sudo ./DVAPTool
pi@raspberrypi ~ $
```

I can open a xterm in the VNC session and start DVAPTool manually without any errors.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>

> Les, What does
>
> ps -A
>
> give you?
>
> If you go into the pi with display to test and manually run DVAPTool, do the txcr commands work then?
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
> .....
> Adrian,
>
>
> Thanks for the help. Now the DVAPTool shows to be running when check the running processes:
>
>
> pi@raspberrypi ~ $ ps aux |grep -i open
> pi 2286 0.6 1.3 15428 6056 ? S 16:27 0:00 openbox --config-file /home/pi/.config/openbox/lxde-rc.xml
> pi 2300 14.2 2.7 64676 12164 ? Sl 16:27 0:12 /home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool -open
> root 2304 0.5 1.2 12852 5684 ? S 16:27 0:00 openbox --config-file /root/.config/openbox/lxde-rc.xml
> pi 2380 0.0 0.2 4348 928 pts/0 S+ 16:29 0:00 grep --color=auto -i open
>
>
> It does not respond to any commands like REF030CL, unlink or status commands.
>
>
>
> --
> Thanks Les de NA5AA
> ==========
> "As a matter of fact, I do have a plan - and it's so cunning, you could put a tail on it and call it a weasel."
> ==========
>
>
>
>
>
> ---
> From: Adrian <vk4tux@...>
> To: Les <dafuser@...>
> Sent: Sun, March 3, 2013 3:04:47 PM
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.]
>

```
> Les follow this;
>
> Try
>
> ls /home/pi/DVAP
>
> if DVAPTool shows in result then (in terminal);
>
>
> sudo ln -s /home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool /usr/bin/DVAPTool
>
> sudo chmod 777 /home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool
>
> make this file instead:
>
> DVAPTool.desktop
> ---------------------------------
>
> [Desktop Entry]
>
> Type=Application
>
> Exec=DVAPTool -open
> --------------------------------
>
>
> Good Luck
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
```

2225. Re: Overloading on the DVAP with ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 18:46:05 UTC
From: ve7hj
Topic: 2190 Message: 2225

Which tool or utilty do we use with the UHF DVAP.

James

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> If you have run DVAPnode, you may have wiped the calibration data in the DVAP. You can download DVAP utility from the web site and run it to check to see if you are still on frequency. If not, you can use the tool to adjust it.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@> wrote:
> >
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> > > K9RUF
> > > Dave
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> > > >
> > >
> >
>

2226. Re: dvap rpi loading trouble

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 19:11:29 UTC
From: perryc
Topic: 2210 Message: 2226

success at last :-)))
My problem was, not noticing on my lilput hdmi portable monitor with tiny tiny font, that the down load was not completed, of the tgz file.
I finally caught it out of the corner o my eye, and reran the upload several times to see small error posting in the command line fly by stating that there was not enough room on device.

Having used 4gb sd cards on all my other pi projects, I did not realize that the program and all the qt4 tools require at least a 8gb card, so I grabbed a 16 from my android phone, reformatted it, and started all over again.

After going through the directions, also paying particular attention to case sensitive letters like the command xzPf, everything came together around midnight.
I followed the auto start directions and, voila, success.

thnx for all the reply's and emails from every one.
now to get the wifi dongle going today, so I can use this in the car with my t-mobile 4g hot spot module.

thnx again everyone, and especially robin.
I think after that project, I have advanced 10 years with my progressive hair loss :-)

My next project, will be trying to get my android galaxy s2 to ssh into the pi to control it with out a monitor.
any ideas.

ke6anm

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "perryc" <canoeman@...> wrote:
>
> I followed the directions, everything went fine until I typed in
>
> sudo tar xzPf dvaptool-rpi.tgz
> I got an error that reads as follows
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> gzip: stdin: not in gzip format
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> tar: error is not recoverable: exiting now
>
> any ideas?
> just about to put rpi thru insinkerator.....
>
> ke6anm
>

2227. using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 19:15:40 UTC
From: perryc
Topic: 2227 Message: 2227

Has anyone tried to use their android phones to ssh or Putty into the rpi to control the DVAP dongle.
that's my next project.
anyone have any ideas.

ke6anm

2228. Re: BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 19:42:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2063 Message: 2228

Hi Brian. Just run the dvap utility from the download page. There is a calibration value on the screen.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:
>
> Are there instructions on how to use the DVAP tool to capture the factory
> settings on a 70cm DVAP?
>
>
>
> Thanks
>
> WA6JFK
>
>
>
> _____
>
> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of aa4rc
> Sent: Friday, February 01, 2013 6:28 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] BEWARE of 3rd party DVAP software for the Raspberry Pi
>
>
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>
> As several people have experienced, there is a flaw in the 3rd party
> software for the Raspberry Pi. The software wipes out the calibration data
> that is programmed into the DVAP at the factory.
>
> If you use the software, you will have to recalibrate using the DVAP Utility
> software. It probably won't get you as close as factory settings but can
> bring it back to usable.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

2229. Re: [DVAPDongle] using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 20:01:01 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2227 Message: 2229

Download a ssh client to your DROID and type in the IP address to the pi, you would be better off using vnc though to use robins software you need a GUI

Kc2idb

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

perryc <canoeman@qnet.com> wrote:

>Has anyone tried to use their android phones to ssh or Putty into the rpi to control the DVAP dongle.
>that's my next project.
>anyone have any ideas.
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2231. Re: [DVAPDongle] using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 22:25:55 UTC
From: George Jones
Topic: 2227 Message: 2231

Haven't tried from my Android tablet but I have used Putty and VNC to
connect to the Pi and start DVAPTool from my Windows laptop.
It works A.O.K.

George - W4AQR

From: "perryc" <canoeman@...>
Sent: Monday, March 04, 2013 2:15 PM
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control
DVAP

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> to control the DVAP dongle.
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2232. Re: [DVAPDongle] using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-04 23:02:05 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 2227 Message: 2232

ConnectBot

How are you controlling the DVAP via command line?

73,
Chris k4fh

2233. Re: Overloading on the DVAP with ID-31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 02:04:20 UTC
From: ar11964
Topic: 2190 Message: 2233

Thanks to everyone who has replied to my note. I've finally found a location for my new DVAP which seems to be least affected by the ambient RF floating around in the middle of NYC, not to mention the hash generated by my computer, odd digital clock, etc. I may have mentioned that stray RF in this apartment is so severe that I often cannot use my wireless mouse. But if I leave the DVAP in precisely that location it works fine. I'm going to try using a well-shielded USB cable, looping it around a ferrite core, and maybe some aluminum wrapped around the DVAP -- but for now it's working fine.

For the record, I'm using the DVAPTool 1.04 only and have not used any other software with it.

Thanks again. Alan, K2RHK

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ve7hj" <ve7hj@...> wrote:
>
> Which tool or utilty do we use with the UHF DVAP.
>
> James
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > If you have run DVAPnode, you may have wiped the calibration data in the DVAP. You can download DVAP utility from the web site and run it to check to see if you are still on frequency. If not, you can use the tool to adjust it.
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Thanks, Dave. I'll give it a try. That's the same situation here; it'll show a full S meter reading but sometimes not break the squelch. I'm using the native Windows software, but it's possible that the DVAP is slightly off. I see the DVAP is very sensitive to the placement in the room. I thought I had found a location where it was happy but just now it turns out that it may not be so after all. The amount of stray RF floating around in this midtown Manhattan location - enough sometimes to even crash my wireless mouse - may have something to do with the problem too. I'll post the results.
> > >
> > > Thanks again for the suggestion.
> > > Alan, K2RHK
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k9ruf" <k9ruf@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Actually this sounds like the problem I was having with my 31 and then the 51. What

you might be experiencing is that the DVAP is not on the frequency that you are displaying. If you download the DVAP utility which is a basic spectrum analyzer you can transmit with a known frequency source such as an another HT and see how acurate the DVAP receives it. The problem I was experiencing was the Dstar radio would not break squelch yet it would siplay an S meter reading. With the DVAP utility you can recalibrate the DVAP plus or minus a couple hundred Hz until the signal is centered on the frequencey you entered in the DVAP. Your problems may have started if like me you're using a raspberry PI since it resets the DVAP calibration from the factory. With this process you can bring it back in alignment. Hope I didn't confuse you but this made a world of difference for me with my issue.
> > > >
> > > > Good Luck!
> > > >
> > > > K9RUF
> > > > Dave
> > > >
> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ar11964" <ahr10023@> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > I'm seeing some overloading problems on my new 440 DVAP, and I wonder if anyone has some ideas how to get around them other than keeping my ID-31A on the lowest power setting and as far from the DVAP as possible? If I operate closer than about two feet I get either no link or an unstable one. If I operate, say, 10 or 15 feet away I start to see some packet loss and then have to increase power. I makes operation a bit tricky. I'm in a very high IM location but I'm not sure that has anything to do with it. I've tried varying operating frequencies and squelch settings without effect. Thanks, Alan, K2RHK
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2234. Re: Att W2SWR typo > DVAP_Tool.txt

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 05:09:17 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 2224 Message: 2234

Thanks Adrian. I uploaded a new one.

Mike, W2SWR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> Copy and paste the text below into a new leafpad editor page. Save it as "DVAP_Tool.desktop" in two locations; /home/pi/desktop/ and /home/pi/.config/autostart
>
> ######################## COPY below here ########################
> [Desktop Entry]
> Name=DVAP Tool
> Exec=/home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool -open
> Icon=/home/pi/DVAP/dvap.png
> Terminal=false
> Type=Application
> Categories=Application;
> StartupNotify=true
>
>
> Mike you had
>
> ######################## COPY below here ########################
> [Desktop Entry]
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> Exec=/home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool -open
> Icon=/home/pi/DVAP/dvap.png
> Terminal=false
> Type=Application
> Catagories=Application;
> StartupNotify=true
>
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>

2235. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 05:38:18 UTC
From: Jeff
Topic: 2193 Message: 2235

hi all,

First I would like to thank Robin, aa4rc, for all the effort required to port DVAPTool to the RaspberryPi platform and also to thank Mike, w2swr for putting together the autostart pdf file.

I did want to share the one difficulty I had in getting the RaspberryPI and the DVAP to work as an autostart solution and thought I'd share my troubles and solution to same.

For my configuration I wanted to use my PI with a wireless USB adapter. In this way I could use the wireless network at home or use the hot spot on my phone if I wanted to be on the go. The adapter I used was an ASUS USB adapter. It works fine with the RaspberryPI and was fairly cheap.

I followed the installation instructions for the DVAPTool software. It worked wonderfully. Then I followed the PDF in the files section of the group in the DVAP for Raspberry Pi Autostart folder. After rebooting things seemed to work fine. I got the blue blinking light on the DVAP but got a "Gateway Unknown" error message on trying to connect to anything. I did all of my installations and configuration from a putty/Xming remote XWindows session. I rebooted with the PI plugged into a monitor. All looked good (blue light on DVAP and window up and open on the screen) but received the same "Gateway Unknown" when trying to connect to anything. Mind you the it worked perfectly when DVAPTool was started manually. On a hunch I plugged in a network cable and rebooted. This worked which lead me to believe that the wireless adapter was taking longer to connect and not ready by the time that DVAPTool was starting. My solution was to insert a delay in the starting of the DVAPTool program. I inserted a 90sec delay by creating a startup script (DVAP_start.sh) and inserting it into the DVAP_Tool.desktop file located in the autostart folder replacing the DVAPTool. The modifications are listed below.
This solution worked and provided more than ample time for the wireless card to locate and connect to the network and obtain an IPaddress.

```
##########################################################
File: DVAP_start.sh

#!/bin/sh

# wait 90 sec
sleep 90

# Start DVAPTool
exec /home/pi/DVAP/DVAPTool -open

##########################################################
```

run the following command from the /home/pi/DVAP directory

```
chmod 755 DVAP_start.sh
```

This will make the DVAP_start.sh file executable.

##

File: /home/pi/.config/autostart/DVAP_Tool.desktop

```
[Desktop Entry]
Name=DVAP Tool
Exec=/home/pi/DVAP/DVAP_start.sh
Icon=/home/pi/DVAP/dvap.png
Config=/home/pi/.config/DVDongle.com/DVAPTool.conf
Terminal=false
Type=Application
Catagories=Application;
StartupNotify=true
```

##

Search terms:
wireless
delay DVAPTool start
manual start works
autostart fails

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Rauh
kc8zrm

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike.w2swr@...> wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> After a few days of trial and error, I finally have my DVAP working with Robin's DVAPTool for RPi and operating as a standalone "just power it all up and you're done" auto start operation. With the help of Robin's instructions posted here in the group and a bunch of web surfing, I got it working quite well. I figured I would make it easier on the next ham and documented my steps. I added the procedure to this groups Files link. Please check them out and let me know if I left anything out.
>
> 73
> Mike, W2SWR
>
> P.S. Thanks Robin for all your work!
>

2236. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 14:46:13 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2193 Message: 2236

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All you have to do is put your callsign and frequency in.

And if you want it is also running VNC so you can remote into it.

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WA6JFK at me.com and put something in the subject line like

Send me the link to DVAPTool image

I will gladly do so.

WA6JFK

2237. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 16:51:31 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 2193 Message: 2237

Thanks for the image (and all your work!)

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Frobisher
Sent: Tuesday, March 05, 2013 9:46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com; DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1430 / Virus Database: 2641/5650 - Release Date: 03/05/13

2238. Re: using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 17:08:53 UTC
From: Jeff
Topic: 2227 Message: 2238

I use JuiceSSH to connect to my RaspberryPI from my Nexus 10 and it works fine for doing terminal work. Not sure if you can start and control DVAPTool through it though.

Jeff - KC8ZRM

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "George Jones" <w4aqr@...> wrote:
>
> Haven't tried from my Android tablet but I have used Putty and VNC to
> connect to the Pi and start DVAPTool from my Windows laptop.
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2239. Trouble getting the DVAP to work with my Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 20:18:32 UTC
From: w4dca1
Topic: 2239 Message: 2239

I received my DVAP and got it working just fine with my desktop Windows XP machine, but I cannot get it to work with my Toshiba Netbook, which is running Windows 7 starter. When I first connected it to the Netbook I saw where it said new device found and then it said new device ready to be used, just as it did on the desktop machine. However on the Netbook, no Wizards came up to do the set up as it did on the desktop. I waited in case it was just slow loading but the Wizards never came up. So I thought I would uninstall the DVAP and try again, but now when I go back and connect it, nothing happens. The green light is on and pulsing, but nothing else happens as if the computer (Netbook), does not see it connected any longer. It still works on the XP desktop, but I really would like to get it to work on the Netbook so I can have it when I travel. I hope I have not done something where it can not be corrected for the Netbook. Any help and guidance will be greatly appreciated, and keep in mind I am not a real strong computer type of guy, but can and will follow directions if kept simple. Thanks....David....W4DCA

2240. Re: Trouble getting the DVAP to work with my Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 21:00:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2239 Message: 2240

Hi David. Try downloading the latest FTDI USB drivers from www.ftdichip.com and install them. They should have a self extracting/installing executable there.

If that does not help, try running DVAPTool version 1.03 to see if that makes a difference. A handful of folks have had issues with 1.04 finding the device.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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2241. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 21:02:21 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2193 Message: 2241

Just FYI

The image was created by Ed, KB6THO

I helped a little with some testing and the instructions.

WA6JFK

Enjoy!

-----Original Message-----
From: Ted Wrobel
Sent: Mar 5, 2013 8:51 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

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Thanks for the image (and all your work!)

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W1GRI

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2242. Re: Trouble getting the DVAP to work with my Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 22:35:49 UTC
From: w4dca1
Topic: 2239 Message: 2242

Thanks Robin, I will give both of the items a try.....David...W4DCA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi David. Try downloading the latest FTDI USB drivers from www.ftdichip.com and install them. They should have a self extracting/installing executable there.
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2243. Re: Trouble getting the DVAP to work with my Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-05 23:09:43 UTC
From: w4dca1
Topic: 2239 Message: 2243

Robin.....I went to the FTDI site to do the install, and following their instructions, when I go to my "Device Manager" on my computer, it does not show the DVAP at all even though it is connected.But in the Device Manager, I do see under ports a "USB Serial Port (COM 13)" and under Universal Serial Bus Controllers it does show a "USB Serial Convertor" ,but again the DVAP does not show under Device mamanger so I can update the files as it shows in the FTDI site. Forgive me if I am being dense on this, but I do not know what steps to take to get the DVAP to show under the Device Manager..

David

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2244. DVAP Utility 70 CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-06 04:56:49 UTC
From: ve7hj
Topic: 2244 Message: 2244

I have been trying for almost two weeks to find out how I can check my UHF DVAP for calibration. I have the DVAP Utility but is seems to be geared to the VHF 2-meter version.

Any help would be most welcomed.

James VE7HJ

2245. FRANCE : All digital modes approved by Minister !

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-06 15:01:20 UTC
From: pedro-y-pinacolada
Topic: 2245 Message: 2245

We have received confirmation of new regulation rules for ham in France.

All digital modes and experimentations are now possible !

D-STAR, P25, Mototrbo, IDAS, TEtra ... Wifi, 4G, WImax, etc ...

This is a great news and a long work for our organization.

Yahou !!!

Pierre - F1SHS
President of DR@F - digital Radioamateur France
http://draf.asso.fr

2246. Re: Trouble getting the DVAP to work with my Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-06 15:04:25 UTC
From: w4dca1
Topic: 2239 Message: 2246

Robin....I was able to get the DVAP to load on the Netbook, and all is working properly now. I want to thank you for your help and for all the work that you do for D-Star. Thanks again ....David...W4DCA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4dca1" <w4dca1@...> wrote:
>
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2247. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-06 17:01:01 UTC
From: Michael Anderson
Topic: 2193 Message: 2247
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Brian and Ed,

Thanks for the image.

I downloaded your work and flashed it to the SD card. It fired up right away. I entered my call and rebooted the PI. The software made the internal configurations and auto started making Robin’s software very handy for WIFI hotspot applications either through an in home WI-FI network or through a cellular hotspot.

Great job!

Thanks,

Mike – W6OSO

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Frobisher
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Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Brian Frobisher
Sent: Tuesday, March 05, 2013 9:46 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com; DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

If anyone wants a prebuilt image for R PI that boots up and runs DVAPTool, about as close to plug and play as you can get, with instructions.

All you have to do is put your callsign and frequency in.

And if you want it is also running VNC so you can remote into it.

Email me at

WA6JFK at me.com and put something in the subject line like

Send me the link to DVAPTool image

I will gladly do so.

WA6JFK

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1430 / Virus Database: 2641/5650 - Release Date: 03/05/13

2249. Re: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi fedora remix DVAPTool rpm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-07 23:08:23 UTC
From: Chris Fowler
Topic: 2248 Message: 2249

On 03/07/2013 05:34 PM, vk4tux wrote:
> http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/gBM5UcAfx0Lp5NDGhrIquGw68clAk3x4jc68nG_VOyjD-wIvfyeBdxTYCneBTojD8VzvxiKmxgvUj6abqjCft7a3aMyE/DVAPTool-rpi-1.04-1.rpfr.armv5tel.rpm
>

Any other link? That one is not good.

73,
Chris k4fh

2251. Re: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi fedora remix DVAPTool rpm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-07 23:42:35 UTC
From: Kelvin Anderson
Topic: 2248 Message: 2251
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Battery powered pi mifi hotspot running DVAP tool.
Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 7, 2013, at 15:34, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:

> The DVAPTool raspberry Pi fedora 18 remix rpm built by Mike Heitmann (Thankyou Mike), is in files here on the group site;
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> http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/gBM5UcAfx0Lp5NDGhrIquGw68clAk3x4jc68nG_VOyjD-wIvfyeBdxTYCneBTojD8VzvxiKmxgvUj6abqjCft7a3aMyE/DVAPTool-rpi-1.04-1.rpfr.armv5tel.rpm
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> The program will open with usual commands , autostart scripting etc and a menu launcher is auto installed.
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> When downloading, check permissions are executable on the file then;
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> as root
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> yum install DVAPTool-rpi-1.04-1.rpfr.armv5tel.rpm
>
> not root
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> sudo yum install DVAPTool-rpi-1.04-1.rpfr.armv5tel.rpm
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> this will auto install all dependencies, rather than using : rpm -Uvh DVAPTool-rpi-1.04-1.rpfr.armv5tel.rpm
>
> The relevant yum repository [Rpi.repo] available from vk4tux.no-ip.org will be online again soon after a motherboard breakdown.
>
> A new box is on its way.
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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2252. DVAPTool for your Raspberry Pi with Autostart - Image Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-08 01:55:21 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2252 Message: 2252

Here is the link to a premade image that you can load onto an SD card and have an "Almost Plug & Play" experience.

There are instructions and also a readme

This image was created by Ed, KB6THO and he wants to share it.

He will make improvements as time permits, but this one really works now, very well.

I have received many compliments from people who have D/L and used.

Brian

WA6JFK

Here is the link

https://www.dropbox.com/sh/mfyw3j6dwkpmriz/V56pE5JqTL

2253. VNC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-08 07:07:58 UTC
From: Chris
Topic: 2253 Message: 2253

Hi
I have a DVAP running on a Pi
What is VNC and where do I find information on it I don't know much about computing
Thank you
Chris G7TCW

2255. Re: using an android galaxy s2 to ssh into pi to control DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-08 23:18:53 UTC
From: Pres
Topic: 2227 Message: 2255

Try ConnectBot available in the Play Store

-Pres W2PW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "perryc" <canoeman@...> wrote:
>
> Has anyone tried to use their android phones to ssh or Putty into the rpi to control the DVAP dongle.
> that's my next project.
> anyone have any ideas.
>
> ke6anm
>

2257. RE: [DVAPDongle] D Star DVAP Connectivity. Help request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-09 16:18:27 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 2257 Message: 2257

From some long-ago notes:

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RADIO SETUP:

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* Enter the simplex frequency you programmed into the DVAP.
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* Use the lowest power setting on your radio to prevent overloading the DVAP front end.

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DVAP LEDs

* Green: Slow pulse when connected to PC/Mac; when connected to a remote system, switches to show DVAP receive activity.

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2258. FW: [DVAPDongle] D Star DVAP Connectivity. Help request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-09 22:01:20 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2258 Message: 2258

I live in northeast Los Angeles and would be more than happy to visit you and help you get on the air if you like.

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mikecomm@...
Sent: Friday, March 08, 2013 1:18 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] D Star DVAP Connectivity. Help request

Hello Gents....

I bought an ID 51 yesterday and a DVAP.

I had an Icom 80 some years ago and registered though have not been on the air since 2008 (with D Star).

So I came home, unboxed the gear. And dutifully began "relearning" D - Star/ DVAP and D Plus

* D Star INFO <http://query.ki4swy.org> Query confirms that I am registered from 2008 (Call sign: wa4d)
* Reviewed the 3 hour Very excellent WB4QDX John Davis D Star You Tube Tutorial from Dayton 2012
* Loaded RTS Software with Southern Calif. D Star Freqs for starters
* Loaded Drivers, connected PC to ID-51. Successfully
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All that said, I remain "land locked" as it were.

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3) Is my failure to connect possibly related to improper programming of the radio?

I've got a Radio, I've got a DVAP. And I'm stuck!

If anyone has the patience to answer these elementary questions, then my faith in mankind will surely be restored.

And despite this delay, I've much enjoyed the introduction to D-Star and the architecture.

Thank You

Regards,

Mike/wa4d

Pasadena, ca

2259. Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-10 04:06:05 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2259 Message: 2259

I am running a DVAP under Windows 7. It works great and I am very happy. My next step is to get it to auto-start when the PC reboots. Is this possible from a command line? I tried running it with /? (like any good unix programmer), but no output. And nothing has turned up after some Yahoo and Bing searches. I see info for Pi autostart but nothing for Windows. Any pointers / thoughts? Thanks. 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

2260. RE: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-10 04:25:56 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2259 Message: 2260

Ok. I tried -open just like the Pi and that does seem to start up and open the connection.Of course, it still is prompting on the "You running the latest software" dialog box. From: dwickert@...
To: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows
Date: Sun, 10 Mar 2013 00:06:05 -0400

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2261. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-10 22:36:03 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2259 Message: 2261

And the "lock callsign" checkbox is always set. As I run multiple radios in the house (between my wife and myself), I find that I must uncheck the "lock" to be able to use multiple MY settings through the DVAP. So in addition -open, How do I deal with these two 'interactive' requirements? Almost there . . . but not quite. :-) Thanks. 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
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2262. Re: FW: [DVAPDongle] D Star DVAP Connectivity. Help request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-10 23:08:36 UTC
From: mikecomm@rocketmail.com
Topic: 2258 Message: 2262

What a class act!

I managed to make it on to the PaPa. 012a reflector today

That said I remain a Dstar neophyte

Still what a fun platform?

Back to work in the am. Perhaps a QSO next weekend?

Much tnx
Mike WA4D. In Pasadena

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2263. Re: D Star DVAP Connectivity. Help request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-10 23:16:28 UTC
From: mikecomm@rocketmail.com
Topic: 2257 Message: 2263

Excellent mini tutorial Ted!

Long ago noted still valid

The ID 51 is a whole lot of radio. I 'v long been an HF SWL. But this mode looks more fun than I gave it credit for.

I'd like to start a tech discussion on one of the reflectors this summer

Thank you Ted!

--- In DVAPDongle@...m, "Ted Wrobel" <twrobel@...> wrote:
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2264. DVAP on Mac OS 10.8.2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-11 17:27:57 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 2264 Message: 2264

My Mac Laptop will not recognize DVAP.

Trying to provision the device ; field: DVAP Device , I can not enter the com port there is an entry "/dev/cu.serial-A6007ETs" which I can not delete.

Any ideas or suggestions would be appreciated.

Previously I had the DVAP working for a couple years, I removed it , now trying to reinstall it has created this problem.
73.Tnx
ki6ft/Robert

2265. Power output ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-12 00:20:00 UTC
From: chuckn4ued
Topic: 2265 Message: 2265

Does anyone know the output power of the DVAP when the power is reduced to its lowest level ?
Chuck N4UED

2266. RE: [DVAPDongle] Power output ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-12 02:50:53 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2265 Message: 2266
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

-12 dBm or 0.06 mW

John WB4QDX

From: chuckn4ued [mailto:n4ued@...]
Sent: Monday, March 11, 2013 8:20 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.2899 / Virus Database: 2641/6144 - Release Date: 03/03/13
Internal Virus Database is out of date.

2267. Re: Power output ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-12 12:33:09 UTC
From: chuckn4ued
Topic: 2265 Message: 2267

Thanks John , I was wondering about that . I have mine connected to a home made copper j-pole on the ground floor . I noticed yesterday afternoonthe s-meter fluctuate , while in the back yard .
With low power I can go around my property with the j-pole .
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2268. Re: DVAP on Mac OS 10.8.2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-12 15:15:41 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2264 Message: 2268

Hi Robert. I would first try downloading/installing the latest FTDI USB drivers from www.ftdichip.com. Then reboot without the DVAP connected and reconnect.

DVAPTool automatically finds any FTDI based device and populates the device field. You cannot enter nor delete an entry from that field.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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2269. Re: D Star DVAP Connectivity. Help request

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-13 04:15:08 UTC
From: mikecomm@rocketmail.com
Topic: 2257 Message: 2269

My 2nd response Ted

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2270. Raspberry Pi HELP !!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-13 12:48:57 UTC
From: benybarr
Topic: 2270 Message: 2270

I just purchesd a Raspberry Pi,Should have it by Friday !!!!
I am facinated by the idea that i can connect it to my DVAP and dont need to keep my desk top computer on all the time...I am planning to use it true my wireless router direct,however the BIGEST problem is that I have NO idea where to start...and I mean it !!!
I am clueless when its come to computers (took me a month to get my IRLP node running)
I am looking for some one who is willing to help with this project(on your won risk),I understand time is very valuable for people,so I am willing to compensate the brave one....please contact me of list
at benybarr@...
Thank you very much
KC2RXV Ben 73's

2271. DVAP with Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-13 12:55:39 UTC
From: jeff
Topic: 2271 Message: 2271

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If only the DVAP came as a daughter board to install ontop of the PI...
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2272. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-14 02:12:12 UTC
From: Michael Kaufman
Topic: 2193 Message: 2272

Brian and Ed:

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Mike

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> From: Michael Anderson <kj6tnn@...>
> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.
> To: DVAPDongle@...m
> Date: Wednesday, March 6, 2013, 5:01 PM
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> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool
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2273. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-14 13:41:45 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2193 Message: 2273

The image should work just fine on an 8GB card, that is what it was built from.

Glad it is working FB for you.

WA6JFK

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2275. Add button to shut down pi, and 4g hot spot interconnect for mobile dstar

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-17 06:51:42 UTC
From: perryc
Topic: 2275 Message: 2275

Now that we have the pi operating fine on auto boot, I was wondering if just unplugging the pi might corrupt files in the long run.
Perhaps we could figure out a way to add a small push button to start and cause the PI to do a proper shut down.
Maybe a button tied to the gpio pins
And well we are at it, another button to acknowlede the small window, stating we are running the lastes t version of robins software, and nowt blocking the dvaptool window.
I finally got my DVAP working with my PI, a wifi dongle, and a T-mobile 4g hot spot, for when I am not around a dstar repeater.
It works great.
I had one problem, where after enterig all the access points I would be using, with the wifi dongle, I could not connect to a different wifi source, once I connected through one of the wifi points.
I tried enabling all the points, with WPA, AND WPA2 on twomof them, but found mine would not connect to a new ap.
Insolved this by just having 4 16 gb cards with only one ssid, and password, and just swapped them out when I wanted to change internet connections.
Spark fun just came out with 3 very neat. HDMI small touch screens with a small shield, that works great with the PI.
I am lookig forward to orderig a few of them.

Ke6anm

2276. 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-17 08:22:08 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2276 Message: 2276

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I think it must be off frequency or something.

The lights look normal but nobody's home.

I need to send it in for repairs I guess.

BOO-HOO

WA6JFK

2277. Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-17 17:11:48 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 2276 Message: 2277

Brian;

Sounds like you got bit by the calibration zeroizing bug.

Last night I did a little experimentation and found a way you can recalibrate the DVAP without a freq counter.

Put the DVAP on a PC, and run Robin's DVAP Utility software. Connect to the DVAP. If the calibration value shows zero after connecting, then the software you downloaded probably cleared the calibration value from your DVAP. Here's how to experimentally set it:

Set the frequency in the DVAP Utility program to your preferred simplex frequency. Set your HT to the same freq in DV mode.

What you want to do is use the calibration value to find the edges of the passband on your receiver. Increase or decrease the calibration value in increments of 100 and tick the "TX On" box--repeat until until the HT does not show a signal when TX On is checked (and the xmit LED is lit on the DVAP). Then go back by half (50)...if there's no signal, back up by half again (25), or if there is, go the other way by 25...and keep bracketing the value this way until you find the calibration value where the signal just starts to drop off from full scale on the HT's S-meter. You can change the calibration value in the window while "TX On" is still ticked, but give it a few seconds to change after making an input. Once you find the edge, write that value down. Then you have to go up/down and find the other edge of the passband the same way, which on my IC-92AD is about 440 Hz wide. Take the average of those two values, and set it in the calibration window. That value should work--if it doesn't, try tweaking it up/down in small increments--that average value should be very close, though.

Example--I found the passband edges to be at calibration values of -125 and -665. The average of them is -395, which was the original factory calibration value set before I started.

Regards

Bob Scott, W6KD

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2278. Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-17 19:14:06 UTC
From: ve7hj
Topic: 2276 Message: 2278

Brian,

First off have you tried the DVAP plugged into your laptop or computer directly and running DVAP Tools? If it works as it should that way then maybe you have some ISO configuration problems.
Can you be more specific on what you downloaded and installed. The web page and Version or release date.

What radio are you using with your DVAP. Also you mentioned that you had been using a version from KB6THO that worked...so I am assuming that you have a Raspberry PI that was working. Some of the software like ircDDB Gateway needs to be configured to work on your Raspberry PI. This can be very confusing if your are not familiar with how to do that.

If by chance the DVAP is off frequency there is a tool called DVAP Tools that can be used to check it. However I would not attempt to do that unless you know what your doing.

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2279. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-17 19:36:09 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 2276 Message: 2279

Bria,
Did you make a copy of the original SD card?
Check the list for messages on calibrating the DVAP.

ALOHA

Don WB5EKU

Sent from my Android Samsung tablet.
On Mar 17, 2013 3:43 AM, "Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:

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2280. Re: VNC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-17 22:25:54 UTC
From: w6kd
Topic: 2253 Message: 2280

Chris;

VNC stands for Virtual Network Computing--it's a set of programs used to allow remote access on one computer by another. If you've ever used or seen something like PCAnywhere, that's the general idea.

There are two programs you'll need--a VNC server that runs on the Pi, and a VNC client that will run on the remote PC.

There are several good free VNC servers you can run on the Pi--X11VNC and TightVNCServer both come to mind. I use X11VNC on the Pi because it gives access to the console session running on the Pi--what you see from the remote computer is what a person looking at a monitor on the Pi would be seeing. TightVNC spawns a new virtual session when it runs, so you can't see anything that was, for example, autorun at boot time because it's running in a different user session.

That said, I do use the Windows version of TightVNC as my VNC client. No problem with using X11VNC for the server and TightVNC as the client. www.tightvnc.com is a good place to start.

Regards

Bob Scott, W6KD

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Chris" <chris@...> wrote:
>
> Hi
> I have a DVAP running on a Pi
> What is VNC and where do I find information on it I don't know much about computing
> Thank you
> Chris G7TCW
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2283. Re: DVAP with Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 11:49:41 UTC
From: kv4lh
Topic: 2271 Message: 2283

There's no reason this cannot happen, but what would be better is the DVAP integrated with Rpi with a web server front-end allowing you to connect from any web browsing capable device. The front-end would allow you to change any settings in the DVAPTool software. I am thinking of something similar to how you connect to a router. It shouldn't be that difficult; we would have headless RpiDVAPs that we could still control without hooking up a monitor or keyboard. I think I have a new project for myself!

73's
Dave
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2284. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 13:54:32 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2276 Message: 2284

James, yes ?the first thing I did was take the DVAP to the PC and make sure it was no the pi etc.

Yes thanks.

I actually think my DVAP is having more issues than just being off frequency (and I don't think it is off frequency after doing to tests)

It needs a trip back to the DVAP repair depot.....

It's possible his hack image had nothing to do with the demise of the DVAP, but it seems mighty coincidental, but again who knows.

Brian
WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: ve7hj
Sent: Mar 17, 2013 12:14 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

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2286. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 14:03:39 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2276 Message: 2286

Gee, thanks Adrian.

Again, this could all be coincidental, my posting was not to put blame etc, but possibly save others crapping up their DVAP's if this was even possible using the image you posted.

WA6JFK

-----Original Message-----
From: vk4tux
Sent: Mar 17, 2013 3:38 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

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Sometimes pays to read the readme file first and do the gui settings upfront, as this was/is setup with a 2m dvap seen working (with your vnc viewer) :

vk4tux.no-ip.org:5900

no password needed > live right now

with exactly the same fedora 17 remix image on the rpi seen realtime Auto start/auto boot with many program options.

You can type reboot in terminal and come back to it 3 minutes later via vnc.

20 hams now report to me it is working great , 3 with 70 cm dvaps, but they read the readme first and setup the programs on a dry bootup.

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Adrian ... vk4tux

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2288. DVAP and apple Macbook Pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 15:00:00 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 2288 Message: 2288

Looking for another DVAP with MacBook Pro.
I have questions regarding DVAPTool 1.04 mac dmg

Tnx/73
ki6ft/Robert

2289. RpiDVAP Integrated Proposal

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 15:19:36 UTC
From: kv4lh
Topic: 2289 Message: 2289

Project Goal: Fully Integrate Rpi & DVAP under one housing unit (i.e. same box)

- Add Wireless Networking

- Create Web-server Front-End for access to DAVAPTool over local network

- Everything Autostart

- Streamline OS for DVAP exclusively

- Plug-N-Play Everywhere!

What are your thoughts?

Where would I start to build a case/housing for both units under one roof?

Does anyone know if there is an API of some sort to the DVAPTool?

We could use The Apache Web Server, the only things missing is an interface between the web server and the DVAPTool. Does anyone know of anyone working on this already? If not, who wants to join me on this project?

73's
Dave
KV4LH

2290. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP with Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 15:44:57 UTC
From: jeff robinson
Topic: 2271 Message: 2290

Then maybe we could have a backup DVAP hotspot on our local HSMM-mesh using our Austin tunnels. One way to get VOIP on the mesh, if the local repeaters are down and we have no local internet service. I like it!
Jeff, N5XHI
http://www.hsmm-mesh.org/

There's no reason this cannot happen, but what would be better is the DVAP integrated with Rpi with a web server front-end allowing you to connect from any web browsing capable device. The front-end would allow you to change any settings in the DVAPTool software. I am thinking of something similar to how you connect to a router. It shouldn't be that difficult; we would have headless RpiDVAPs that we could still control without hooking up a monitor or keyboard. I think I have a new project for myself!

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2291. Go Box with DVAP and Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 17:19:51 UTC
From: ab4bj
Topic: 2291 Message: 2291

After seeing the great work by VK5REX and W5TMP to assemble a DVAP and RPI in a "go box", I tried my hand at building one over the weekend. Here are the results of my efforts. A fun weekend project.

http://ab4bj.com/wordpress/2013/03/a-go-box-for-the-dvap-with-raspberry-pi-for-dstar/

73,

Bill
AB4BJ

2296. Re: RpiDVAP Integrated Proposal

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 23:26:07 UTC
From: kelandis@...
Topic: 2289 Message: 2296

Hello Adrian

Is that a 2 meter or 70 cm dvap?
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N8ZRD
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> The only disadvantage to this is range. Using even the best coax available to get a 20 foot high antenna, is nowhere as good as using a HD low loss 20ft usb cable to a weatherproofed dvap with a JT776sma or similar antenna directly attached to the dvap @ 20ft.
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> I get a regular 5 mile range to my car mobile with my dvap hotspot.
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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2297. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-18 23:43:28 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2276 Message: 2297

Adrian,

Can you direct me to any file named readme in your dropbox?

There is a "Read_This.txt file, is that the one you are talking about?

It really does not give any warning about doing any changes before connecting your DVAP.

Again, I think my DVAP has issues probably not caused by your image, it was just strange that it happened when I tried V3.

I am pasting the text from your "Read_This.txt" below.

Can you show me the warnings to initially boot without DVAP installed?

Thanks

WA6JFK

"Remix notes

Remember to change the callsign and ip values to your own.

dvapnode calls a script which also brings in dcsgateway, so leave dcsgateway unchecked
in autostart unless you need it otherwise to work with a different program.

You can edit dvapnode command from dcstux.sh to dvapnode -gui to enable single execution for
that entry.eg if you need dvapnode with a different program and do not need dcsgateway,
or you can replace dcsgateway in dcstux.sh in (usr/bin) to another program name, or more,
just add by using & program-name. & between the program names.

If thats all too hard, you can contact me

vk4tux@... and I'll upload a custom image for you.

see

https://www.dropbox.com/s/fvziacplxta6ae9/remixautostart.jpg

to show autostart select location from

Top left > Panel > Applications Menu > Session & Startup sub menu.

Aircard & wlan support is in place, any device can be added via network manager.

Rpi repo is installed, and can be updated for for repo updates if available
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http://vk4tux.no-ip.org/IMG/rpm/Rpi.repo

sudo yum update (name of dstar program you want updated)

This keeps your free space at max, instead of just sudo yum update, which
will
consume some, but your choice.

Further future image's will be made available by me, and also later for fc18
remix.

At the moment for image size (Fits on 4GB card) and capability fedora 17
remix is
hard to beat

Adrian ... vk4tux

Autologin Usr = ham
password = operator (use for sudo)

Root password = remixer

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of vk4tux
Sent: Sunday, March 17, 2013 3:39 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Sometimes pays to read the readme file first and do the gui settings
upfront, as this was/is setup with a 2m dvap seen working (with your vnc
viewer) :

vk4tux.no-ip.org:5900

no password needed > live right now

with exactly the same fedora 17 remix image on the rpi seen realtime
Auto start/auto boot with many program options.

You can type reboot in terminal and come back to it 3 minutes later via
vnc.

20 hams now report to me it is working great , 3 with 70 cm dvaps, but
they read the readme first and setup the programs on a dry bootup.

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Adrian ... vk4tux

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> ,
"Brian Frobisher" <froby@...> wrote:

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> My 70CM DVAP has been working flawlessly.
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> I have been using it with KB6THO's "PI/DVAPTOOL" image.
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> Well, today I got experimental and downloaded an image from "Down
Under"
> fired it up on my PI with the DVAP connected and now my DVAP is all
screwed
> up.
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> I think it must be off frequency or something.
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> The lights look normal but nobody's home.
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> I need to send it in for repairs I guess.
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2300. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-19 00:44:05 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2259 Message: 2300

Re-send. I found how to auto-start DVAPTool, but I still stuck on:1 -- how to not have the popup "You are running the latest software" dialog box, and2 -- the fact that the "lock callsign" checkbox is always checked (I run two ID51a's in the house -- one for my wife and one for myself), so I need the auto-start to have this be unchecked -- it always seems to start up with it checked by default. Any suggestions on how to handle these two options from the command line? Thanks. 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
To: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
From: dwickert@...
Date: Sun, 10 Mar 2013 18:36:03 -0400
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

And the "lock callsign" checkbox is always set. As I run multiple radios in the house (between my wife and myself), I find that I must uncheck the "lock" to be able to use multiple MY settings through the DVAP.

So in addition -open, How do I deal with these two 'interactive' requirements? Almost there . . . but not quite. :-)

Thanks.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
From: dwickert@...
Date: Sun, 10 Mar 2013 00:25:56 -0400
Subject: [DVAPDongle] RE: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Ok. I tried -open just like the Pi and that does seem to start up and open the connection. Of course, it still is prompting on the "You running the latest software" dialog box.

From: dwickert@...
To: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows
Date: Sun, 10 Mar 2013 00:06:05 -0400

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Thanks.

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2301. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: RpiDVAP Integrated Proposal

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-19 13:47:31 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2289 Message: 2301
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Yes, both

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://www.ccdl.us/>

<http://www.miele-family.com/weather>

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On 3/18/2013 7:26 PM, kelandis@... wrote:
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> Hello Adrian
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> Is that a 2 meter or 70 cm dvap?
> 73 de Kent
> N8ZRD
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, "kv4lh" <davidprush@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Project Goal: Fully Integrate Rpi & DVAP under one housing unit
> (i.e. same box)
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> > The only disadvantage to this is range. Using even the best coax
> available to get a 20 foot high antenna, is nowhere as good as using a
> HD low loss 20ft usb cable to a weatherproofed dvap with a JT776sma or
> similar antenna directly attached to the dvap @ 20ft.
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> > I get a regular 5 mile range to my car mobile with my dvap hotspot.
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> > Adrian ... vk4tux
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2304. Re: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-19 22:26:58 UTC
From: riggervic
Topic: 2259 Message: 2304

Dave

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2305. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-20 05:28:38 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2259 Message: 2305

Excellent. Thank you Vic.That did it for me. Now I am just down to a single issue -- when DVAP tool starts, it still has a popup for "You are running the latest version of DVAPTool. . . . " Any ideas of how to get that dismissed or not to prompt for it?I feel like I am pulling teeth here guys . . . Any of this documented anywhere? 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: vixsal@...
Date: Tue, 19 Mar 2013 22:26:58 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

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2308. Re: DVAP and apple Macbook Pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-20 19:07:32 UTC
From: charlie_kc2ped
Topic: 2288 Message: 2308

Is there more space in your boat
I just got om DV-AP and am trying to get it working on my MacBook Pro before trying to figure out DV-AP and Linux at the same time

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Robert" <ki6ft@...> wrote:
>
> Looking for another DVAP with MacBook Pro.
> I have questions regarding DVAPTool 1.04 mac dmg
>
> Tnx/73
> ki6ft/Robert
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2310. 2M DVAP For Sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-22 03:44:57 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2310 Message: 2310

Like to sell my 2M DVAP which is in 100% full operating condition, mint cosmetically. Antenna, cable, etc. I do not have the original box or the manual but manual is simply the website pages. It is about a year old. I am selling it as I am buying a 70cm variety to work with my new 31A. I am asking $175 for it and that includes Priority Mail shipping. I can only ship to USA address and will only accept Paypal. Let me know!

2311. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-22 06:01:25 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2259 Message: 2311

Thanks. I am like 98% there.I have the batch file and I have it started minimized, but the main dialog boxes still come up and the pesky "You have the latest software" dialog box is still waiting for input. Do you know if there is a command line switch for starting the dialog boxes minimized?So far, I have info on the following command line switches:-open-nolock-frequency <value-in-hz> Are there any others? 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: vk4tux@...
Date: Wed, 20 Mar 2013 05:34:04 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart DVAPTool on Windows

Very good Vic, yes took me a hour or so to hit it correct back a while

ago, I started with unlock etc until I got it with nolock.

Microsoft Windows XP [Version 5.1.2600]

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Microsoft Windows XP [Version 5.1.2600]

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H:\>cd /d C:\Program Files\DVAPTool

C:\Program Files\DVAPTool>DVAPTool -nolock -open

DVAPTool version 1.04

Restored parameters:

UserCallsign=

DVDevice=

Frequency=146550000

SquelchLevel=-80

TxPowerLevel=10

O/S: Windows XP

DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=

FTDI library version 30119

new frequency (146550000)

Callsign set to

Frequency set to 146550000

Removing callsign lock from command line

Found 0 FTDI device(s)

Auto open from command line

Opening DVAP device

Frequency set to 146550000

new frequency (146550000)

Cannot open com port

Cannot open DVTool device

DVAPTool version 1.04

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UserCallsign=

DVDevice=

Frequency=146550000

SquelchLevel=-80

TxPowerLevel=10

O/S: Windows XP

DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=

FTDI library version 30119

new frequency (146550000)

Callsign set to

Frequency set to 146550000

Removing callsign lock from command line

Found 1 FTDI device(s)

etc

Make a bat file, open note pad and enter like below with your

paths/partitions etc.

call it dvap.bat and path to it in startup.

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H:\>cd /d C:\Program Files\DVAPTool

C:\Program Files\DVAPTool>DVAPTool -nolock -open

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Adrian ... vk4tux
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2312. Re: 2M DVAP For Sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-22 15:40:59 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2310 Message: 2312

SOLD! (Sorry do not see a way to delete message)

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
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2313. DVAP and IC-91AD For Sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-23 00:40:14 UTC
From: Arnold
Topic: 2313 Message: 2313

I have had my DVAP about a year and my IC-91AD a couple of years. I first built one of Mark's hotspots and had fun getting it together then sold it. Now because of lack of time and interest I am going ahead and sell my DVAP and radio. The DVAP has had very little time on it. I purchased it after I sold my hotspot just to have something more convenient. I have the original box, antenna and a USB cable. It works great as I just checked it out on Wednesday night. I will take $200 for the DVAP. The IC-91AD has been great for me I just don't use it anymore and there is no reason I should keep it. It comes with the original antenna, 2 batteries, speaker mike, wall wart charger, drop in charger, and the Icom serial programming cable. I am asking $500 for the radio. I am not a big talker on the radio so there are no problems with it. My call is K4AHH in TN. If you are interested in either of these just email me and we can arrange a PayPal transaction.

2314. DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-23 23:33:59 UTC
From: Erik-KB9BNY
Topic: 2314 Message: 2314

I am running the dvap on a windows 7 thinkpad. I can connect to ref001c and I hear myself through the dvap when listening via RF. However, when I connect to kc9okw, I can hear people transmitting on the repeater, but when I transmit via the DVAP, nothing is heard on the repeater.

Here is the debug information:

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New stream started during an active stream
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KC9OKW L my KB9BNY /ID31 fc 0250 OK
Checking callsign (KB9BNY ) against station call (KB9BNY B)
Starting Link request (KC9OKW L)
rss (-59)
rss (-55)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
rss (-49)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway KC9OKW
state change 2 Connecting to KC9OKW
state change 4 Authenticating...
Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-74) max (-49)
login OK, transmit permitted
state change 6 Connected
Login succeeded, transmit permitted on KC9OKW
Linked to KC9OKW
Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesyst
linked.dvtool
Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
Transmit state (ON)
Finished playing DVTool file
DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-65)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
Checking callsign (KB9BNY ) against station call (KB9BNY B)
Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ )
rss (-59)
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rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Local RF stream end
Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-65) max (-47)
Sent transmission response to radio
Finished transmitting to gateway, 209 packets sent on stream 74c1
Remote receiver reported 209 packets received on stream 74c1
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-65)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
Checking callsign (KB9BNY ) against station call (KB9BNY B)
Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ )
rss (-59)
rss (-55)
rss (-52)
rss (-50)
rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Local RF stream end
Squelch closed, device rss (-70) min (-65) max (-47)
Sent transmission response to radio
Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
Remote receiver reported 100 packets received on stream cf2c
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
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2315. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-24 04:48:10 UTC
From: n9nra
Topic: 2314 Message: 2315

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@...> wrote:
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> Local RF stream end
> Squelch closed, device rss (-70) min (-65) max (-47)
> Sent transmission response to radio
> Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
> Remote receiver reported 100 packets received on stream cf2c
> Transmit state (ON)
> Transmit state (OFF)
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Hey there from Andy, N9NRA. Looking at the info ya provided i see it says "checking callign (KB9BNY) aganst station callsign (KB9BNY B). based on this i`m thinkin` this is an issue of authentication. to wit: registeration, in short, the callsign you have isn`t matching up with the regestered callsign, and the system is having an issue, you have no letter in the 8TH position and the callsign it`s checking against does. This might be the reason you`re having this problem, as what happens in this case is you can connect, but only in "listen only" mode (you`d hear a comback from the gateway something like, "remote system linked, recieve only". I know this is just a guess, but based on what you said and what i saw in the log ya posted it looks like this is your problem. Ya might try making sure that ya don`t have anything after your call, that should fix your issue, if not then it`s something else entirely different causing it. Good luck to you and 73. Andy, N9NRA

2316. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-25 03:22:38 UTC
From: Erik-KB9BNY
Topic: 2314 Message: 2316

Andy,

I have tried it both ways and I get the same result.

Thanks

Erik

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> > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KC9OKW L my KB9BNY /ID31 fc 0250 OK
> > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > Starting Link request (KC9OKW L)
> > rss (-59)
> > rss (-55)
> > rss (-53)
> > rss (-51)
> > rss (-49)
> > Local RF stream end
> > Connect requested
> > Connecting to gateway KC9OKW
> > state change 2 Connecting to KC9OKW
> > state change 4 Authenticating...
> > Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-74) max (-49)
> > login OK, transmit permitted
> > state change 6 Connected
> > Login succeeded, transmit permitted on KC9OKW
> > Linked to KC9OKW
> > Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesyst
> > linked.dvtool
> > Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
> > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
> > Transmit state (ON)

> > Finished playing DVTool file
> > DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
> > Transmit state (OFF)
> > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > New local RF stream:
> > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
> > rss (-59)
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> > rss (-49)
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> > rss (-47)
> > Local RF stream end
> > Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-65) max (-47)
> > Sent transmission response to radio
> > Finished transmitting to gateway, 209 packets sent on stream 74c1
> > Remote receiver reported 209 packets received on stream 74c1
> > Transmit state (ON)
> > Transmit state (OFF)
> > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > New local RF stream:
> > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
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> > rss (-50)
> > rss (-49)
> > rss (-48)
> > rss (-47)
> > Local RF stream end
> > Squelch closed, device rss (-70) min (-65) max (-47)
> > Sent transmission response to radio
> > Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
> > Remote receiver reported 100 packets received on stream cf2c
> > Transmit state (ON)
> > Transmit state (OFF)
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> Hey there from Andy, N9NRA. Looking at the info ya provided i see it says "checking callign (KB9BNY) aganst station callsign (KB9BNY B). based on this i`m thinkin` this is an issue of authentication. to wit: registeration, in short, the callsign you have isn`t matching up with the regestered callsign, and the system is having an issue, you have no letter in the 8TH position and the callsign it`s checking against does. This might be the reason you`re having this problem, as what happens in this case is you can connect, but only in "listen only" mode (you`d hear a comback from the gateway something like, "remote system linked, recieve only". I know this is just a guess, but based on what you said and

what i saw in the log ya posted it looks like this is your problem. Ya might try making sure that ya don`t have anything after your call, that should fix your issue, if not then it`s something else entirely different causing it. Good luck to you and 73. Andy, N9NRA
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2317. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-25 13:42:17 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2314 Message: 2317

Hi Erik. If the KC9OKW repeater is not syncing properly with the US Trust Server, you could see this issue. You will need to check with the admin of that repeater. Ask him to check is gateway sync.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@...> wrote:
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> Andy,
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> I have tried it both ways and I get the same result.
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> Thanks
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> Erik
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n9nra" <amitze@> wrote:
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
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> > > I am running the dvap on a windows 7 thinkpad. I can connect to ref001c and I hear myself through the dvap when listening via RF. However, when I connect to kc9okw, I can hear people transmitting on the repeater, but when I transmit via the DVAP, nothing is heard on the repeater.
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> > > New local RF stream:
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> > > Starting Link request (KC9OKW L)
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> > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
> > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > Finished playing DVTool file
> > > DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
> > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
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> > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY ) against station call (KB9BNY B)
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2318. Changing From 2M to a 70CM DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-25 15:36:38 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2318 Message: 2318

Hi -- My Icom 31A is on the way so I sold my 2M DVAP and bought a 70cm one. I will be using it with the new 70cm HT and with the 70cm section of my 2820H that I used to use the 2M section on for DSTAR, My question is -- am I just going to have to plug in the 70cm DVAP and use my already-installed driver and Tool (1.04)? I had thought the driver might be different but unless I am missing something on the website I guess not?

2321. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-28 03:15:41 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 2276 Message: 2321

But, if someone wants to run DVAPTOOL only and wants about as close to "Plug and play" as you are going to get...

This image is for you.

WA6JFK

https://www.dropbox.com/sh/mfyw3j6dwkpmriz/V56pE5JqTL

Thanks

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of vk4tux
Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 8:12 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

>
> My friend KB6THO made an image and we have been sharing it, people seem
> to like it and it's about the simplest one, but it's only
> running DVAP tool and VNC on startup.
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>
> Thanks
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> WA6JFK

Brian, yes its a shame did not dd from a 4GB card to provide more options for card burn.

I have developed an R6fix remix image that includes one click scripting to revert to command line only (No X)autologin mode running certain dstar services, d-rats being one of them and it works very well. The cpu load of course is far less.

communication is done ssh;

ssh -Y ham@...-ip.org <mailto:ham%40vk4tux.no-ip.org>

vnc in graphical mode;

http://vk4tux.no-ip.org/vnc.html & click ok on applet to view.

x programs from the rpi can run on your client x server.

A simple restore.sh run in cli or > #startxfce4 graphical boot to then click a 'GD restore' desktop launcher takes it back to graphical autostart/login boot configuration.

I look forward to Robins upcoming DVAPTool service (dvaptoold ?) to run in this setup, hopefully as a service like;

dvaptool.service in lib/systemd/system/

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[Unit]
Description=DVAPTool Service
ConditionFileIsExecutable=/path/dvaptoold
After=syslog.target network.target

[Service]
Type=forking
User=ham
#Edit the -logdir path to reflect where you want the logfiles to go.
#Edit the -confdir path to reflect where your config data is located.
ExecStart=/usr/bin/dvaptoold -daemon -logdir /var/log/ -confdir /etc

[Install]
WantedBy=multi-user.target
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The service.sh script systemctl enables the services, sets up getty@ tty1 cmd line autologin & sets .../systemd... target to multi user (cmd mode > No X).

The restore.sh script returns everything back to original configuration.

Adrian ... vk4tux

2322. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 70CM DVAP screwed up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-28 14:51:03 UTC
From: Bill Richards
Topic: 2276 Message: 2322

Brian, thanks for the info, it looks like a fun project for sure.

Bill
KU6N

On Wed, Mar 27, 2013 at 8:15 PM, Brian Frobisher <froby@...>wrote:

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> “Plug and play” as you are going to get…..****
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> No X).
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> The restore.sh script returns everything back to original configuration.
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> ****Adrian**** ... vk4tux****
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William Richards
Wood by William
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Email: werich44@...
Website:www.woodbywilliam.com

2323. Can't Change DVAP Settings on RPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-29 04:09:54 UTC
From: KC9IL
Topic: 2323 Message: 2323

I have my Pi up and running on Autostart. Works beautifully.

I tried to change the power level or uncheck the "lock" box, but any changes won't "stick" on the next boot up. Am I missing something here?

Thanks & 73,

Warren
KC9IL

2324. Re: Changing From 2M to a 70CM DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-29 13:03:59 UTC
From: Mark
Topic: 2318 Message: 2324

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
>
> Hi -- My Icom 31A is on the way so I sold my 2M DVAP and bought a 70cm one. I will be using it with the new 70cm HT and with the 70cm section of my 2820H that I used to use the 2M section on for DSTAR, My question is -- am I just going to have to plug in the 70cm DVAP and use my already-installed driver and Tool (1.04)? I had thought the driver might be different but unless I am missing something on the website I guess not?
>

Nope, it should be the same as far as I know. Also uses the same tool to access. All you should do is change the Frequency (Hz) to a 70cm frequency.

Mark

2325. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't Change DVAP Settings on RPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-29 13:33:50 UTC
From: George Muenster III
Topic: 2323 Message: 2325

I'm having a problem just burning an image to my SD card, let alone getting the Pi up and running. If anyone has a good link I can use, please send!!!'

George Muenster III
WD8GEO
(Sent from my iPhone 4)

On Mar 29, 2013, at 12:09 AM, "KC9IL" <pughwj@...> wrote:

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I tried to change the power level or uncheck the "lock" box, but any changes won't "stick" on the next boot up. Am I missing something here?

Thanks & 73,

Warren
KC9IL

2326. Newbie qestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-29 18:40:48 UTC
From: Dave
Topic: 2326 Message: 2326

Hi to the group,I am looking at purchasing the dvap unit and looking at running it with a raspberry pi set up.
can anyone point me in the right direction with regard to the best os for the raspberry,also what size of memory card to use.
the system will be only used for the dongle and needed software and would like to set it up to auto start everything on power up.
any help appreciated thanks.
Dave gm6jua

2327. Setup Help OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-30 05:33:54 UTC
From: charlie_kc2ped
Topic: 2327 Message: 2327

Let me start by saying I am on a MacBook Pro under OSX 10.7
I have an ID-31a and a 70cm dongle
I have downloaded, installed and mostly configured DVAPTools
When I key down the green light lights up
I got connected to reflector 20A but as receive only
Reading here I learn that is because I entered my callsign with _A at the end
After closing the DVAP, changing the callsign to agree with the way I registered with the gateway, and opening the DVAP I am not even able to connect to 20A as receive only
If I send a DVAP ___I the radio says DVAP Dongle and nothing more but scrolls Not Connected
That I was able to connect to 20A as receive only says that my staved UR is programmed correctly and that, at least when I was using the _A my computer is properly communicating with whatever black box it talks to out there on the internet
So what am I missing here

Also, I notice that when I have the squelch set to Auto on the ID-31 the green deceive light is on almost all of the time although there is no signal to break squelch
If I manually set squelch to 2 the light goes out
Do you have to manually set squelch when operating on a DVAP or do I need to drag the squelch slider in DVTools farther to the right

Thanks

2328. Re: Changing From 2M to a 70CM DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-30 05:55:15 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2318 Message: 2328

Yes, that's exactly what happened. No changes were needed at all other than choosing a 440 frequency. Work very nicely with the 31A.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Mark" <markn@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@> wrote:
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> > Hi -- My Icom 31A is on the way so I sold my 2M DVAP and bought a 70cm one. I will be using it with the new 70cm HT and with the 70cm section of my 2820H that I used to use the 2M section on for DSTAR, My question is -- am I just going to have to plug in the 70cm DVAP and use my already-installed driver and Tool (1.04)? I had thought the driver might be different but unless I am missing something on the website I guess not?
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>
> Nope, it should be the same as far as I know. Also uses the same tool to access. All you should do is change the Frequency (Hz) to a 70cm frequency.
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> Mark
>

2329. Re: Can't Change DVAP Settings on RPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-30 14:08:07 UTC
From: rsmith.1141
Topic: 2323 Message: 2329

Is this with Robin's software? If so, close the DVAP connection, exit the software and return to the Pi desktop. Then open the file manager and start the software from the desktop. Then if you change the settings from there and exit the software it should remember the settings the next time you autostart. At least this worked for me.

Hope this helps...

Randy
K6RND

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KC9IL" <pughwj@...> wrote:
>
> I have my Pi up and running on Autostart. Works beautifully.
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> I tried to change the power level or uncheck the "lock" box, but any changes won't "stick" on the next boot up. Am I missing something here?
>
> Thanks & 73,
>
> Warren
> KC9IL
>

2330. Re: Setup Help OSX

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-30 14:16:11 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2327 Message: 2330

Hi Charlie. You have registered a "space" terminal correctly so make sure you have a space in the 8th character of the callsign field both in the radio and in DVAPTool.

I looked through the logs and see that you used an "A" sometimes.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "charlie_kc2ped" <ca_ridgway@...> wrote:
>
> Let me start by saying I am on a MacBook Pro under OSX 10.7
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> I have downloaded, installed and mostly configured DVAPTools
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> Also, I notice that when I have the squelch set to Auto on the ID-31 the green deceive light is on almost all of the time although there is no signal to break squelch
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> Thanks
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2331. Re: DVAP application for Android phone

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-30 17:27:11 UTC
From: michaelhopwood_ke5eua
Topic: 2089 Message: 2331

+1 on this. While I do have a laptop dock in my vehicle it would be nice to have it on the phone or tablet as well.

Michael Hopwood
KE5EUA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "robertco30" <rhicks@...> wrote:
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> or maybe even a side loadable beta version if you need help testing?
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>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "la2qaa" wrote:
> >
> > Hello Robin,
> > Like (I suspect) many otheres, I'm eagerly awaiting the Android mobile phone DVAP application.
> >
> > You previously mentioned Christmas but I maybe the Raspberry Tart software took priority ... however, I *DO* realise you're a busy chap.
> >
> > Any news on a possible release date ??.
> >
> > Being 500km from a D-Star repeater I'm totally dependant on the DVAP and it would certainly ne nice not to have to lug a laptop round on the (mechanical) wheelchair.
> >
> > The DVAP + Galaxy SII + O.T.G.USB would be the bee's knee's.
> >
> > 73 John LA2QAA
> >
>

2332. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-30 21:24:49 UTC
From: Erik-KB9BNY
Topic: 2314 Message: 2332

Robin,

We checked the sync status all is normal. This behavior is replicatable on two other repeaters. I can link, but when I transmit, my transmission isn't repeated on the repeater.

73

Erik KB9bny

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Erik. If the KC9OKW repeater is not syncing properly with the US Trust Server, you could see this issue. You will need to check with the admin of that repeater. Ask him to check is gateway sync.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
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> > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > Connect requested
> > > > Connecting to gateway KC9OKW
> > > > state change 2 Connecting to KC9OKW
> > > > state change 4 Authenticating...
> > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-74) max (-49)
> > > > login OK, transmit permitted
> > > > state change 6 Connected
> > > > Login succeeded, transmit permitted on KC9OKW
> > > > Linked to KC9OKW
> > > > Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesyst
> > > > linked.dvtool
> > > > Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
> > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
> > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > Finished playing DVTool file
> > > > DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
> > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY ) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ )
> > > > rss (-59)
> > > > rss (-55)
> > > > rss (-53)
> > > > rss (-51)
> > > > rss (-49)
> > > > rss (-48)
> > > > rss (-47)
> > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-65) max (-47)
> > > > Sent transmission response to radio
> > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 209 packets sent on stream 74c1
> > > > Remote receiver reported 209 packets received on stream 74c1
> > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY ) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ )
> > > > rss (-59)
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> > > > rss (-55)
> > > > rss (-52)
> > > > rss (-50)
> > > > rss (-49)
> > > > rss (-48)
> > > > rss (-47)
> > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-70) min (-65) max (-47)
> > > > Sent transmission response to radio
> > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
> > > > Remote receiver reported 100 packets received on stream cf2c
> > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > >
> > > Hey there from Andy, N9NRA. Looking at the info ya provided i see it says "checking callign (KB9BNY) aganst station callsign (KB9BNY B). based on this i`m thinkin` this is an issue of authentication. to wit: registeration, in short, the callsign you have isn`t matching up with the regestered callsign, and the system is having an issue, you have no letter in the 8TH position and the callsign it`s checking against does. This might be the reason you`re having this problem, as what happens in this case is you can connect, but only in "listen only" mode (you`d hear a comback from the gateway something like, "remote system linked, recieve only". I know this is just a guess, but based on what you said and what i saw in the log ya posted it looks like this is your problem. Ya might try making sure that ya don`t have anything after your call, that should fix your issue, if not then it`s something else entirely different causing it. Good luck to you and 73. Andy, N9NRA
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2333. Callsign registration?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-31 02:35:12 UTC
From: Steve Garwood
Topic: 2333 Message: 2333

I just fired up my VHF DVAP after a period of inactivity with it. Do I have to register my callsign with an "A" after it or something similar?

It was working previously with just my callsign entered in the box with no problem. Now I attempt to connect and go into Receive Only.

I had made no changes, using the same laptop, IC-92AD and the DVAP.

Thanks
Steve, N0CZV

2334. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-31 14:14:57 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2314 Message: 2334

Hi Erik. Try connecting with REF030 and see if you have the same issue. I'll look in the logs there.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@...> wrote:
>
> Robin,
>
> We checked the sync status all is normal. This behavior is replicatable on two other repeaters. I can link, but when I transmit, my transmission isn't repeated on the repeater.
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> 73
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> Erik KB9bny
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> --- In DVAPDongle@...m, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> >
> > Hi Erik. If the KC9OKW repeater is not syncing properly with the US Trust Server, you could see this issue. You will need to check with the admin of that repeater. Ask him to check is gateway sync.
> >
> > 73,
> > Robin
> > AA4RC
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Andy,
> > >
> > > I have tried it both ways and I get the same result.
> > >
> > > Thanks
> > >
> > > Erik
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n9nra" <amitze@> wrote:
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> > > >
> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
> > > > >

> > > > > I am running the dvap on a windows 7 thinkpad. I can connect to ref001c and I hear myself through the dvap when listening via RF. However, when I connect to kc9okw, I can hear people transmitting on the repeater, but when I transmit via the DVAP, nothing is heard on the repeater.
> > > > >
> > > > > Here is the debug information:
> > > > >
> > > > > New stream started during an active stream
> > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KC9OKW L my KB9BNY /ID31 fc 0250 OK
> > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > Starting Link request (KC9OKW L)
> > > > > rss (-59)
> > > > > rss (-55)
> > > > > rss (-53)
> > > > > rss (-51)
> > > > > rss (-49)
> > > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > > Connect requested
> > > > > Connecting to gateway KC9OKW
> > > > > state change 2 Connecting to KC9OKW
> > > > > state change 4 Authenticating...
> > > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-74) max (-49)
> > > > > login OK, transmit permitted
> > > > > state change 6 Connected
> > > > > Login succeeded, transmit permitted on KC9OKW
> > > > > Linked to KC9OKW
> > > > > Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesyst
> > > > > linked.dvtool
> > > > > Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
> > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
> > > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > > Finished playing DVTool file
> > > > > DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
> > > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
> > > > > rss (-59)
> > > > > rss (-55)
> > > > > rss (-53)
> > > > > rss (-51)
> > > > > rss (-49)
> > > > > rss (-48)
> > > > > rss (-47)
> > > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-65) max (-47)
> > > > > Sent transmission response to radio

> > > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 209 packets sent on stream 74c1
> > > > > Remote receiver reported 209 packets received on stream 74c1
> > > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
> > > > > rss (-59)
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> > > > > Local RF stream end
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> > > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
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> >
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2335. Re: Callsign registration?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-31 14:16:22 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2333 Message: 2335

Hi Steve. I don't see your callsign as being registered. Perhaps your registration gateway went away?

You will need to register again. You can follow this instructions at www.dstargateway.org for that. Just select your closest gateway.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Steve Garwood" <n0czv@...> wrote:
>
> I just fired up my VHF DVAP after a period of inactivity with it. Do I have to register my callsign with an "A" after it or something similar?
>
> It was working previously with just my callsign entered in the box with no problem. Now I attempt to connect and go into Receive Only.
>
> I had made no changes, using the same laptop, IC-92AD and the DVAP.
>
> Thanks
> Steve, N0CZV
>

2336. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Callsign registration?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-31 14:41:23 UTC
From: Steve Garwood
Topic: 2333 Message: 2336

Thanks Robin,

I've already started the process through a local gateway website. I had also noticed that my IC-2820H would not transmit, though receive is fine. Not sure what happened to the site that I had registered through. I was not sure how to check if I was registered. I did not have a login to check unless there is another way.

73,

Steve, N0CZV

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Sunday, March 31, 2013 10:16 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Callsign registration?

Hi Steve. I don't see your callsign as being registered. Perhaps your registration gateway went away?

You will need to register again. You can follow this instructions at www.dstargateway.org for that. Just select your closest gateway.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , "Steve Garwood" <n0czv@...> wrote:
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> I just fired up my VHF DVAP after a period of inactivity with it. Do I have to register my callsign with an "A" after it or something similar?
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> It was working previously with just my callsign entered in the box with no problem. Now I attempt to connect and go into Receive Only.
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> I had made no changes, using the same laptop, IC-92AD and the DVAP.
>
> Thanks
> Steve, N0CZV
>

2337. icom ic880h

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-31 15:48:51 UTC
From: qm6jua
Topic: 2337 Message: 2337

hi,
if I purchase this radio and run it on the 5 watts setting would
this damage the dvap dongle
regards
Dave

2338. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Callsign registration?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-03-31 16:57:46 UTC
From: Glenn Wright
Topic: 2333 Message: 2338

Here is one:
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck

On 03/31/2013 02:41 PM, Steve Garwood wrote:

Thanks Robin,

I’ve already started the process through a local gateway website. I had also noticed that my IC-2820H would not transmit, though receive is fine. Not sure what happened to the site that I had registered through. I was not sure how to check if I was registered. I did not have a login to check unless there is another way.

73,

Steve, N0CZV

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc
Sent: Sunday, March 31, 2013 10:16 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Callsign registration?

Hi Steve. I don't see your callsign as being registered. Perhaps your registration gateway went away?

You will need to register again. You can follow this instructions at www.dstargateway.org (http://www.dstargateway.org) for that. Just select your closest gateway.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> I just fired up my VHF DVAP after a period of inactivity with it. Do I have to register my callsign with an "A" after it or something similar?
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>
> I had made no changes, using the same laptop, IC-92AD and the DVAP.
>
> Thanks
> Steve, N0CZV
>

--
73 de Glenn

2339. AA4PP: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-01 12:41:30 UTC
From: Dave S.
Topic: 2339 Message: 2339

Good morning, all,
Yesterday was my first successful (albeit partially) use of the DVAP. I first attempted to connect to my club's local repeater, AA4PP without success. I then attempted to connect to a repeater I'm familiar with in Lakeland, FL, KJ4ACN -- that was successful. I then tried AA4PP again...no luck. I get the message "Gateway Unknown". Is it me, is it the club repeater, or something else? Thanks for any help.

Best regards,
Dave Sheppard W2PAX
Naples, FL
csxtbonevalley@...

2340. Re: icom ic880h

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-01 13:42:38 UTC
From: michaelhopwood_ke5eua
Topic: 2337 Message: 2340

I can speak for my experience. I have the ID-880H in my truck and the dvap mounted under my dash. I run the 880 on low and so far have not seen any ill effects.

I would like to hear from Robin on this as well.

Michael
KE5EUA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "qm6jua" <davegm6jua@...> wrote:
>
> hi,
> if I purchase this radio and run it on the 5 watts setting would
> this damage the dvap dongle
> regards
> Dave
>

2341. Re: icom ic880h

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-01 14:13:26 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2337 Message: 2341

As long as you separate the radio antenna from the DVAP antenna, you should be OK with 5 watts. A few feet should be good.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "michaelhopwood_ke5eua" <ke5eua@...> wrote:
>
> I can speak for my experience. I have the ID-880H in my truck and the dvap mounted under my dash. I run the 880 on low and so far have not seen any ill effects.
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2342. Re: [DVAPDongle] icom ic880h

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-01 14:22:13 UTC
From: George
Topic: 2337 Message: 2342

I have that radio and a dvap, and I have my radio set to low power. I haven't had a problem.

George Muenster III
WD8GEO
(Sent from my iPad)

On Mar 31, 2013, at 11:48 AM, "qm6jua" <davegm6jua@...> wrote:

> hi,
> if I purchase this radio and run it on the 5 watts setting would
> this damage the dvap dongle
> regards
> Dave
>
>

2343. Re: AA4PP: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-01 16:45:42 UTC
From: Gary Ownsby
Topic: 2339 Message: 2343

Dave,

I had the same issue on our local repeater yesterday. I was installing the software on a new notebook PC. Initially, I thought it was a problem with the new PC or some incompatibility; however, everything worked fine on my other PC with the same software & hardware. In the end, it turned out that the repeater itself was having problems. I contacted the repeater owner and they got everything working and all is well now.

Gary Ownsby, AK4ZX
Chattanooga, TN

2344. many thanks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-01 17:21:48 UTC
From: qm6jua
Topic: 2344 Message: 2344

many thanks to all who responded to my question regarding the ic880 with the dvap
regards to the group
dave gm6jua

2346. Re: Can't Change DVAP Settings on RPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-02 03:23:54 UTC
From: Warren Pugh
Topic: 2323 Message: 2346

Randy,

Thanks for your comment. It rang a bell in my memory. I was running Robin's software in a virtual desktop. I think what was happening was I was making changes in the virtual copy. Once I remember to shut down all instances of the DVAP software and reopen, then make changes, all is well.

73,

Warren
KC9IL

2347. Re: Can't Change DVAP Settings on RPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-02 03:30:09 UTC
From: KC9IL
Topic: 2323 Message: 2347

George,

Use this image. Just burn to a 16GB card and follow instructions. They say it will fit on an 8GB card, but I tried and it failed. 16GB card works like a champ.

https://www.dropbox.com/sh/mfyw3j6dwkpmriz/V56pE5JqTL

Have fun!

73,

Warren
KC9IL

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, George Muenster III <muenster2221@...> wrote:
>
> I'm having a problem just burning an image to my SD card, let alone getting the Pi up and running. If anyone has a good link I can use, please send!!!'
>
> George Muenster III
> WD8GEO
> (Sent from my iPhone 4)
>
> On Mar 29, 2013, at 12:09 AM, "KC9IL" <pughwj@...> wrote:
>
> I have my Pi up and running on Autostart. Works beautifully.
>
> I tried to change the power level or uncheck the "lock" box, but any changes won't "stick" on the next boot up. Am I missing something here?
>
> Thanks & 73,
>
> Warren
> KC9IL
>

2348. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-03 02:05:57 UTC
From: Erik-KB9BNY
Topic: 2314 Message: 2348

I was connected to 30c this afternoon. I can connect to any reflector without issue, its just the repeaters.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Erik. Try connecting with REF030 and see if you have the same issue. I'll look in the logs there.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
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> > Robin,
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> > We checked the sync status all is normal. This behavior is replicatable on two other repeaters. I can link, but when I transmit, my transmission isn't repeated on the repeater.
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> > > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > > Starting Link request (KC9OKW L)
> > > > > > rss (-59)
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> > > > > > rss (-53)
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> > > > > > rss (-49)
> > > > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > > > Connect requested
> > > > > > Connecting to gateway KC9OKW
> > > > > > state change 2 Connecting to KC9OKW
> > > > > > state change 4 Authenticating...
> > > > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-74) max (-49)
> > > > > > login OK, transmit permitted
> > > > > > state change 6 Connected
> > > > > > Login succeeded, transmit permitted on KC9OKW
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> > > > > > Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesyst
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> > > > > > Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
> > > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
> > > > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > > > Finished playing DVTool file
> > > > > > DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
> > > > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
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> > > > > > rss (-48)
> > > > > > rss (-47)
> > > > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-70) min (-65) max (-47)
> > > > > > Sent transmission response to radio
> > > > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
> > > > > > Remote receiver reported 100 packets received on stream cf2c
> > > > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > > >
> > > > > Hey there from Andy, N9NRA. Looking at the info ya provided i see it says "checking callign (KB9BNY) aganst station callsign (KB9BNY B). based on this i`m thinkin` this is an issue of authentication. to wit: registeration, in short, the callsign you have isn`t matching up with the regestered callsign, and the system is having an issue, you have no letter in the 8TH position and the callsign it`s checking against does. This might be the reason you`re having this problem, as what happens in this case is you can connect, but only in "listen only" mode (you`d hear a comback from the gateway something like, "remote system linked, recieve only". I know this is just a guess, but based on what you said and what i saw in the log ya posted it looks like this is your problem. Ya might try making sure that ya don`t have anything after your call, that should fix your issue, if not then it`s something else entirely different causing it. Good luck to you and 73. Andy, N9NRA
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2349. Re: DVAP Funkiness

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-03 02:10:35 UTC
From: Erik-KB9BNY
Topic: 2314 Message: 2349

We also tried the dvap on another laptop and it worked.

Thanks

Erik

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Erik. Try connecting with REF030 and see if you have the same issue. I'll look in the logs there.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
> >
> > Robin,
> >
> > We checked the sync status all is normal. This behavior is replicatable on two other repeaters. I can link, but when I transmit, my transmission isn't repeated on the repeater.
> >
> > 73
> >
> > Erik KB9bny
> >
> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi Erik. If the KC9OKW repeater is not syncing properly with the US Trust Server, you could see this issue. You will need to check with the admin of that repeater. Ask him to check is gateway sync.
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Robin
> > > AA4RC
> > >
> > >
> > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Andy,
> > > >
> > > > I have tried it both ways and I get the same result.
> > > >
> > > > Thanks
> > > >

> > > > Erik
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> > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n9nra" <amitze@> wrote:
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> > > > > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Erik-KB9BNY" <mplsvrf@> wrote:
> > > > > >
> > > > > > I am running the dvap on a windows 7 thinkpad. I can connect to ref001c and I hear myself through the dvap when listening via RF. However, when I connect to kc9okw, I can hear people transmitting on the repeater, but when I transmit via the DVAP, nothing is heard on the repeater.
> > > > > >
> > > > > > Here is the debug information:
> > > > > >
> > > > > > New stream started during an active stream
> > > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur KC9OKW L my KB9BNY /ID31 fc 0250 OK
> > > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > > Starting Link request (KC9OKW L)
> > > > > > rss (-59)
> > > > > > rss (-55)
> > > > > > rss (-53)
> > > > > > rss (-51)
> > > > > > rss (-49)
> > > > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > > > Connect requested
> > > > > > Connecting to gateway KC9OKW
> > > > > > state change 2 Connecting to KC9OKW
> > > > > > state change 4 Authenticating...
> > > > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-74) max (-49)
> > > > > > login OK, transmit permitted
> > > > > > state change 6 Connected
> > > > > > Login succeeded, transmit permitted on KC9OKW
> > > > > > Linked to KC9OKW
> > > > > > Processing 135 records from DVTool file :/dvaptoolresources/dvfiles/remotesyst
> > > > > > linked.dvtool
> > > > > > Playing 135 records from dvtool file remotesystemlinked.dvtool
> > > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY B/DVAP fc 9c4f OK
> > > > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > > > Finished playing DVTool file
> > > > > > DStar gateway text message received ->Welcome to the KC9OKW D-Star repeater
> > > > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
> > > > > > rss (-59)
> > > > > > rss (-55)

> > > > > > rss (-53)
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> > > > > > rss (-49)
> > > > > > rss (-48)
> > > > > > rss (-47)
> > > > > > Local RF stream end
> > > > > > Squelch closed, device rss (-68) min (-65) max (-47)
> > > > > > Sent transmission response to radio
> > > > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 209 packets sent on stream 74c1
> > > > > > Remote receiver reported 209 packets received on stream 74c1
> > > > > > Transmit state (ON)
> > > > > > Transmit state (OFF)
> > > > > > Squelch open, device rss (-65)
> > > > > > New local RF stream:
> > > > > > hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my KB9BNY /ID31 fc fef2 OK
> > > > > > Checking callsign (KB9BNY) against station call (KB9BNY B)
> > > > > > Transmitting to gateway (CQCQCQ)
> > > > > > rss (-59)
> > > > > > rss (-55)
> > > > > > rss (-52)
> > > > > > rss (-50)
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> > > > > > Finished transmitting to gateway, 100 packets sent on stream cf2c
> > > > > > Remote receiver reported 100 packets received on stream cf2c
> > > > > > Transmit state (ON)
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2354. DVAP Audio/Signal

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-05 16:18:48 UTC
From: rustyb78
Topic: 2354 Message: 2354

Should the audio/signal/carrier coming from the dvap be 100% constant?

As I listen to mine, the audio cuts out. And when I say audio, I really mean the signal.

Using the DVAPUtil, I did a transmit test of the dvap and with a dead carrier I still hear a break in the signal. This happens about every 1 second or so.

Thanks..

Rusty
WB4BSD

2356. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool run in Rpi cmd mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-08 11:02:40 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 2345 Message: 2356

Thanks, Adrian. Good talking with you yesterday.

Bob
KE4JLL

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Adrian
Sent: Saturday, April 06, 2013 4:30 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool run in Rpi cmd mode

I placed the instruction page link on

vk4tux.no-ip.org

Adrian ... vk4tux

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The message was checked by ESET NOD32 Antivirus.

http://www.eset.com

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2360. Re: [DVAPDongle] AA4PP: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-10 15:14:21 UTC
From: Eric Gissendaner
Topic: 2339 Message: 2360

Dave,

I am looking into the issue for you. I have the same situation with my DVAP
as well.

--
Eric Gissendaner / KF4IXA
kf4ixa@...
Vice-President
Amateur Radio Association
of Southwest Florida
678-753-4492
678-7KF4IXA

On Mon, Apr 1, 2013 at 8:41 AM, Dave S. <csxtbonevalley@...> wrote:

> **
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>
> Good morning, all,
> Yesterday was my first successful (albeit partially) use of the DVAP. I
> first attempted to connect to my club's local repeater, AA4PP without
> success. I then attempted to connect to a repeater I'm familiar with in
> Lakeland, FL, KJ4ACN -- that was successful. I then tried AA4PP again...no
> luck. I get the message "Gateway Unknown". Is it me, is it the club
> repeater, or something else? Thanks for any help.
>
> Best regards,
> Dave Sheppard W2PAX
> Naples, FL
> csxtbonevalley@...
>
>
>

2363. DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-11 13:11:23 UTC
From: kf4hrkf4hr
Topic: 1238 Message: 2363

I recently purchased a DVAP unit through Amateur Electronic Supply. Initially the driver and software loaded fine and the unit was working perfectly (linking to D-Star repeaters was no problem). Then I had a software issue with my PC and had to reload Windows 7. After reloading Windows my PC worked fine but I wasn't able to get the DVAP working again. I've tried reloading the DVAP Drivers and DVAP Tool Software multiple times and on 3 different computers and I get the same results. Everything seems to be up until I try to enter the Frequency in the DVAPTool 1.04 screen, then I get an "invalid frequency 144.500" (I get the same response regardless of the frequency I enter).

I am running an Intel i7 PC using Windows 7 OS. I've copied what I'm seeing on the DVAPTool screen below. Note that the DVAPTool screen is indicating "Windows XP" as the O/S. I'm not sure why. I have tried to load the drivers as indicated in the Installation Guide, and also installed the Bonjour installer (which I didn't need to do on the initial install), but I get the same results.

Any suggestions on how to fix this problem would be greatly appreciated. Also does anyone know a tech support phone number to call about the DVAP?

Tnx in advance,

KF4HR

DVAPTool Screen text:

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DVAPTool version 1.04
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=KF4HR
DVDevice=
Frequency=
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
O/S: Windows XP
DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
FIDI library version 30207
Callsign set to KF4HR
Searching 2 FTDI serial devices
Found TDI device at index 0 located 529 serial A1014X8M description FT232R USB
UART
Skipping FTDI Device FT232R USB UART
Found FTDI device at index 1 location 274 serial A800f7mu description DV Access
Point Dongle
FTDI driver version 20828
Device on COM6
FTDI serial device COM6 valid
Serial device <COM6> added
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
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Callsign set to <KF4HR>

DVAPTool 1.04 Screen:

Station Callsign: KF4HR (lock callsign box checked)
invalid frequency 144.550

2364. Re: DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-11 13:39:03 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 1238 Message: 2364

Frequencies are entered in Hz so try 144550000. Take a look at the instructions at www.dvapdongle.com. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kf4hrkf4hr" <kf4hrkf4hr@...> wrote:
>
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> KF4HR
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> DVDevice=
> Frequency=
> SquelchLevel=-80
> TxPowerLevel=10
> O/S: Windows XP
> DNSServiceBrowse error=0 flags=0 regtype=_vcp._udp domain=
> FIDI library version 30207
> Callsign set to KF4HR
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> UART
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> Point Dongle
> FTDI driver version 20828
> Device on COM6
> FTDI serial device COM6 valid
> Serial device <COM6> added
> Found 1 FTDI device(s)
> Callsign set to <KF4HR>
>
> DVAPTool 1.04 Screen:
>
> Station Callsign: KF4HR (lock callsign box checked)
> invalid frequency 144.550
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2365. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-11 13:51:04 UTC
From: SR-71
Topic: 1238 Message: 2365

Thanks Robin. That did it.

Just curious. Why is the DVAPTool screen indicating XP OS? I'm running Windows 7. It's working, so I assume it must not make any difference?

Ralph Quallich
KF4HR
Email: kf4hrkf4hr@...

From: aa4rc <aa4rc@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2013 9:39 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Problem

Frequencies are entered in Hz so try 144550000. Take a look at the instructions at www.dvapdongle.com. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> invalid frequency 144.550
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2366. Re: AA4PP: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-11 18:28:18 UTC
From: Les
Topic: 2339 Message: 2366

I was having a problem with my DVAP connecting to my repeater gateway. I was running my DVAP on a Raspberry Pi. It turned out there was a problem with the Raspberry PI DNS and it could not resolve the IP address for my gateway.

I ran the update on the Raspberry Pi and installed DNSUTILS. Now the Raspberry Pi DNS can resolve the IP for my gateway and my DVAP can connect to the gateway with no problem.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Eric Gissendaner <kf4ixa@...> wrote:
>
> Dave,
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> I am looking into the issue for you. I have the same situation with my DVAP
> as well.
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> Eric Gissendaner / KF4IXA
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> > success. I then attempted to connect to a repeater I'm familiar with in
> > Lakeland, FL, KJ4ACN -- that was successful. I then tried AA4PP again...no
> > luck. I get the message "Gateway Unknown". Is it me, is it the club
> > repeater, or something else? Thanks for any help.
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> > Best regards,
> > Dave Sheppard W2PAX
> > Naples, FL
> > csxtbonevalley@...
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> >
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2368. Can DVAP be moved?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-12 18:37:57 UTC
From: n7jnd
Topic: 2368 Message: 2368

Greetings All,

New to the group here. I have a question... Can the DVAP be moved from computer to computer? In other words, can I use it at home during the evening but bring it to work with me during the day?

Thanks,

Chris - N7JND
Tucson

2369. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can DVAP be moved?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-12 20:44:33 UTC
From: SR-71
Topic: 2368 Message: 2369

Yes - I use my DVAP on my desktop or laptop.

KF4HR

From: n7jnd <n7jnd@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, April 12, 2013 2:37 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Can DVAP be moved?

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Thanks,

Chris - N7JND
Tucson

2370. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can DVAP be moved?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-12 21:24:50 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2368 Message: 2370

>> Can the DVAP be moved from computer to computer?

Yes, I do it all the time - Mac to PC to Rpi - work, home and on the road, respectively.

73,

Mickey N4MB

On Fri, Apr 12, 2013 at 2:37 PM, n7jnd <n7jnd@...> wrote:

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> Greetings All,
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> New to the group here. I have a question... Can the DVAP be moved from
> computer to computer? In other words, can I use it at home during the
> evening but bring it to work with me during the day?
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> Thanks,
>
> Chris - N7JND
> Tucson
>
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>

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Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*“Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me, and I will learn.” *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

2371. RE: [DVAPDongle] Can DVAP be moved?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-13 00:11:41 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2368 Message: 2371

I do it all of the time. Same with DV Dongle. 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: n7jnd@...
Date: Fri, 12 Apr 2013 18:37:57 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Can DVAP be moved?

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Thanks,

Chris - N7JND

Tucson

2372. Re: Can DVAP be moved?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-13 02:44:19 UTC
From: wkendrvr
Topic: 2368 Message: 2372

As said, move it where you like. I actually run mine mobile.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n7jnd" <n7jnd@...> wrote:
>
> Greetings All,
>
> New to the group here. I have a question... Can the DVAP be moved from computer to computer? In other words, can I use it at home during the evening but bring it to work with me during the day?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Chris - N7JND
> Tucson
>

2373. Thanks All

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-13 15:25:17 UTC
From: Chris Buchanan
Topic: 2368 Message: 2373

Thanks to everyone that has answered my question. I look forward to purchasing a DVAP very soon and it's nice knowing I can move it from home to office.

THANKS ALL for your help.

73...Chris - N7JND
Tucson

2374. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can DVAP be moved?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-13 15:30:30 UTC
From: George Muenster III
Topic: 2368 Message: 2374

Yep!!! Just make sure you have the software on whatever computer your using.

George Muenster III
WD8GEO
(Sent from my iPhone 4)

On Apr 12, 2013, at 10:44 PM, "wkendrvr" <mikesus@...> wrote:

As said, move it where you like. I actually run mine mobile.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n7jnd" <n7jnd@...> wrote:
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> New to the group here. I have a question... Can the DVAP be moved from computer to computer? In other words, can I use it at home during the evening but bring it to work with me during the day?
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> Tucson
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2375. OSX 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-14 21:35:27 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 2375 Message: 2375

I am unable to run DVAP on my Macbook Pro because the Driver from FTDE for OSX goes only to 10.6, I am waiting for the driver for 10.8.

I do not know of another options.

Any input would be appreciated.

tnx/73

Robert/ki6ft

2376. DVAP gone mute!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-15 02:09:31 UTC
From: w4oa.mitch
Topic: 2376 Message: 2376

I have somehow turned off the voice response in my uhf DVAP. How can I turn it back on?

Also, how do you get a copy of the version 1.07 firmware?

Tnx
Mitch W4OA

2377. Re: DVAP gone mute!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-15 13:00:54 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2376 Message: 2377

Hi Mitch. There have been a number of folks that downgraded their firmware to an incompatible version. DO NOT DOWNGRADE FIRMWARE!! You may render your DVAP unusable.

What version of the firmware is currently on your DVAP?

For everyone, DO NOT DOWNGRADE FIRMWARE!!!!

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4oa.mitch" <w4oa.mitch@...> wrote:
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> I have somehow turned off the voice response in my uhf DVAP. How can I turn it back on?
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> Also, how do you get a copy of the version 1.07 firmware?
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> Tnx
> Mitch W4OA
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2378. Re: [DVAPDongle] OSX 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-15 13:06:39 UTC
From: Larry Anderson
Topic: 2375 Message: 2378

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--Larry WB5EIN

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2379. RE: [DVAPDongle] Thanks All

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-15 14:24:15 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 2368 Message: 2379

You'll love it! To me, not ever having/using a DVAP or Dongle is to NOT know all there is to D-Star!

73's de N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Chris Buchanan
Sent: Saturday, April 13, 2013 11:25 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Thanks All

Thanks to everyone that has answered my question. I look forward to purchasing a DVAP very soon and it's nice knowing I can move it from home to office.

THANKS ALL for your help.

73...Chris - N7JND

Tucson

2380. Re: [DVAPDongle] OSX 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-16 05:37:02 UTC
From: Larry Seese
Topic: 2375 Message: 2380

Hi Larry,

Glad to hear of your success! I have been running my own DVAP with the standard 1.04 Tool and standard FTDI drivers on my 2011 MacBook Pro (OS10.6.8) with no issues -- easy to install and fun to play with!

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Your Retina model MBP probably came with 10.8 installed, and at least one person that I know with a problem upgraded to 10.8. I'm just wildly guessing that upgrading a Mac that previously worked with the DVAP to 10.8 *maybe* requires the FTDI drivers to be removed and then re-installed to mesh better with the 64 bit 10.8. ??? I'm not experienced enough to know if this is even a possibility, and I'd welcome anybody's input...

Thanks and 73!

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N3CFK

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2381. Re: OSX 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-16 18:12:12 UTC
From: ken fitzgerald
Topic: 2375 Message: 2381

I'm running OSX 10.8.3 and the FTDI 2.2.18 (64 bit) drivers on iMac and MacBook Air. No problems.
'73
Ken

2382. Re: [DVAPDongle] OSX 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-17 05:05:43 UTC
From: Larry Seese
Topic: 2375 Message: 2382

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2383. D-STAR Training available at Dayton 2013

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-17 15:22:13 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 2383 Message: 2383

DSTARinfo.com and the Georgia D-STAR group will again conduct training for beginning and intermediate D-STAR users during Dayton Hamvention 2013. The three hour class will be held at the Drury Inn Ballroom, conveniently located in the Hamvention hotel area at 6616 Miller Lane. The class will begin promptly at 8:00am.

This training will provide the basics for new D-STAR users guiding them through the registration process, getting on the air and get the most out of handhelds or mobiles. More experienced users will benefit from topics including the DV Dongle, DV Access Point, making a hotspot with a Raspberry Pi, D-STAR nets, using D-STAR's high and low speed data features including the ID-1 radio, and where to find D-STAR resources to get the most out of D-STAR.

Class size is limited and pre-registration is required. The cost of the class is $15.00 and all attendees will receive all course materials. To register and pay class fee by PayPal, go to http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2013.aspx <http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2013.aspx> . For more info, email info@... <mailto:info@...> .

2386. DVAPDONGLE QUESTION

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-21 17:46:30 UTC
From: ke6hhm2020
Topic: 2386 Message: 2386

I have a IMAC I follow the directions for the dongle I entred my callsign and freq but nothing is highlighted to click on the buttons. what did I do wrong

thanks

Tom KE6HHM

2387. ID-31A to be given away during Dayton D-STAR Class

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-22 01:24:46 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2387 Message: 2387

If you've registered for the D-STAR training at the Drury Inn Ballroom in Dayton during Hamvention on Friday, May 17th, from 8:00am until 11:00am, you already have a chance to win an Icom ID-31A handheld radio to be given away during the class. There is still time to register for this comprehensive D-STAR class, but seats are filling up fast.

This training will provide the basics for new D-STAR users guiding them through the callsign registration process, getting on the air. easy programming of your D-STAR radio including the ID-31A and ID-51A radios, and get the most out of handhelds or mobiles. More experienced users will benefit from topics including the DV Dongle, DV Access Point, making a hotspot with a Raspberry Pi, D-STAR nets, using D-STAR's high and low speed data features including the ID-1 radio, and where to find D-STAR resources to get the most out of D-STAR.

Class size is limited and pre-registration is required. The cost of the class is $15.00 and all attendees will receive all course materials and a chance to win the Icom ID-31A. To register and pay class fee by PayPal, go to http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2013.aspx.

For more info, email info@...<mailto:info@...>

2388. Re: DVAPDONGLE QUESTION

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-22 13:54:27 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2386 Message: 2388

Hi Tom. If there is a device name in the box (something like /dev/cu.serial***), you should be able to click on Open. If not, you need to install the device drivers from www.ftdichip.com.

Let me know...

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ke6hhm2020" <ke6hhm2020@...> wrote:
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> but nothing is highlighted to click on the buttons. what did I do wrong
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> thanks
>
> Tom KE6HHM
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2390. DVAP & ID-51A transmit problem?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-23 20:44:22 UTC
From: douglas_jackson@ymail.com
Topic: 2390 Message: 2390

I have DVAP, 70cm, [s/n AP700291] with ID-51A that have worked in the past, both on laptop & RPI.

I can ID, Ecko test, unlink & link, plus monitor REF001C & REF030C, but it appears that I can not transmit? I have a DV Dongle with the DVAP Dongle on the same laptop.

In the past I have logged with GPS on the DStar Info site, with no problems. Now I can hear conversation via the 51A & DVAP, but they can not hear me.

I have looked at the Calibration program, but this appears to be only for the VHF 144 DVAP?

Robin to you have any suggestions? Josh @ HRO only suggested I contact you.

Thanks, Doug KI4DVB

2391. Re: DVAP & ID-51A transmit problem?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-24 02:53:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2390 Message: 2391

Hi Doug. Try changing the frequency in DVAPTool +/- 5/10 kHz to see if you are slightly off frequency (while keeping the radio frequency the original value).

Given that you are able to run the ID and echo test commands, it doesn't look like it is off frequency though. I see you transmit on your DV Dongle on REF030 but don't see any attempt to transmit with the DVAP. Does your radio have the same callsign as DVAPTool (with a space in the 8th character of mycall)?

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> Thanks, Doug KI4DVB
>

2392. Re: DVAP & ID-51A transmit problem?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-24 16:16:01 UTC
From: douglas_jackson@ymail.com
Topic: 2390 Message: 2392

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>
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>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
> Robin, Many thanks for your inputs. The problem was operator error!
Josh with HRO helped me with the ID51 settings. I had to got back to CQCQCQCQ after getting to the REF030C!
73,
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2393. Just getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-24 21:27:37 UTC
From: Richard K
Topic: 2393 Message: 2393

Hi,

Just a few basic questions ... I am running an ICOM-51a with RTSystems programming software and the 70cm DVAP. Everything is working great and I am able to RX / TX by connecting to a reflector.

First question is that, even though I've used the RT's D-Star calculator (it's AWESOME!!), I do get "gateway unknown" on many of the reflectors. Are they just sometimes up and down or is there likely a programming issue?

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Third question is, while I've successfully used the D-Star calculator to program the reflectors, do I also need to manually program the gateways or is what's in the ID-51a already usable somehow?

Fourth question is why would anyone own a D-Star radio and not have a DVAP? It is the coolest technology behind the coolest radio.

Thanks! Rusty KB4SHQ

2394. DVAP Serial Number Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-24 13:31:22 UTC
From: stevef1903
Topic: 2394 Message: 2394

Hi - just getting into this technology and tried to up date new firmware
In the process I must have dumped the unit serial number
How do I reload the Red Dongle serial number
I am supposed to be using this device this weekend in a Ham Radio Youth Day event and I need to get it running real quick
Anything would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you
Stevekv4md

2395. problems with Version Firmwar dvapupdater 105

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-25 00:14:58 UTC
From: mtbeers
Topic: 2395 Message: 2395

Please assist I just ran the Dvap updater 105 and my dvap is no longer taking a feq. I use to use 445.6700 and now it will not take any number. the green light is flashing very fast with a red light.

after running the update Now the dvap does not work what do I do?

Thanks Mike Ka9zrz/

2396. Re: problems with Version Firmwar dvapupdater 105

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-25 13:12:01 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2395 Message: 2396

Hi Mike. Is there a reason you downgraded your firmware from 1.07 to 1.05? That will definitely break your DVAP.

I've posted here before that folks should NOT try updating their firmware unless told to do so.

Where did you get 1.05? I removed it from the dvapdongle.com web site over a month ago.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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> Thanks Mike Ka9zrz/
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2397. Thoughts about using a tablet with the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-25 14:24:00 UTC
From: andrewthall
Topic: 2397 Message: 2397

I know you're working on Android software for the DVAP. I have a Nexus 7 and would love to use it with the dongle. I was wondering about the drain on the tablet's battery. As I'm sure you know, most tablets only have one connection and require an OTG cable for connection to an external USB device.

Can you come up with some sort of configuration where an external power supply could be used to help power the dongle? Otherwise, could you give a reasonable estimate of operating time using the internal battery when starting with a full charge?

Andy, K2OO

2398. RaspberryPI Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-26 14:18:52 UTC
From: NextGen_Users Creator
Topic: 2398 Message: 2398

Anyone know if the Raspberry Pi can be moved from Network to Network and connect appropriately? I would like to take the PI on the road with me when I travel and can share the Verizon installed in my laptop or hotspot my phone. So I would have three WiFi Networks configured.

Thanks for any suggestions / Direction

Brad W4INT

2399. Re: RaspberryPI Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-27 08:54:31 UTC
From: wkendrvr
Topic: 2398 Message: 2399

Yes. You will have to make sure you configure the other networks. I do this with an ATT hotspot and my home network.

There is an image that is floating around that has HALT and REBOOT as radio commands, and for the rare cases where it didn't seem to work I was able to remotely reboot the Pi and get everything working again.

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2400. RE: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-28 00:46:48 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2393 Message: 2400
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Lots of good question, Rusty. Let me take a stab at them.

On your first question, are you connecting to reflectors through a DVAP or a local repeater? With few exceptions for rare outages, reflectors are up 24/7. If you are getting "Gateway Unknown" responses, either the local repeater is not syncing to update its IP addresses for reflectors or, if on a DVAP, you did not have a good Internet connection and when you started up, the DVAP did not get a good list.

Second question, a reflector connects multiple repeaters, Dongles, DVAP and hotspots together. If you're on a DVAP, you can connect to a reflector directly. If you are on a local repeater, you must link that repeater to a reflector. If you link to a repeater (gateway), you are on that repeater AND any other repeaters or reflectors that repeater may be linked to.

Third question, if you have an ID-51A, you don't need to manually program anything. The 51A has reflectors and repeaters programmed in the DR memories already. To access them, press and hold DR. You will see a TO line at the top and a FROM line at the bottom. Highlight the FROM line, press the Blue button and select either Repeater List or Nearest Repeater. Selecting Repeater List lets you select the region and drill down to a specific repeater. If your GPS is turned on, select Nearest Repeater and you will get a list of several repeaters with the closest one at the top of the list.

Back to DR, highlight the TO line and press the Blue botton. Select Your Callsign and scroll to a reflector you want to link to and press PTT. Next scroll to Use Repeater and select for talking (CQCQCQ).

For your fourth question, there isn't a question. I agree. The 51A is the best radio to date and a DVAP is a fantastic add-on. Have fun with D-STAR.

John WB4QDX
From: Richard K [mailto:rustykeighron@...]
Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2013 5:28 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.3272 / Virus Database: 3162/6235 - Release Date: 04/09/13
Internal Virus Database is out of date.

2401. Msg: login failed, repeater busy ... Gateway busy

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-28 01:00:57 UTC
From: ysb1s
Topic: 2401 Message: 2401

I can link to every repeater and reflector that I have tried except our local repeater. When I try to link to my local repeater my ID-51 gets the displayed and spoken message "Remote System Unlinked" and when I looked at the DOS log I saw the messages in the subject line above - "login failed, repeater busy" and a little further down "Gateway busy". A fellow radio club member using a DVAP tried unlinking and relinking to this repeater and got back in with no problem. I would certainly appreciate any suggesstions anyone may have as to what to try next.
Thanks!
Robert

2402. Re: [DVAPDongle] Msg: login failed, repeater busy ... Gateway busy

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-28 02:56:17 UTC
From: David Rush
Topic: 2401 Message: 2402

The gateway system for that repeater may not have your call sign registered... Maybe. What gateway system did you register with? Have your account deleted then reregister with the gateway system. Contact your system admin to accomplish this. Your call sign needs to be ewe stablished with that gateway. Let me know what you find out.

Very Respectfully,

David P. Rush

73's
KV4LH

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 27, 2013, at 22:15, ysb1s <kk4opu@arrl.net> wrote:

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Thanks!
Robert

2403. Re: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-28 03:01:44 UTC
From: David Rush
Topic: 2393 Message: 2403

John,

You have given some of the best well written information I have seen on a forum/bulletin ever! People like you make public forums worth while! Keep up the good work!

Very Respectfully,

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Lots of good question, Rusty. Let me take a stab at them.

On your first question, are you connecting to reflectors through a DVAP or a local repeater? With few exceptions for rare outages, reflectors are up 24/7. If you are getting “Gateway Unknown” responses, either the local repeater is not syncing to update its IP addresses for reflectors or, if on a DVAP, you did not have a good Internet connection and when you started up, the DVAP did not get a good list.

Second question, a reflector connects multiple repeaters, Dongles, DVAP and hotspots together. If you’re on a DVAP, you can connect to a reflector directly. If you are on a local repeater, you must link that repeater to a reflector. If you link to a repeater (gateway), you are on that repeater AND any other repeaters or reflectors that repeater may be linked to.

Third question, if you have an ID-51A, you don’t need to manually program anything. The 51A has reflectors and repeaters programmed in the DR memories already. To access them, press and hold DR. You will see a TO line at the top and a FROM line at the bottom. Highlight the FROM line, press the Blue button and select either Repeater List or Nearest Repeater. Selecting Repeater List lets you select the region and drill down to a specific repeater. If your GPS is turned on, select Nearest Repeater and you will get a list of several repeaters with the closest one at the top of the list.

Back to DR, highlight the TO line and press the Blue botton. Select Your Callsign and scroll to a reflector you want to link to and press PTT. Next scroll to Use Repeater and select for talking (CQCQCQ).

For your fourth question, there isn’t a question. I agree. The 51A is the best radio to date and a DVAP is a fantastic add-on. Have fun with D-STAR.

John WB4QDX

From: Richard K [mailto:rustykeighron@... <rustykeighron@...>]

Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2013 5:28 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

Hi,

Just a few basic questions ... I am running an ICOM-51a with RTSystems programming software and the 70cm DVAP. Everything is working great and I am able to RX / TX by connecting to a reflector.

First question is that, even though I've used the RT's D-Star calculator (it's AWESOME!!), I do get "gateway unknown" on many of the reflectors. Are they just sometimes up and down or is there likely a programming issue?

Second question is that I don't clearly understand the difference between connecting to a to a Reflector (like 30C) or to a Gateway or Repeater (like HRO). I understand what it means to connect to a reflector, but if I connect to a GATEWAY am I connecting to a single repeater location? When you want to have a connection to a specific repeater is that the purpose of a gateway?

Third question is, while I've successfully used the D-Star calculator to program the reflectors, do I also need to manually program the gateways or is what's in the ID-51a already usable somehow?

Fourth question is why would anyone own a D-Star radio and not have a DVAP? It is the coolest technology behind the coolest radio.

Thanks! Rusty KB4SHQ

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2013.0.3272 / Virus Database: 3162/6235 - Release Date: 04/09/13
Internal Virus Database is out of date.

2405. RE: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-28 13:43:36 UTC
From: Donald James
Topic: 2393 Message: 2405

I have to ask: What makes the 51A "the best radio to date"?

Thanks in advance,

N2VU

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Adrian
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 11:26 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

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John WB4QDX

What makes it better than a 92AD John? I asked AES USA for a quote on one recently.

I know they have the SD card, and I hear there has been a microphone membrane cover replacement in design (or retrofit?), to improve the original audio quality.

Are they also submersible?

Adrian ... vk4tux

2407. Re: Msg: login failed, repeater busy ... Gateway busy

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-29 00:06:07 UTC
From: ysb1s
Topic: 2401 Message: 2407

Thank you for the reply! This afternoon I was able to connect to the local repeater. Originally I had been told that there was not a limit to the number of links allowed to the repeater but then today I was told that there in fact is a limit and that is probably why I was not able to access this repeater. I also learned that this repeater reboots every midnight so I assume all existing links are dropped at the reboot. I guess I got lucky and got in today before the limit was reached. From what I have been able to learn (and I'm not sure that this is right...) there is a limit to the number of links to repeaters but no limit to links to reflectors. Thanks again!
73's
Robert

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, David Rush <davidprush@...> wrote:
>
> The gateway system for that repeater may not have your call sign
> registered... Maybe. What gateway system did you register with? Have your
> account deleted then reregister with the gateway system. Contact your
> system admin to accomplish this. Your call sign needs to be ewe stablished
> with that gateway. Let me know what you find out.
>
> Very Respectfully,
>
> David P. Rush
>
> 73's
> KV4LH
>
> Sent from my iPad
>
> On Apr 27, 2013, at 22:15, ysb1s <kk4opu@...> wrote:
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>
> I can link to every repeater and reflector that I have tried except our
> local repeater. When I try to link to my local repeater my ID-51 gets the
> displayed and spoken message "Remote System Unlinked" and when I looked at
> the DOS log I saw the messages in the subject line above - "login failed,
> repeater busy" and a little further down "Gateway busy". A fellow radio
> club member using a DVAP tried unlinking and relinking to this repeater and
> got back in with no problem. I would certainly appreciate any suggesstions
> anyone may have as to what to try next.
> Thanks!
> Robert
>

2408. Re: Just getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-29 14:12:01 UTC
From: Richard K
Topic: 2393 Message: 2408

Adrian, yes, it is submersible. Have NOT tested this feature!!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> For your fourth question, there isnâ□□t a question. I agree. The 51A is
> the best radio to date and a DVAP is a fantastic add-on. Have fun with
> D-STAR.
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2409. RE: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-04-29 15:41:36 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2393 Message: 2409

I do not have a 92AD, but I spent a lot of time with one from a friend evaluating which one to buy. For me, the decision came down to two things. First, I wanted a built-in GPS. That was a deal breaker for me. I also wanted a HT that I could share with my wife and the 51A is much more straightforward to operate for the occasional ham. There are lots of differences, see the specs, but once you bundle in the GPS and ease of use, the 51A is a much nicer option (my opinion). 1: SD card -- I just got mine from Best Buy -- no special version required. The one that I got from HRO did not include an SD card -- AES may be bundling one but the basic unit does not come with an SD card. 2: New microphone membrane -- yes, ICOM has been retrofitting for about a month now. It is easy to tell if yours has been done, just look towards the bottom of the unit where the speaker is -- do you see a white dot just to the right? If so, then it has been mod'ed. All of the new HTs in the pipeline have the mod already done on them. The mod also included upgrading the DSP software. Between the two changes, the 51A works like a champ now. 3: submersible? yup, just like the 92AD. 73. _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: vk4tux@...
Date: Sun, 28 Apr 2013 13:25:40 +1000
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Just getting started

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cover replacement in design (or retrofit?), to improve the original audio quality.

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Adrian ... vk4tux

2411. Dvaptool 1.04 on Mac - Linked receive only ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-01 04:10:07 UTC
From: on4vp
Topic: 2411 Message: 2411

Hi,

I've been using the DVAP red dongle for a while with a raspberry pi. I now installed the DVAP TOOL software on my mac laptop and succesfully started the software. The DVAP is running and I can send commands.

But, the moment I try to connect to a gateway, I always get the message "connected to REF xxxx RECEIVE ONLY" and I see R/O on the screen???

Why can I not transmit and only receive the audio???
All help is welcome. I can transmit with raspberry pi.

Tnx, Phil

2412. I'm registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-01 04:15:58 UTC
From: on4vp
Topic: 2412 Message: 2412

I like to add that I'm registered since months and just checked.

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Registration Information:
Registr.Call
Registration Server
Date of Registration
IP-Address-Pool
ON4VP ON0OS 2012-09-19 14:01:19 10.52.68.136-
10.52.68.143
Activated Terminal-IDs:
Device Call/ID
Registration Server
IP-Address
Last Heard
Repeater
Gateway
ON4VP ON0OS 10.52.68.136 2013-03-25 19:23:12 ON0DP B ON0DP
Registration OK!
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2413. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvaptool 1.04 on Mac - Linked receive only ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-01 13:06:37 UTC
From: David Rush
Topic: 2411 Message: 2413

Make sure your call sign is entered exactly. Include three spaces after your call.

Very Respectfully,

David P. Rush

73's
KV4LH

Sent from my iPad

On May 1, 2013, at 8:25, on4vp <on4vp@...> wrote:

Hi,

I've been using the DVAP red dongle for a while with a raspberry pi. I now installed the DVAP TOOL software on my mac laptop and succesfully started the software. The DVAP is running and I can send commands.

But, the moment I try to connect to a gateway, I always get the message "connected to REF xxxx RECEIVE ONLY" and I see R/O on the screen???

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Tnx, Phil

2414. Re: Dvaptool 1.04 on Mac - Linked receive only ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-01 13:51:45 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2411 Message: 2414

Hi Phil. I checked the logs and you are using a "C" in the 8th character of your callsign field (mycall). You have not, however, registerd a "C" as a terminal. Replace the "C" with a space and it will work.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "on4vp" <on4vp@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I've been using the DVAP red dongle for a while with a raspberry pi. I now installed the DVAP TOOL software on my mac laptop and succesfully started the software. The DVAP is running and I can send commands.
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>
> Tnx, Phil
>

2415. Looking for a used dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-05 23:59:33 UTC
From: chuckn4ued
Topic: 2415 Message: 2415

I am looking for a used 2 m or 440 DVAP .
Thanks Chuck N4UED . n4ued@arrl.net

2416. 2M DVAP stopped working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-07 09:47:30 UTC
From: Bob
Topic: 2416 Message: 2416

I have the red 2M DVAP and have used it for several months. I got a Raspberry Pi and hooked it to that earlier this week. What a fun tool! I am traveling on business this week and decided to take the DVAP with me and use it on my laptop instead of taking the Pi. When I hooked it up and ran DVAP Tool 1.04, it started out as usual but no DVAP was found. Same result on a netbook that I have with me. Uninstalled the DVAP software, removed all references in the registry and re-installed. Still not able to find the DVAP. I do have the pulsating green light, but that's as far as it goes.

Everything on the DVAP tool window is grayed out except the spaces for my call sign and entering the frequency. Searched the DVAP sight and can't find any diagnostic tools. Any suggestions?

Thanks!

Bob
KE4JLL

2417. D-STAR at Dayton Hamvention

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-08 00:15:10 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2417 Message: 2417
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

D-STAR at Dayton Hamvention

Please distribute widely
[cid:image003.png@01CE4B5F.9258C2F0]

Here's the updated list of activities that we know about the Dayton Hamvention(r), please send any updates to info@...<mailto:info@...>
All items are subject to change. Please check www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.DSTARInfo.com> for the latest information.

Schedule of Events

Thursday, May 16th
7:00PM - Pre-Hamvention D-STAR Meet, Greet, and Eyeball QSO<http://www.hamvention.org/events.php>
Marion's Piazza 1320 N Fairfield Rd, Beavercreek, OH 45432 (39:43.596N 084:03.192W) (937) 429-3393

Friday, May 17th
8:00AM - D-STAR InfoCon 2013<http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2013.aspx> (Registration Required<http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2013.aspx>)
Drury Inn Ballroom
A three hour class for beginning and more experienced D-STAR users to help you get started and get the most from your D-STAR radio. An Icom ID-31A will be given away to one lucky class participant during the class.
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D-STAR booths at the Hamvention(r)

Name

Booth #

Bird Technologies Group / TX RX Systems

BA0413 BA0414

ICOM America, Inc.

HA0008 HA0009 HA0010 HA0033 HA0034 HA0035 HA0036 HA0037

Internet Labs, Inc.

HA0029

RT Systems

NH0246

NW Digital Radio

EH0515

Local Dayton Repeaters

Call sign

City

C Module

B Module

Comments

W8RTL<http://apps.dstarinfo.com/Repeater.aspx?Repeater=W8RTL>

Dayton

147.1050 +0.6000

443.0500 +5.0000

Excellent handheld coverage at HARA and all of Dayton

W8HEQ<http://apps.dstarinfo.com/Repeater.aspx?Repeater=W8HEQ>

Dayton

145.2700 -0.6000

444.0875 +5.0000

(In northeast suburb of Huber Heights)
Recommend high power with hand held outdoors at Hamvention(r) HARA Arena.

Dayton Hamvention(r) Reflector REF038C and XRF038C

The Dayton D-STAR gateway will be linked to D-Extra X-Reflector XRF038C during Hamvention weekend. D-Plus REF038C will also be available for the weekend. Both compliments of the Northern Ohio Digital Interconnect Group (NODIG).

Use 446.1000 Digital Code Squelch CSQL use #13 as a D-STAR simplex frequency at Hamvention(r).

2418. D-STAR at Dayton Hamvention

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-08 01:34:03 UTC
From: wb4qdx
Topic: 2417 Message: 2418

Here's the updated list of D-STAR activities at Dayton
Hamvention®, please send any updates to info@...
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2420. -device command line option a bit too strict?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-08 16:40:11 UTC
From: Brian Smith
Topic: 2420 Message: 2420

Does the Linux version of DVAPTool only accept device names on the command line that match the pattern "/dev/ttyUSBxx"? If so, my submission for the wish list is to make it less strict.

I've tried the unique udev path to the DVAP device (/dev/serial/by-id/usb-blahblahblah), as well as an easier to remember symlink to it in my home directory, but DVAPTool rejects both of those. It's not a permissions problem.

The reason for this:
I'm trying to configure both the DVAP and a GPS receiver on the Linux netbook that I use for radio purposes. I already have gpsd configured to use a specific device and therefore ignore the DVAP, but the GPS receiver also uses an FTDI chip and DVAPTool will sometimes try to connect to it if both devices are connected at the same time when DVAPTool starts.

--

Brian Smith WB4ES / avalon73 at caerleon dot us / WWW nexus.caerleon.us

2421. UK DVAP UHF

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-08 19:41:09 UTC
From: g1ypq
Topic: 2421 Message: 2421

Hello Group, I have just received my UHF DVAP Today and am looking for a suitable UHF frequency to operate it on just to be politically correct.
I will be looking at wiring it to an outdoor folded dipole so to maximise my local coverage. I am using it in conjunction with my Icom ID-51 E. very happy with the pair of them. So could anybody tell me what frequency options I have thank you in advance.
Karl G1YPQ

2423. Re: UK DVAP UHF

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-09 21:39:36 UTC
From: carlbirkin@btinternet.com
Topic: 2421 Message: 2423

Hi Karl
I just found a quiet spot at my QTH and tuned it to that.
Good luck with the setup.
Carl M0NOI

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group, I have just received my UHF DVAP Today and am looking for a suitable UHF frequency to operate it on just to be politically correct.
> I will be looking at wiring it to an outdoor folded dipole so to maximise my local coverage. I am using it in conjunction with my Icom ID-51 E. very happy with the pair of them. So could anybody tell me what frequency options I have thank you in advance.
> Karl G1YPQ
>

2424. Re: Thoughts about using a tablet with the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-09 21:42:45 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 2397 Message: 2424

As soon as the Android version is released I'll be able to report whether or not the Nexus 7 dock works well with the DVAP attached to a OTG cable. The dock uses the POGO pins on the Nexus so you won't need to use the USB port for power. I'm really itching for the Android version to be offered.

Cheers,
Robert

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "andrewthall" <thall@...> wrote:
>
> I know you're working on Android software for the DVAP. I have a Nexus 7 and would love to use it with the dongle. I was wondering about the drain on the tablet's battery. As I'm sure you know, most tablets only have one connection and require an OTG cable for connection to an external USB device.
>
> Can you come up with some sort of configuration where an external power supply could be used to help power the dongle? Otherwise, could you give a reasonable estimate of operating time using the internal battery when starting with a full charge?
>
> Andy, K2OO
>

2425. Raspberry Pi and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 02:30:40 UTC
From: NextGen_Users Creator
Topic: 2425 Message: 2425

Hello all. I built my Raspberry Pi and have used it without issue in my home and traveling around town connected to my Phone sharing internet.

Now that I am in Montana it will not work. I have connected to many (2) networks and can surf on the PI but it reports "No Gateways Found"

My Gateway IP address is: 70.196.194.215

2426. Re: Thoughts about using a tablet with the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 04:51:01 UTC
From: andrewthall
Topic: 2397 Message: 2426

I bought a Nexus dock and it didn't work for me. I couldn't get it to provide power to my Nexus 7, so, I had to send it back. Of course, I can't be sure whether the problem was with the dock or with my tablet.

Andy

2427. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: UK DVAP UHF

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 07:50:55 UTC
From: Karl Hobson
Topic: 2421 Message: 2427

Hi Carl

If I am connecting the DVAP to a roof top antenna my footprint could possibly be several miles, I was wondering if there was any agreed frequencies to be used, here in Yorkshire the top half of 70cms seems to be clearer from interference at my location and we suffer a lot from radar, key fobs and the like on the lower portion of the band,.....Regards
Karl

On 9 May 2013 22:39, carlbirkin@... <carlbirkin@...>wrote:

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> Hi Karl
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> Good luck with the setup.
> Carl M0NOI
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
> >
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Karl Hobson
Tel 0744 9988160

2428. Re: Raspberry Pi and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 13:04:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2425 Message: 2428

Hi Brad?

I looked through the logs and did not see any attempts to connect with the name/auth server from your IP. If you provide your callsign, I'll look that up as well.

We had a recent issue where the user could not get UDP packets through their internet modem. Once they switched modems, it all worked. It sounds like you have tried two different connections so that may rule out the modem.

The next thing to check is your antivirus/firewall software. Turn it all off for a test.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "NextGen_Users Creator" <Brad@...> wrote:
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>
> Hello all. I built my Raspberry Pi and have used it without issue in my
> home and traveling around town connected to my Phone sharing internet.
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> networks and can surf on the PI but it reports "No Gateways Found"
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>

2429. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 13:38:08 UTC
From: Brad Trogdon
Topic: 2425 Message: 2429

Thanks for the reply Robin.

In my two testing scenarios I have also turned off the firewall completely when connecting to the shared connection via my laptop. The second conection (WiFi HotSpot) from phone there are no restrictions as to TCP/UDP traffic when connected.

-Brad

On Fri, May 10, 2013 at 9:04 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> Hi Brad?
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> name/auth server from your IP. If you provide your callsign, I'll look that
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> off for a test.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "NextGen_Users Creator" <Brad@...>
> wrote:
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2430. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 13:46:39 UTC
From: Brad Trogdon
Topic: 2425 Message: 2430

Sorry failed to include Call.

W4INT A is what is configured in the DVAP

Brad / W4INT

On Fri, May 10, 2013 at 9:04 AM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> **
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>
> Hi Brad?
>
> I looked through the logs and did not see any attempts to connect with the
> name/auth server from your IP. If you provide your callsign, I'll look that
> up as well.
>
> We had a recent issue where the user could not get UDP packets through
> their internet modem. Once they switched modems, it all worked. It sounds
> like you have tried two different connections so that may rule out the
> modem.
>
> The next thing to check is your antivirus/firewall software. Turn it all
> off for a test.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "NextGen_Users Creator" <Brad@...>
> wrote:
> >
> >
> > Hello all. I built my Raspberry Pi and have used it without issue in my
> > home and traveling around town connected to my Phone sharing internet.
> >
> > Now that I am in Montana it will not work. I have connected to many (2)
> > networks and can surf on the PI but it reports "No Gateways Found"
> >
> > My Gateway IP address is: 70.196.194.215
> >
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2432. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: UK DVAP UHF

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 14:16:45 UTC
From: George Jones
Topic: 2421 Message: 2432

Hi Karl,

There are a couple of issues you need to address when using a DVAP on an external antenna system.
1. The manufacture does not warranty the DVAP from damage caused by a surge resulting from a nearby lightening strike when using an outside antenna.
With that being said, use some type of surge suppression in the antenna line.
2. The transmitter power level is only 10-MW. Feed line loss soon becomes an issue. I have successfully mounted a DVAP in a weather proof box right at the base of
the antenna to minimize feed line loss. I then operate the DVAP over a USB to Ethernet adaptor. CAT 6 cable is run from the tower down into the radio room where it
converted back to USB and connected to a Raspberry Pi computer.
3. Intermod and RX overloading can be a problem due to minimal filtering built into the DVAP. A helical filter in the DVAP antenna line helps with this problem but does
introduce some insertion loss.
4. Operating temperature can vary widely in an outside mounted DVAP box. Use whatever scheme you can devise to keep the box internal temperature within the
DVAP specs.

I hope this helps with your project. Good luck.

George - W4AQR

From: Karl Hobson
Sent: Friday, May 10, 2013 3:50 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: UK DVAP UHF

Hi Carl

If I am connecting the DVAP to a roof top antenna my footprint could possibly be several miles, I was wondering if there was any agreed frequencies to be used, here in Yorkshire the top half of 70cms seems to be clearer from interference at my location and we suffer a lot from radar, key fobs and the like on the lower portion of the band,.....Regards
Karl

On 9 May 2013 22:39, carlbirkin@... <carlbirkin@btinternet.com> wrote:

Hi Karl
I just found a quiet spot at my QTH and tuned it to that.
Good luck with the setup.
Carl M0NOI

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group, I have just received my UHF DVAP Today and am looking for a suitable UHF frequency to operate it on just to be politically correct.

> I will be looking at wiring it to an outdoor folded dipole so to maximise my local coverage. I am using it in conjunction with my Icom ID-51 E. very happy with the pair of them. So could anybody tell me what frequency options I have thank you in advance.
> Karl G1YPQ
>

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Karl Hobson

Tel 0744 9988160

2433. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Thoughts about using a tablet with the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 16:19:44 UTC
From: BEDFORD NEIL
Topic: 2397 Message: 2433

Use a powered hub, I am able to use various other USB items on my tablet
with such a device :-)

Neil.

On 10 May 2013 05:51, andrewthall <thall@thall.net> wrote:

> **
>
>
> I bought a Nexus dock and it didn't work for me. I couldn't get it to
> provide power to my Nexus 7, so, I had to send it back. Of course, I can't
> be sure whether the problem was with the dock or with my tablet.
>
> Andy
>
>
>

2434. Basic Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 16:22:01 UTC
From: kb9vq
Topic: 2434 Message: 2434

I connected my DVAPDongle (70cm) to the internet: the blue light is flashing. However, the MY: UR: R1: and R2: fields are empty. How do I fill these fields?

2435. Basic Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 17:43:52 UTC
From: kb9vq
Topic: 2434 Message: 2435

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2436. Re: [DVAPDongle] Basic Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 19:03:46 UTC
From: Karl Hobson
Topic: 2434 Message: 2436

These are empty until you key your radio with the right frequency and settings for the DVAP. New to this myself, and learning everyday
Regards

Karl Hobson
Mob 0744 9988 160

On 10 May 2013, at 17:22, "kb9vq" <kb9vq@yahoo.com> wrote:

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2437. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: UK DVAP UHF

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-10 19:34:10 UTC
From: Karl Hobson
Topic: 2421 Message: 2437

Many thanks George,
Issues I had not initially thought about, the idea is to maximise coverage around the home and garden not particularly the whole neighbourhood, I do have power and Ethernet in the loft space, so indeed I should think about having the antenna indoors with short coax run. I have failed miserably with the raspberry pi but have a friend fully conversant that is going to configure it for me next week, I am very happy with my purchases and look forward to making new friends and chatting to the world.....have a great weekend George and thanks for your interesting information.
(I usually hang around reflector 5A)

Regards

Karl Hobson
Mob 0744 9988 160

On 10 May 2013, at 15:16, "George Jones" <w4aqr@...> wrote:

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> --
> Karl Hobson
> Tel 0744 9988160
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>

2438. Re: Basic Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-11 12:25:47 UTC
From: mark291us
Topic: 2434 Message: 2438

Have you also programed the radio? Don't forget to fill in thos fields on your radio. Just checking all the basics.
73,W5MHG,
Mark
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2439. Re: Basic Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-11 12:56:52 UTC
From: kb9vq
Topic: 2434 Message: 2439

Karl:

Thank you.

Perry
KB9VQ

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2440. DVAP + ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-11 21:32:16 UTC
From: g1ypq
Topic: 2440 Message: 2440

Hello Group, I have configured my UHF DVAP to work with my ID-51,
I can work reflectors no problem, I have my DVAP settings in the FROM
(All Good At This Point)when i try to put a repeater in the TO it wont let me select a repeater, or if I go to Gateway CQ it wont let me select that option, this is very frustrating, I would like to select my DVAP in FROM and select any repeater I choose in the TO.

Can any body tell me what I am doing wrong....Many Thanks In Advance.

Regards

Karl G1YPQ

2441. Re: [DVAPDongle] Range of my 70cm DVAP shrinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-12 00:42:13 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2441 Message: 2441

Interesting, but even residential neighborhoods are variable. Structures change the radiation patterns by moving the hose or parking a car differently.

It is also possible that the original antenna is broken. The original antenna didn't last a week, so I use an HT antenna on the dvap.

Report back?

73,
Mickey N4MB

On Fri, May 10, 2013 at 10:03 AM, albertkarel <arkarel@gmail.com> wrote:

> **
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>
> First...I love me DVAP.
>
> I walk the dog twice a day and the DVAP has always given me
> 3 block range, in all directions. In the last two weeks, the
> range has noticeably shrunk to 2 blocks or less. Nothing has
> changed in the physical location of the antenna, or anything
> else that I can see.
>
> I run SRH77CA Diamond antenna...about a foot and a half long,
> and a Raspberry Pi running G4KLX software, the most recent
> version.
>
> I unscrew that antenna and screw on the stock stubby antenna
> about 3 times a week for portable and mobile operation.
>
> I read the thread on the calibration problem, but thought that
> this problem had been solved.
>
> Any suggestions will be appreciated. Can I ship it back for
> an evaluation?
>
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>

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Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*“Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me, and I will learn.” *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

2442. DVAP with ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-12 20:00:32 UTC
From: g1ypq
Topic: 2442 Message: 2442

Hello Group I am struggling with the correct settings for my ID-51 working through my UHF DVAP. I can work through any of the reflectors in my reflector list but I am unable to connect via any repeaters, in fact i cant even access Gateway CQ in the TO field, just beeping when i try to access Gateway CQ. My access channel to the DVAP is set up in the SIMPLEX menu memory and I believe this is where my problem lies.

If I go to from and select near repeater and choose my local repeater,
I can then go to TO select Gateway CQ and choose any repeater.

I am now pulling my hair out....

If anyone could help me how to correctly program the ID-51 I would be extremely grateful,,.....Thank You

2443. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-13 01:32:23 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2442 Message: 2443
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I think I have posted the instructions for using a DVAP earlier in this group so you may want to search for any messages. However, if you are using the factory load for the repeater list, it's very easy to use a DVAP. Press DV and hold for a second, select FROM and press the BLUE button. Select repeater list and scroll down until you see Simplex/DVAP near the bottom of the list. You should have some default DVAP frequencies set and you can select one if you are using one of those if your DVAP is set to one of those frequencies.

NOTE: If your DVAP uses another frequency, you will need to edit your Repeater List to include your DVAP frequency and save it in the Repeater List.

Press the left CS button to get back to the TO and FROM display. Select TO, press the BLUE button, select YOUR CALL SIGN and USE Repeater. Now you're set for to use the DVAP. To link tot a reflector, highlight the TO field, turn the knob to the reflector you want and key the mic. Once the reflector responds a linked, scroll back to Use Repeater.

Sounds kind of complicated to start, but once you have your DVAP frequency stored in the Repeater List, it's easy to use a DVAP with your 51A. Oh, don't forget to lower your power on the 51 when using the DVAP. I always set mine to SLO (100mW) because the DVAP is only transmitting 10 mW. That will prevent overloading the DVAP front end.

John WB4QDX

From: g1ypq [mailto:karlhobson66@...]
Sent: Sunday, May 12, 2013 4:01 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with ID-51

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Version: 2013.0.3336 / Virus Database: 3162/6317 - Release Date: 05/11/13

2444. Low Flutter On Transmit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-13 17:10:07 UTC
From: n7jnd
Topic: 2444 Message: 2444

Greetings All,

After receiving my new DVAP last week, I notice there is a low frequency flutter on the transmitted signal from the DVAP. It's certainly not distracting, but is this normal with the DVAP? It's there on both my home computer and work computer.

Thanks & 73,

Chris - N7JND

2445. Re: Low Flutter On Transmit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-13 17:34:58 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2444 Message: 2445

Hi Chris. When run in DSTAR mode, the DVAP is digital only so there is no analog channel to cause flutter. Do you hear the same when you use the radio to talk directly to a repeater?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n7jnd" <n7jnd@...> wrote:
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>
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>
> Thanks & 73,
>
> Chris - N7JND
>

2446. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Low Flutter On Transmit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-13 18:22:35 UTC
From: n7jnd@...
Topic: 2444 Message: 2446
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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2447. DVAP as HotSpot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-14 05:48:29 UTC
From: jorgenbodholdt
Topic: 2447 Message: 2447

Can you drive with DVAP as a hotSpot Repeater ?

2448. Re: DVAP with ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-14 12:26:23 UTC
From: g1ypq
Topic: 2442 Message: 2448

Yes I have added my DVAP frequency under my simplex channels.

NOTE: If your DVAP uses another frequency, you will need to edit your Repeater List to include your DVAP frequency and save it in the Repeater List.

Could you tell me the correct way to write my DVAP into the Repeater List Thankyou

Karl

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>
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> John WB4QDX
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> From: g1ypq [mailto:karlhobson66@...]
> Sent: Sunday, May 12, 2013 4:01 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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2449. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP as HotSpot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-14 13:53:47 UTC
From: Brad Trogdon
Topic: 2447 Message: 2449

I do with my RaspberrtPi device connected to the internet Via a cellular MiFi that provides access to the internet.

W4INT. /Brad

-Brad
On May 14, 2013 3:30 AM, "jorgenbodholdt" <oz3jbp@...> wrote:

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2450. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP with ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-14 13:55:34 UTC
From: Carl Soranno
Topic: 2442 Message: 2450

i use a memory space for each command to the dvap. the simplex frequency will always be the same. the differences will be in the "ur call" space. There you will enter the reflector you want to connect to. It should look something like. ref010c---L. where the final space will either be L for link or U for unlink. you will also need a memory spot for the CQCQCQ command, still with the same simplex frequency. This will enable you to talk once you are connected. After you are linked to the reflector of your choice(which you programmed in) then you can flip over to the cq memory slot to talk. when done simply flip over to the unlink command memory. Hopefully you will find this helpful. Please let me know so i know that my posts are not just annoying to the group.

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Carl
K2TZY

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-14 15:43:45 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2442 Message: 2451
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

You can certainly do it as memory locations. That’s the way I used to do it on my 92AD. However, with the DR memories, if you store your DVAP frequency ONCE in the Repeater List, then you can use all of the Reflectors and link/unlink commands in the TO list to go where you want. That frees the memory locations for other stuff including the old analog repeaters. Hi Hi.

John WB4QDX

From: Carl Soranno [mailto:csoranno@optonline.net]
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Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP with ID-51

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Yes I have added my DVAP frequency under my simplex channels.

NOTE: If your DVAP uses another frequency, you will need to edit your Repeater List to include your DVAP frequency and save it in the Repeater List.

Could you tell me the correct way to write my DVAP into the Repeater List Thankyou

Karl

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>, John Davis <wb4qdx@...> wrote:
>
> I think I have posted the instructions for using a DVAP earlier in this group so you may want to search for any messages. However, if you are using the factory load for the repeater list, it's very easy to use a DVAP. Press DV and hold for a second, select FROM and press the BLUE button. Select repeater list and scroll down until you see Simplex/DVAP

near the bottom of the list. You should have some default DVAP frequencies set and you can select one if you are using one of those if your DVAP is set to one of those frequencies.
>
> NOTE: If your DVAP uses another frequency, you will need to edit your Repeater List to include your DVAP frequency and save it in the Repeater List.
>
> Press the left CS button to get back to the TO and FROM display. Select TO, press the BLUE button, select YOUR CALL SIGN and USE Repeater. Now you're set for to use the DVAP. To link tot a reflector, highlight the TO field, turn the knob to the reflector you want and key the mic. Once the reflector responds a linked, scroll back to Use Repeater.
>
> Sounds kind of complicated to start, but once you have your DVAP frequency stored in the Repeater List, it's easy to use a DVAP with your 51A. Oh, don't forget to lower your power on the 51 when using the DVAP. I always set mine to SLO (100mW) because the DVAP is only transmitting 10 mW. That will prevent overloading the DVAP front end.
>
> John WB4QDX
>
> From: g1ypq [mailto:karlhobson66@...]
> Sent: Sunday, May 12, 2013 4:01 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with ID-51
>
>
>
> Hello Group I am struggling with the correct settings for my ID-51 working through my UHF DVAP. I can work through any of the reflectors in my reflector list but I am unable to connect via any repeaters, in fact i cant even access Gateway CQ in the TO field, just beeping when i try to access Gateway CQ. My access channel to the DVAP is set up in the SIMPLEX menu memory and I believe this is where my problem lies.
>
> If I go to from and select near repeater and choose my local repeater,
> I can then go to TO select Gateway CQ and choose any repeater.
>
> I am now pulling my hair out....
>
> If anyone could help me how to correctly program the ID-51 I would be extremely grateful,,.....Thank You
>
> _____
> No virus found in this message.
> Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com><http://www.avg.com>
> Version: 2013.0.3336 / Virus Database: 3162/6317 - Release Date: 05/11/13
>

_____
No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.3336 / Virus Database: 3162/6317 - Release Date: 05/11/13

2452. ID-51 + DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-15 07:39:40 UTC
From: g1ypq
Topic: 2452 Message: 2452

Morning Gentlemen, I still cant configure my ID-51E to access the repeater list only the reflector list, I have tried to put my DVAP in the repeater list and the error message I get on the computer screen in The DOS style DVAP box is
Ignoring transmissions from radio not in simplex mode RPT1/RPT2 must be set to DIRECT

This is how I have programmed my memory channel for the DVAP

NAME Karl's DVAP
SUB NAME UK
RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ B
GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ G
OP FREQ 438.6000000
DUP -DUP
Offset 0.000000
USE FROM YES

there must be someone out there that is using the ID-31/51 with the DVAP that can point me in the right direction.

Regards

Karl

2453. Dvap start error message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-15 08:12:08 UTC
From: iz8twx
Topic: 2453 Message: 2453

Hello everyone, just start the DVAP I get the following message: You are running the latest version of DVAP. Please check the dongle DVAP yahoo group for future update. My version is the 1.04. thanks

2454. DVAP START MESSAGE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-15 17:20:28 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2454 Message: 2454

Hello everyone, I would like to know why 'just start the DVAP version 1.04 the following message: You are running the latest or DVAP TOO, Please check the DVAP DONGLE yahoo group for future software updates. thanks

2455. DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-15 21:23:12 UTC
From: KC9KOA
Topic: 2455 Message: 2455

Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?

2456. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-15 22:40:52 UTC
From: John Elliott
Topic: 2455 Message: 2456

The SSID and PSK of it.

John

On May 15, 2013, at 4:23 PM, KC9KOA <kc9koa@gmail.com> wrote:

> Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?
>
>

2457. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID-51 + DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-15 23:23:18 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2452 Message: 2457
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Karl:
You are putting this in the regular memory, not the Repeater List. Which software are you using, if any? However, it will work if you program a memory as follows:

Frequency: You DVAP frequency
Name: Whatever you want
DUP: Simplex
Offset: doesn't matter
UR: CQCQCQ
RPT1: blank or Direct
RPT2: blank

From: g1ypq [mailto:karlhobson66@...]
Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2013 3:40 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ID-51 + DVAP

Morning Gentlemen, I still cant configure my ID-51E to access the repeater list only the reflector list, I have tried to put my DVAP in the repeater list and the error message I get on the computer screen in The DOS style DVAP box is
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RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ B
GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ G
OP FREQ 438.6000000
DUP -DUP
Offset 0.000000
USE FROM YES

there must be someone out there that is using the ID-31/51 with the DVAP that can point me in the right direction.

Regards

Karl

2458. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 04:34:25 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2455 Message: 2458

Mine worked out of the box. Port 20001 is open, as well as most everthing else...
73,
Mickey N4MB

On Wed, May 15, 2013 at 5:23 PM, KC9KOA <kc9koa@gmail.com> wrote:

> **
>
>
> Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?
>
>
>

--
Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*“Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me, and I will learn.” *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

2459. Re: DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 12:35:54 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2455 Message: 2459

I believe it's ports 20001 thru 20005 UDP. And since the DVAP software only connects outbound, no ports need to be forwarded.

Ken - KC4YOZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "KC9KOA" <kc9koa@...> wrote:
>
> Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?
>

2460. Re: DVAP START MESSAGE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 12:39:02 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2454 Message: 2460

That's normal. It just tells you that your software is up-to-date.

Ken - KC4YOZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "iz2twx" <ntnpaolino@...> wrote:
>
> Hello everyone, I would like to know why 'just start the DVAP version 1.04 the following message: You are running the latest or DVAP TOO, Please check the DVAP DONGLE yahoo group for future software updates. thanks
>

2461. Re: ID-51 + DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 13:18:33 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2452 Message: 2461

I don't have one, but it seems to me that the radio should be in simplex mode, not duplex with an offset of zero. On other radios, when you do that, RPT1/RPT2 are automatically set to DIRECT or NOT*USE.

Ken
KC4YOZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Morning Gentlemen, I still cant configure my ID-51E to access the repeater list only the reflector list, I have tried to put my DVAP in the repeater list and the error message I get on the computer screen in The DOS style DVAP box is
> Ignoring transmissions from radio not in simplex mode RPT1/RPT2 must be set to DIRECT
>
> This is how I have programmed my memory channel for the DVAP
>
> NAME Karl's DVAP
> SUB NAME UK
> RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ B
> GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ G
> OP FREQ 438.6000000
> DUP -DUP
> Offset 0.000000
> USE FROM YES
>
> there must be someone out there that is using the ID-31/51 with the DVAP that can point me in the right direction.
>
> Regards
>
> Karl
>

2462. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 13:29:13 UTC
From: Brad Trogdon
Topic: 2455 Message: 2462

I use mine with the MiFi. Its no different than connecting it to any other Wireless network. I added a USB WiFi to my RaspberryPi and no additional drivers required. Just worker.

Good luck.

Brad. / W4INT

-Brad
On May 15, 2013 2:53 PM, "KC9KOA" <kc9koa@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?
>
>
>

2463. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 15:44:15 UTC
From: KC9KOA
Topic: 2455 Message: 2463

That was supposed to read ports...

Thomas M. Bingham

On May 15, 2013, at 17:40, John Elliott <ohdontrollyoureyes@...> wrote:

> The SSID and PSK of it.
>
> John
>
> On May 15, 2013, at 4:23 PM, KC9KOA <kc9koa@gmail.com> wrote:
>
>>
>> Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?
>
>

2464. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP W/ Verizon MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 16:12:27 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2455 Message: 2464

Dvap needs a host, like a raspberry pi, laptop or desktop, which will access the mifi with a wireless 802.11 connection.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

KC9KOA <kc9koa@gmail.com> wrote:

>That was supposed to read ports...
>
>Thomas M. Bingham
>
>On May 15, 2013, at 17:40, John Elliott <ohdontrollyoureyes@me.com> wrote:
>
>> The SSID and PSK of it.
>>
>> John
>>
>> On May 15, 2013, at 4:23 PM, KC9KOA <kc9koa@gmail.com> wrote:
>>
>>>
>>> Does anyone know what parts the DVAP needs to access on a Verizon MIFI?
>>
>>

2465. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-51 + DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 18:45:51 UTC
From: Peter Tasker
Topic: 2452 Message: 2465

Are you sure that you have put your call sign in "My Station" " My Call Sign"

The offset must be set to - with a frequency offset of 0000

Hope this helps

Peter
De G6VBJ

Peter Tasker
Sent from my iPad

On 16 May 2013, at 14:18, "Ken" <kc4yoz@...> wrote:

> I don't have one, but it seems to me that the radio should be in simplex mode, not duplex with an offset of zero. On other radios, when you do that, RPT1/RPT2 are automatically set to DIRECT or NOT*USE.
>
> Ken
> KC4YOZ
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@...m, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
> >
> > Morning Gentlemen, I still cant configure my ID-51E to access the repeater list only the reflector list, I have tried to put my DVAP in the repeater list and the error message I get on the computer screen in The DOS style DVAP box is
> > Ignoring transmissions from radio not in simplex mode RPT1/RPT2 must be set to DIRECT
> >
> > This is how I have programmed my memory channel for the DVAP
> >
> > NAME Karl's DVAP
> > SUB NAME UK
> > RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ B
> > GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ G
> > OP FREQ 438.6000000
> > DUP -DUP
> > Offset 0.000000
> > USE FROM YES
> >
> > there must be someone out there that is using the ID-31/51 with the DVAP that can point me in the right direction.
> >
> > Regards
> >
> > Karl
> >

>
>

2466. Re: DVAP START MESSAGE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 18:51:12 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 2454 Message: 2466

Wished it told you it was out of date instead of telling you it is up to date.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Ken" <kc4yoz@...> wrote:
>
> That's normal. It just tells you that your software is up-to-date.
>
> Ken - KC4YOZ
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "iz2twx" <ntnpaolino@> wrote:
> >
> > Hello everyone, I would like to know why 'just start the DVAP version 1.04 the following message: You are running the latest or DVAP TOO, Please check the DVAP DONGLE yahoo group for future software updates. thanks
> >
>

2467. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Thoughts about using a tablet with the DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 16:42:19 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2397 Message: 2467

The dvap on the nexus is a very real idea, lookup kc2idb on YouTube you will see the nexus 7 operating a moencomm board...

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

BEDFORD NEIL <barrymung@ntlworld.com> wrote:

>Use a powered hub, I am able to use various other USB items on my tablet
>with such a device :-)
>
>Neil.
>
>
>On 10 May 2013 05:51, andrewthall <thall@thall.net> wrote:
>
>> **
>>
>>
>> I bought a Nexus dock and it didn't work for me. I couldn't get it to
>> provide power to my Nexus 7, so, I had to send it back. Of course, I can't
>> be sure whether the problem was with the dock or with my tablet.
>>
>> Andy
>>
>>
>>

2469. RE: [DVAPDongle] Dvap start error message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-16 23:42:11 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2453 Message: 2469

I do not believe that it is possible to cancel that dialog box via a command line. However I have found that there is no problem leaving it hanging around. The DVAP works prefectly fine with the dialog box visible.

Hope that helps.

73.

_-_-_ Dave

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: ntnpaolino@...
Date: Wed, 15 May 2013 08:12:08 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap start error message

Hello everyone, just start the DVAP I get the following message: You are running the latest version of DVAP. Please check the dongle DVAP yahoo group for future update. My version is the 1.04. thanks

2471. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-51 + DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-17 12:35:26 UTC
From: Karl Hobson
Topic: 2452 Message: 2471

Hi Adrian
I am using the Icom CS-51 Software for radio programming and DVAP Tool 1.04
for the DVAP
Thanks for your patience with my situation
Regards
Karl

On 16 May 2013 21:31, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> ** Karl, I did not see mention of the software being used & there are
> choices.
> John Davis gave you the correct setup for DVAPTool.
>
> for JN software where Rpt validation is on(if off will work as per above)
> , your settings are correct as long as it meets;
>
> # = space
>
> RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ##B
> GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ##G
>
> OP FREQ 438.6000000
> DUP -DUP
> Offset 0.000000
> USE FROM YES
>
> so you need two spaces there, same format as using the HT direct with a
> repeater,
> only: dup =on, offset set zero as you stated.
>
> Which software are you using?
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
>
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
> >
>
> >
> > This is how I have programmed my memory channel for the DVAP

> >
> > NAME Karl's DVAP
> > SUB NAME UK
> > RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ B
> > GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ G
> > OP FREQ 438.6000000
> > DUP -DUP
> > Offset 0.000000
> > USE FROM YES
> >
> > there must be someone out there that is using the ID-31/51 with the DVAP
> that can point me in the right direction.
> >
> > Regards
> >
> > Karl
> >
>
>
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>

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Karl Hobson
Tel 0744 9988160

2472. No Return on my call

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-17 23:37:11 UTC
From: rmgraves53
Topic: 2472 Message: 2472

Seems like all is working with DVAP except I dont get answered when I make calls. I see Info and Hear Audio from Gateway I'm connected to but no one answers my call. I did Record and Playback,Soundes good. Already have DVDongle but wanted to Upgrade to DVAP..SO far no Luck! Ideas? Hints? HELP!
Randy

2473. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap start error message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-18 02:34:27 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2453 Message: 2473

Might on Linux, but *not* on Windows.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: vk4tux@...
Date: Fri, 17 May 2013 01:53:07 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap start error message

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dave Wickert wrote:

>

> I do not believe that it is possible to cancel that dialog box via a

command line. >

It is if you run it in linux command mode, which takes away all these

unsightly gui elements ;-)

Adrian ... vk4tux

2475. RE: [DVAPDongle] No Return on my call

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-18 16:39:11 UTC
From: Dan Mattews
Topic: 2472 Message: 2475

What is your callsign?

Possibly your registration is not correct?

Check it here.

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of rmgraves53
Sent: Friday, May 17, 2013 4:37 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] No Return on my call

Seems like all is working with DVAP except I dont get answered when I make calls. I see Info and Hear Audio from Gateway I'm connected to but no one answers my call. I did Record and Playback,Soundes good. Already have DVDongle but wanted to Upgrade to DVAP..SO far no Luck! Ideas? Hints? HELP!
Randy

2476. Icom 2200H?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-18 23:35:13 UTC
From: Dave S.
Topic: 2476 Message: 2476

I'm wondering if anyone has successfully used an Icom 2200H with their DVAP? It appears that you can't have empty repeater fields in the RSS, and was curious how this affects things, or what the workaround might be. Thanks.

Dave S. W2PAX
Naples, FL
csxtbonevalley@...

2478. Re: Range of my 70cm DVAP shrinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-19 12:04:14 UTC
From: Richard K
Topic: 2441 Message: 2478

I am amazed at the range of my 70cm DVAP and ID-51a. I just got the SRH-77CA from HRO for the DVAP and even at Super Lo power on my HT with the standard antenna I get a 1 mile range in the neighborhood. Wow.

Rusty
KB4SHQ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mickey Baker <fishflorida@...> wrote:
>
> Interesting, but even residential neighborhoods are variable. Structures
> change the radiation patterns by moving the hose or parking a car
> differently.
>
> It is also possible that the original antenna is broken. The original
> antenna didn't last a week, so I use an HT antenna on the dvap.
>
> Report back?
>
> 73,
> Mickey N4MB
>
>
> On Fri, May 10, 2013 at 10:03 AM, albertkarel <arkarel@...> wrote:
>
> > **
> >
> >
> > First...I love me DVAP.
> >
> > I walk the dog twice a day and the DVAP has always given me
> > 3 block range, in all directions. In the last two weeks, the
> > range has noticeably shrunk to 2 blocks or less. Nothing has
> > changed in the physical location of the antenna, or anything
> > else that I can see.
> >
> > I run SRH77CA Diamond antenna...about a foot and a half long,
> > and a Raspberry Pi running G4KLX software, the most recent
> > version.
> >
> > I unscrew that antenna and screw on the stock stubby antenna
> > about 3 times a week for portable and mobile operation.
> >
> > I read the thread on the calibration problem, but thought that
> > this problem had been solved.
> >

> > Any suggestions will be appreciated. Can I ship it back for
> > an evaluation?
> >
> >
> >
>
>
>
> --
> Mickey Baker, N4MB
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> *"Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me,
> and I will learn." *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.
>

2479. DVAP 2m and 70cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-19 15:05:48 UTC
From: jorgenbodholdt
Topic: 2479 Message: 2479

I have 2 DVAP, one 2m and one 70cm
70 cm run fine
but 2m is I 'Disconnec Protocol Timed Out' after 3-4 minutes
(FW version 1.5)

OZ3JBP Jørgen

2480. dvap 70cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-20 19:35:44 UTC
From: Jack
Topic: 2480 Message: 2480

hi all
can any member help me in seting up my dvap dongle. to my icom id51.i have the 70cm dongle
if any one will be so kind to talk to me in seting this up please
kind regards
Jack
m3hzw

2481. Re: ID-51 + DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-20 19:39:57 UTC
From: Jack
Topic: 2452 Message: 2481

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Morning Gentlemen, I still cant configure my ID-51E to access the repeater list only the reflector list, I have tried to put my DVAP in the repeater list and the error message I get on the computer screen in The DOS style DVAP box is
> Ignoring transmissions from radio not in simplex mode RPT1/RPT2 must be set to DIRECT
>
> This is how I have programmed my memory channel for the DVAP
>
> NAME Karl's DVAP
> SUB NAME UK
> RPT CALLSIGN G1YPQ B
> GATEWAY CALLSIGN G1YPQ G
> OP FREQ 438.6000000
> DUP -DUP
> Offset 0.000000
> USE FROM YES
>
> there must be someone out there that is using the ID-31/51 with the DVAP that can point me in the right direction.
>
> Regards
>
> Karl
>
hi karl
hope you ok .
i have just receved the dvap and wondering if you all set up with yours now
i am looking for some help when you have a few mins to help me please
jack
m3hzw

2482. New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-21 20:39:55 UTC
From: n1pqg
Topic: 2482 Message: 2482

Hello to the group.

I've successfully connected to my DVAP running v 1.04. I have the Icom set to the lowest power setting as suggested. I can connect to pretty much any of the reflectors (REF004B for example) and monitor traffic, but when I connect I get the audio 'remote system linked receive only'. And when I try to transmit, I get the audio message 'link currently established.' I don't seem to be able to transmit onto the network.

My callsign on the radio and on the DVAPTool are the same. I didn't use the 'A' in the 8th character place as suggested but not required as I have no idea what that's for. I believe my call is registered correctly in the system. As I said, I can connect and monitor. I just can't transmit into the network via the DVAP.

Lastly, I'm good with what a repeater does in the Dstar world, but I am not clear on what a reflector is, what a gateway is, how they differ, and how to use them. I'm not necessarily looking for the beginners guide to using Dstar, but if someone knows where I could find such a guide it would be much appreciated. To a newcomer such as myself it's awfully confusing.

2483. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-21 23:05:12 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2482 Message: 2483

after you link, you need to transmit with "cqcqcq" in the urcall field.

--Fran, W1FJM

<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ccdl.us%2F>
<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>

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On Tue, May 21, 2013 at 4:39 PM, n1pqg <n1pqg@...> wrote:

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2484. Re: New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-21 23:08:57 UTC
From: n1pqg
Topic: 2482 Message: 2484

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n1pqg" <n1pqg@...> wrote:
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I'm the OP, edit to the above: Now I'm not sure I'm properly registered. Is there a way to check?

2485. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-21 23:19:14 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 2482 Message: 2485

Although I have been told the A is not necessary, I got the same message as you until I added it - then it worked fine. Try adding the A in the DVAP software window.

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of n1pqg
Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2013 4:40 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

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2486. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-21 23:26:51 UTC
From: Dan Mattews
Topic: 2482 Message: 2486

Hello

For starters your dstar registration is not completed correctly

See this URL

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=n1pqg

You need to log back into that dstar registration and follow the directions such as these...

http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html

If I can help you any further.you can email me off line

WA6JFK at arrl.net

Brian

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of n1pqg
Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2013 1:40 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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2488. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-21 23:58:58 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2482 Message: 2488

you can check here, http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php, but it looks like
you never completed the registration.You don't have any terminals. Contact
the gateway admin for instructions

--Fran

<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ccdl.us%2F>
<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>

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2489. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-22 02:53:12 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 2482 Message: 2489

N1PQG asked, among other things:

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> not clear on what a reflector is, what a gateway is, how they differ, and
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> be much appreciated. To a newcomer such as myself it's awfully confusing.

A reflector is similar to a repeater, but numerous stations can connect to
a reflector and whatever is said on one repeater is then reflected back to
all of the repeaters. You may think of it like a yahoogroups "mailing
list."

A gateway is the part of a digital repeater that allows your voice message
to be sent (over the Internet) to other repeaters and reflectors instead
of just to the one repeater that you are using.

Sorry, I don't have a link to a guide such as you requested.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

2490. Re: New DVAP / Icom ID-51 User Could Use a Little Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-22 09:31:38 UTC
From: n1pqg
Topic: 2482 Message: 2490

Thanks much all. Yes, I wasn't fully registered but didn't realize it. I believe I'm registered now and will take another run at it today. Your help is very much appreciated.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n1pqg" wrote:
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> but when I connect I get the audio 'remote system linked receive only'.
> And when I try to transmit, I get the audio message 'link currently
> established.' I don't seem to be able to transmit onto the network.
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> Looks like you are registered on WB1GOF with no activated terminals (IP
> address)
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> see;
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> http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html
> <http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html>
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> attention to;
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> 8 Once your registration has been approved, you will be able to log
> into the system and configure your personal information. THIS STEP IS
> REQUIRED. Once you are logged in, click on "Personal
> Information" at the right of the page. You should see a web page
> similar to the following.
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> â□£9 Click on the checkbox next to the number "1". Then
> click inside the "Initial" box to the right of your callsign on

> the same line as the number "1". Type in a single space
> character. This will not show up but is very important. Do not click
> on the "RPT" check box. In the "pcname" box, enter your
> callsign in lower case followed by a dash "-" followed by your
> type of radio, e.g. 2820 or dvdongle. All characters in the
> "pcname" box should be lower case and there should be no spaces.
> Your web page should look similar to the following page (with your
> personal information shown). When complete, click on "Update".
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> 1.
> â□£10 Once you have clicked "Update", you should see the
> following popup box.
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> 1.
> â□£11 Click "OK" and your registration is COMPLETE! You
> may log out and begin using the D-Star network.
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> 1.
> Welcome to D-Star!!!
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> popup box.

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> 11 Click "OK" and your registration is COMPLETE! You may log
> out and begin using the D-Star network
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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2491. Dvaptool.exe system error running windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-22 19:53:28 UTC
From: n2isp
Topic: 2491 Message: 2491

here is the error I am getting Dvaptool.exe system error running windows 8

The program can't start because dnssd.dll is missing from your computer. try reinstalling the program to fix this problem.

Did it 2 time restarted the pc and still did not work. The green light is flashing on the dv dongle.

Please help

Charley N2ISP

2492. DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-22 22:52:07 UTC
From: k7hje
Topic: 2492 Message: 2492

Hello

I have installed the DVAPTool 1.04 and I can receive but no transmission is heard on the other end. The system op for the repeater can't figure it out either. I have everything configured correctly, any suggestions ?

Hugo
K7HJR

2493. Re: Dvaptool.exe system error running windows 8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-22 23:22:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2491 Message: 2493

Hi Charley. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at http://www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n2isp" <charley@...> wrote:
>
> here is the error I am getting Dvaptool.exe system error running windows 8
>
> The program can't start because dnssd.dll is missing from your computer. try reinstalling the program to fix this problem.
>
> Did it 2 time restarted the pc and still did not work. The green light is flashing on the dv dongle.
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> Please help
>
> Charley N2ISP
>

2494. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-22 23:23:28 UTC
From: Dan Mattews
Topic: 2492 Message: 2494

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=K7HJR

You are not registered for DSTAR

You need to find a dstar gateway and register your callsign.

Otherwise this won't work at all.

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of k7hje
Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 3:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Hello

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Hugo
K7HJR

2495. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 00:34:16 UTC
From: Hugo Escalante
Topic: 2492 Message: 2495

Dan,

The call sign was wrong its K7HJE
Looks like I have multiple reg can you help

Hugo

On May 22, 2013, at 7:23 PM, Dan Mattews <chp2150@...> wrote:

> https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=K7HJR
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> Hugo
> K7HJR
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2496. Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 00:40:45 UTC
From: jorgenbodholdt
Topic: 2492 Message: 2496

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k7hje" <k7hje@...> wrote:
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> Hello
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>
> Hugo
> K7HJR
>

Your call will be the same on the radio and DVAPTool

73 OZ3JBP Jørgen

2497. Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 01:15:57 UTC
From: k7hje
Topic: 2492 Message: 2497

The call sign are the same k7hje on radio and dstar registration I keep gettin the message back receive only, I'm ready to put this back in the box and return it.

Hugo

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jorgenbodholdt" <oz3jbp@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "k7hje" <k7hje@> wrote:
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> > Hello
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> >
> > Hugo
> > K7HJR
> >
>
> Your call will be the same on the radio and DVAPTool
>
> 73 OZ3JBP Jørgen
>

2500. Re: DVAP Utility 70 CM

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 08:51:38 UTC
From: charlie_kc2ped
Topic: 2244 Message: 2500

I don't know if I did the right thing but I plugged my radio transmit frequency into the Center Frequency box and set Span Frequency to 2 MHz and it looks like it is working. At least it shows what I expect it should show, not that I know what I am doing.
On my setup there is a wide peak to the right of the center frequency but then after a second or two the trace becomes more symmetrical around the center frequency, but then the left side of the peak disappears and everything is from the central frequency to the right.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ve7hj" <ve7hj@...> wrote:
>
> I have been trying for almost two weeks to find out how I can check my UHF DVAP for calibration. I have the DVAP Utility but is seems to be geared to the VHF 2-meter version.
>
> Any help would be most welcomed.
>
> James VE7HJ
>

2501. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 09:26:22 UTC
From: Hugo Escalante
Topic: 2492 Message: 2501

Adrian,

My call sign is K7HJE not KJ7HJE.
I' m running it on a Mac and Pc and both give me the same problems.
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W4AB in Ft Lauderdale Fl and we couldn't get it to work. If I'm driving in near range of the repeater I can transmit and be hear this is only happening with the DVAP Dongle on my base station in Miami Fl.
I'll give myself another day to figure it out if not I'm left with no other option but to return it.
If some one wants to call me to try to help email me direct at k7hje@yahoo.com and ill give you my phone number.

Thanks
Hugo

On May 22, 2013, at 9:47 PM, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:

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> the box and return it.
> >
> > Hugo
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> I just tried your callsign with DVAPTool remote via vnc on my Rpi at
> home & it worked fine.
>
> Enter as KJ7HJE ##
>
> #=space
>
> No spaces before the callsign.
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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> So ensure that there are no spces preceding your callsign
>

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2502. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 11:04:59 UTC
From: David Maria
Topic: 2492 Message: 2502

Hi Hugo,

If you go to this web site:
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=k7hje

it appears as if you may have registered with a space in front of your call sign. You will have to contact the system admin to correct it.

Dave

K9DPM

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Hugo Escalante
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 4:26 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

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> Hugo

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Enter as KJ7HJE ##

#=space

No spaces before the callsign.

Adrian ... vk4tux

Adrian ... vk4tux

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2504. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 11:36:02 UTC
From: John Elliott
Topic: 2492 Message: 2504

Once your linked, are you then going to CQCQCQ? If not, you can transmit all day long and NO one will hear you.

John

On May 23, 2013, at 4:26 AM, Hugo Escalante <k7hje@...> wrote:

> Adrian,
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> My call sign is K7HJE not KJ7HJE.
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2505. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 11:49:22 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2492 Message: 2505

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Mickey N4MB
Admin, W4AB

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2506. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-23 12:12:33 UTC
From: Carl Soranno
Topic: 2492 Message: 2506

just a stupid question. after you link, do you place cqcqcq in the ur call command line?

Carl

On May 23, 2013, at 5:26 AM, Hugo Escalante <k7hje@yahoo.com> wrote:

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2508. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 00:58:58 UTC
From: Hugo Escalante
Topic: 2492 Message: 2508

Thanks to all everything working find now.

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2509. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 00:59:21 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2492 Message: 2509
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

You really do NOT have to put an A as a second terminal if you already have a terminal registered with just a space. The DVAPtool software will work just fine with your regular callsign and no additional letter.

John WB4QDX

From: Mickey Baker [mailto:fishflorida@...]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 7:49 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com<http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2013.0.3336 / Virus Database: 3162/6317 - Release Date: 05/11/13
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2510. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 13:52:13 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2492 Message: 2510

Basically I could not figure out why this wouldn't work as set up. I suspected that his MYCALL had an extraneous character in it, so, I went back to RTFM and to setup exactly as documented.

I don't have an A terminal setup for my DVAP either and it works fine, but this was one case where it just didn't make sense that it didn't work, so I took the "kitchen sink" approach - do everything exactly as the documentation suggests.

But I'm glad Hugo's working... Whatever fixed it is a mystery to me...

73,

Mickey N4MB

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> *Sent:* Thursday, May 23, 2013 7:49 AM
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2511. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 16:19:45 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 2492 Message: 2511

Hugo K7HJE:

> Thanks to all everything working find now.

One of the benefits of mailing lists (such as this one) is for people to search for solutions to their problems, particularly if someone has had a similar problem and came to a satisfactory conclusion.

Hugo, would you be willing to post (in this same thread) the overview of the problem and the final solution? This could be of considerable benefit to future users.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

IRLP 3246
EchoLink 525493

2512. Wireless Raspberry Pi with Verizon iPhone 5's Hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 17:32:43 UTC
From: w6hvh
Topic: 2512 Message: 2512

I have a Raspberry Pi set up and working with Ed's (KB6THO)bootable image as supplied by Brian (WA6JFK). This works well through my ethernet wired network. However, I'm going on a short trip where I wanted to use my iPhone 5's wireless hotspot to make my connection to a local D-Star repeater. While there were many posts with solutions using a wireless dongle to the R Pi, I didn't want to change anything with the image.

The solution proved to be relatively simple once I received a hint from Gary (W6MAT) that most wireless users had an Edimax dongle plugged into the R Pi. I didn't use that dongle because of software changes I would have to make, but I did find an Edimax solution.

Besides the R Pi and 2M DVAP, I needed a power supply. As others have mentioned, the Powergen 12000 mAh unit on Amazon for around $30 was the solution for power.

Now what to do about connecting to the iPhone? The Edimax Broadband Wireless Router (a very tiny router, I might add), BR-6258n, available from Amazon for around $29 appeared to be the solution. I emailed the company's customer service people and asked if their little router would wirelessly connect with an iPhone 5 on Verizon's network. Not only did they say, "Yes," they gave me all of the information I required to make it happen. And, to make a long story short, the system works flawlessly. The key to getting the router to work is to ensure that the router's internal address matches what Verizon's hotspot wants (there's no reason to suspect that this wouldn't work on AT&T or Sprint, but I haven't tested that).

I will post a picture of the four pieces involved in case you want to try this for yourself. If you have any questions, either respond in the forum, or email me.

2513. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on Icom ID-880H

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 18:53:21 UTC
From: Hugo Escalante
Topic: 2492 Message: 2513

Dave,

The problem was I wasn't able to transmit using the 70cm DVAP. I was recieving and hearing everyone ok on the reflector (REF037C) W4AB Fort Lauderdale, but when I try to transmit the reflector would link but said a message " receive only " yet It show connected to the reflector.
The system op Mickey Baker was very helpful and spend alot of time with me over the phone thanks Mickey, but we still couldn't figure out the problem. I had 2 registrations on the Dstar data base unknowingly so I email the system op to that one to remove it and he did. I also remove the other register pc on the data base and re-imputed them per Mickeys instructions.

I then recall some here telling me to reboot my cable modern so that morning I did that and then it started working just find. I don't really know what the solution was but its working find now. I was very frustrated and ready to return the DVAP I'm glad I didn't. I been able to talk to people all over really cool.

Hugo
K7HJE

On May 24, 2013, at 12:19 PM, "Dave Schultheis" <dave6592@accesscom.com> wrote:

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> WB6KHP San Jose
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> IRLP 3246
> EchoLink 525493
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2514. How to program user message.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 19:04:07 UTC
From: k7hje
Topic: 2514 Message: 2514

How do you guys program a user message when you key up. I'm able to get my name but I noticed some have there location there too. I have the RT software for the ID-880H.

Hugo
K7HJE

2515. Re: How to program user message.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 21:48:00 UTC
From: Jack Trevarrow
Topic: 2514 Message: 2515

Hi all

Can any one tell me why my icom e51 go from dv to fm all the time

How can I stop this happening flicking on to f m the d v ??

Thank you

Jack m3hzw

2517. RE: [DVAPDongle] How to program user message.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-24 23:01:33 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2514 Message: 2517

It is a property of the radio -- not the DVAP. Sorry, I have 51A's -- I do not know the setting for the 880H.
However, I also run RT Systems' software and it is a setting on the radio configuration page.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: k7hje@...
Date: Fri, 24 May 2013 19:04:07 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] How to program user message.

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2519. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: How to program user message.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-25 00:49:25 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2514 Message: 2519

Hmm. This is probably best discussed on the ID51 group, but this may be the Weather alert feature (WX). The Weather alert function jumps from DV to WX every couple of seconds to see if an alert has been issued. You have two options. You can disable WX entirely and just use one VFO, or you can setup WX on VFO B and use DV on VFO A (which is what I do). I do all of my FM work (and WX) on VFO B and all of my DV work on VFO A.

BTW: This is not just a 51/31 issue. It also happens on the 92AD (or so a person who has that radio told me -- I do not personally have one so I have not verified it myself).

Hope that helps.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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Date: Fri, 24 May 2013 22:48:00 +0100
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2520. Dvap dongle can not hear anything

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-25 01:52:23 UTC
From: n2isp
Topic: 2520 Message: 2520

Hi
I have a ic-91ad and a two meter dvap i can not hear anything on my system. What Frequency do i need to be on to hear something.

Then what will i need to do to send a message to the gateway. I think i register to the dstar network. Very new to this and need help
thank N2ISP Charley

2523. How to disable auto start mouse and keyboard won

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-25 03:54:18 UTC
From: n1toq@...
Topic: 2523 Message: 2523

I followed the instructions for auto start using the instructions in the file section of this group from W2SWR and it works great. Problem is that once the dvap autostarts, the mouse and keyboard are disabled. Anyone know how to temporarily disable the dvap software so the keyboard and mouse will work? Thanks and 73

2526. Help Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-26 17:21:02 UTC
From: donaldsinger77
Topic: 2526 Message: 2526

The only DStar repeater in our area, and State as far as I know, (Portland, OR pop 2.5 million in Metro area) is indefinitely down for the 8-count (was hacked) according to the repeater sponsor and operator, WORC (Western Oregon Repeater Club). Per the club, I should be able to register with any other site.

So, I have tried twice over the past two weeks. I emailed the sponsor/operator what I needed to do before beginning the registration process. But, each time, after a week, I never received approval and I never received a returned email.

Pretty frustrated at this point but want to persist. Anyone else out have a site suggestion that will allow me to register?

Thanks
Don KF7DS
Portland, OR

2527. DVAP using Mac OS 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-26 19:27:52 UTC
From: Robert
Topic: 2527 Message: 2527

I can not find an FTDI driver for Mac OS 10.8
I do not have enough space to partition may HD to run 10.6 which would solve my problem.

Any suggestions would be appreciated.

Robert/ki6ft

2528. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-26 19:09:44 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2526 Message: 2528

It doesn't matter, but you're welcome to register at our site:
w4ab.org/Dstar.do

It might be a conversation starter that you registered diagonally across
the country. Do your part to keep Portland weird!

If you do, send me an email and I should be able to approve it right away.

73,

Mickey N4MB

On Sun, May 26, 2013 at 1:21 PM, donaldsinger77 <don@...> wrote:

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Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*“Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me,
and I will learn.” *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

2530. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP using Mac OS 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-26 21:14:58 UTC
From: Dan Mattews
Topic: 2527 Message: 2530

There is a 64bit driver listed for 10.7 that seems to work.

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Robert
Sent: Sunday, May 26, 2013 12:28 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP using Mac OS 10.8

I can not find an FTDI driver for Mac OS 10.8
I do not have enough space to partition may HD to run 10.6 which would solve my problem.

Any suggestions would be appreciated.

Robert/ki6ft

2531. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP using Mac OS 10.8

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-26 21:34:36 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 2527 Message: 2531

The one for .6 works fine on .8 for me

On Sun, May 26, 2013 at 3:27 PM, Robert <r.lyman@...> wrote:

> I can not find an FTDI driver for Mac OS 10.8
> I do not have enough space to partition may HD to run 10.6 which would
> solve my problem.
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> Any suggestions would be appreciated.
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2532. Re: Help Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-27 02:23:32 UTC
From: donaldsinger77
Topic: 2526 Message: 2532

Arggghh! Hate that "weird" thing but, what is worse, some of it is true.

Will take you up on it and email you in a few days.

Thanks much

Best
Don KF7DS

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Mickey Baker <fishflorida@...> wrote:
>
> It doesn't matter, but you're welcome to register at our site:
> w4ab.org/Dstar.do
>
> It might be a conversation starter that you registered diagonally across
> the country. Do your part to keep Portland weird!
>
> If you do, send me an email and I should be able to approve it right away.
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> 73,
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> Mickey N4MB
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> On Sun, May 26, 2013 at 1:21 PM, donaldsinger77 <don@...> wrote:
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2533. Installation on Google Chromebook running Chrubuntu 12.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-27 22:11:04 UTC
From: calvin_groups
Topic: 2533 Message: 2533

I am using an Acer C7 Chromebook that is running Chrubuntu 12.04. This is a version of Ubuntu 12.04 LTS configured for running on the Chromebook.

I cannot get this to find the DVAP. The green light on the DVAP is pulsing green. I extracted the DVAP folder (v. 1.04) to my Desktop. When I double click on the DVAPTool the user interface comes up but it says " No DV AP Dongle found! ". I can change the call sign and frequency. The DVAP Device is blank, with no options.

I then tried it on an old IBM Thinkpad T-22, from the W98 days. I am running Ubuntu 8.04. The install went smoothly. The DVAP works fine. The DVAP Device box shows "/dev/ttyUSB0 ". I had a successful QSO on the old T-22.

I returned to the Chromebook/Chrubuntu setup. I went into places and found I do not have a folder called /dev/ttyUSB0". I guess this is the starting place. FYI, I have had no problems using USB devices on this laptop.

Hopefully someone has solved this already. Thanks for your help.

Cal
N9KO

2536. Re: Help Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-28 20:45:10 UTC
From: James
Topic: 2526 Message: 2536

Hello Don,

I let this posting slide since someone already offered to get you registered. I am surprised that as of today, 5/28/13, nothing has happened. What some hams do is call HRO in Atlanta, or AES in Orlando and get registered by phone (You think there is an incentive here?). You can also go directly to the D-Star registration pages for either store sponsored repeater/gateway and request it yourself and wait for approval and complete the process.
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Instructions for registration:
http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html

Which ever of the multiple ways you want to do it (pick only one though), will work.

Best of wishes (73)

James, N0XIA

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "donaldsinger77" <don@...> wrote:
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> Don KF7DS
> Portland, OR
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2537. Re: Installation on Google Chromebook running Chrubuntu 12.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-28 22:28:01 UTC
From: calvin_groups
Topic: 2533 Message: 2537

Thanks for the pointer. I will look into it.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "calvin_groups" wrote:
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> says " No DV AP Dongle found! ". I can change the call sign and
> frequency. The DVAP Device is blank, with no options.
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> 1 down vote accepted
> The lack of the cp210x.ko and usbserial.ko kernel modules in the
> directory:
> /lib/modules/`uname -r`/kernel/drivers/usb/serial/
> would seem to indicate that the kernels provided with the ChrUbuntu
> releases were built not having these features enabled at compile time.
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> Comparing the output that's provided in the question by the OP against
> Ubuntu 12.10 would seem to back this up:
> ChrUbunturoot@ChrUbuntu:/lib/modules/3.4.0/kernel/drivers/usb/serial# ls
> option.ko pl2303.ko qcserial.ko sierra.ko usb_wwan.ko Ubuntu 12.10$
> ls /lib/modules/`uname -r`/kernel/drivers/usb/serial/ aircable.ko
> empeg.ko ipaq.ko mct_u232.ko option.ko sierra.ko
> visor.ko ark3116.ko f81232.ko ipw.ko
> metro-usb.ko oti6858.ko spcp8x5.ko vivopay-serial.ko
> belkin_sa.ko ftdi_sio.ko ir-usb.ko mos7720.ko
> pl2303.ko ssu100.ko whiteheat.ko ch341.ko
> funsoft.ko iuu_phoenix.ko mos7840.ko qcaux.ko
> symbolserial.ko zio.ko cp210x.ko garmin_gps.ko
> keyspan.ko moto_modem.ko qcserial.ko ti_usb_3410_5052.ko
> cyberjack.ko hp4x.ko keyspan_pda.ko navman.ko
> quatech2.ko usb_debug.ko cypress_m8.ko io_edgeport.ko
> kl5kusb105.ko omninet.ko safe_serial.ko usbserial.ko
> digi_acceleport.ko io_ti.ko kobil_sct.ko opticon.ko

> siemens_mpi.ko usb_wwan.ko
> Given this you'll need to build the cp210x.ko kernel module from source
> and then install it manually.
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> See this Unix & Linux Q&A titled: Ubuntu make fails with No such file or
> directory /lib/modules/3.4.0/build
> <http://unix.stackexchange.com/questions/75558/ubuntu-make-fails-with-no\
> -such-file-or-directory-lib-modules-3-4-0-build> , for details on how to
> accomplish this task.
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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2538. Re: Help Getting Registered

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-29 16:12:19 UTC
From: don
Topic: 2526 Message: 2538

Don just so you know the repeater in portland has lost iits internet conectiviey and is not on the dstar network
this happened a couple weeks a go this may be part of your issue

Don Weber
Ka7qqv
Used to live outside Portland or

-- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "James" <n0xia@...> wrote:
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> Hello Don,
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> > Portland, OR
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2539. Re: Help Getting Registered and issues in portland

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-29 18:09:20 UTC
From: don
Topic: 2526 Message: 2539

Hi Don
Just so you know Portland is not on the network currently
They have lost their access to the internet

And have not worked out a solution

I lived for most my life in Oregon
before going to out of state
Lived south of Portland and worked in Salem and Portland over the years

I wish there was more D-star repeaters
in the area and a better attitude by repeater associations
about D-star I have talked to several

and even pitched the non Icom
http://www.bay-net.org/ww6bay_dstar.html
type repeater system

Don Weber
Ka7qqv Alameda CA

ex board member Salem repeater association
and mt hood repeater before
ARRG acquired the machine

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2540. Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-29 18:47:34 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2540 Message: 2540

Hello everyone, there is' a way to run automatically dvap without click the open button?
thanks

2541. RE: [DVAPDongle] Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-29 21:29:55 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2540 Message: 2541

Platform? Windows? Mac? PI? They are very similar, but subtle differences.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: ntnpaolino@...
Date: Wed, 29 May 2013 18:47:34 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Autostart

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thanks

2542. Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 07:22:18 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2540 Message: 2542

for windows 7, to make it connect automatically on startup. thanks

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dave Wickert <dwickert@...> wrote:
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2543. Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 08:00:31 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2540 Message: 2543

for windows, I have to start and connect the DVAP without using the keyboard. thanks

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dave Wickert <dwickert@...> wrote:
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2544. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 13:37:13 UTC
From: Craig Knisley
Topic: 2540 Message: 2544

On the Raspberry Pi, I use the -open command line option to have it
start up and open, it is headless.
I added it to the end of one of the existing start up files.

DVAPTool -open

In windows you should be able to make a short cut for DVAPTool and add
the -open option in the target field under properties.

Windows version has command line options:
Usage: DVAPTool [-nolock] [-open] [-device DEVICENAME] [
-frequency MMMKKKHHH

Craig, AB8YA

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2545. Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 14:55:58 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2540 Message: 2545

so I have to type these commands via terminal? how should I do? thanks

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Craig Knisley <craig@...> wrote:
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2546. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 16:09:38 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2540 Message: 2546

On Windows, I set my account to auto login. I believe that this is needed because the dvaptool has dialog boxes that need an actual Windows user -- I was never able to successfully run it w/o having an interactive account. But there may be a magic Windows way to do that.

I added the following batch file to my account's startup folder:

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cd c:\program files (x86)\dvaptool\
dvaptool.exe -nolock -open -frequency 441000000
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Which autostarts the DVAP tool on the simplex frequency I use.

There is a popup dialog box that tells me that the device started OK and that I am running the latest version of the program. It is modal, i.e. waiting for me to click "OK", but it does not stop the DVAP from working. I just leave the modal dialog box up and running. There is no command line option for not having it appear.

Hope that helps.

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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: craig@...
Date: Thu, 30 May 2013 09:37:13 -0400
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart

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2547. DVAPTool.exe starting up not finding DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 21:12:01 UTC
From: Robert, N4IJS
Topic: 2547 Message: 2547

Good afternoon,

I recently upgraded to the latest DVAPTool.exe so I could setup my system to auto-start the DVAP.

But, when I run DVAPTool (either through the command line with "-open" or from the desktop like normal), the GUI indicates that it can't find a DVAP device ("No DV AP Dongle Found!") while the console does show the device as being found. When I click "OK" on the GUI error dialog, it works fine (the DVAP is found without issues). However, without dismissing the error dialog, DVAPTool doesn't fully open.

I am running Windows 7 64-bit and tried to download the "DVAPToolTest.exe" (from a Google search I did for the problem), but the link doesn't appear to be valid.

Does anyone have a way to resolve this issue?

Thank you and 73,
Robert - N4IJS

2548. Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-30 21:31:19 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2540 Message: 2548

Thanks to all, now it works, I created the batch file, I would like to know if there 'a command to delay the automatic opening 20-30 seconds, thanks

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> In windows you should be able to make a short cut for DVAPTool and add
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> the -open option in the target field under properties.
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> Windows version has command line options:
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> Usage: DVAPTool [-nolock] [-open] [-device DEVICENAME] [
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> -frequency MMMKKKHHH
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> Craig, AB8YA
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> On 5/30/2013 3:22 AM, iz2twx wrote:
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> > for windows 7, to make it connect automatically on startup. thanks
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Dave Wickert <dwickert@> wrote:

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> >> Platform? Windows? Mac? PI? They are very similar, but subtle differences.
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> >> _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
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> >> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> >> From: ntnpaolino@
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> >> Date: Wed, 29 May 2013 18:47:34 +0000
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> >> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Autostart
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2551. Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-05-31 09:59:37 UTC
From: iz2twx
Topic: 2540 Message: 2551

thank you, but it always fails, says SLEEP 30 is not 'recognized as an internal or external command,why?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "vk4tux" <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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> SLEEP 30
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> cd c:\program files (x86)\dvaptool\
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> dvaptool.exe -nolock -open -frequency 441000000
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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2552. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Autostart

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-01 23:57:23 UTC
From: Craig Knisley
Topic: 2540 Message: 2552

Sleep is not a command that the Windows command program recognizes.
There is probably a program out there named sleep that does that, or it
was a command from a different version of DOS (back in the day).

I tested "timeout /T 20", and it counted down from 20. If you don't
want it to display anything but wait for 20s just use it like this:
"timeout /T 20 > nul" (type it in without the quotes).

Craig - AB8YA

On 5/31/2013 5:59 AM, iz2twx wrote:
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2554. DVAP and Data usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-02 12:09:37 UTC
From: w4kjp
Topic: 2554 Message: 2554

I figure this has been asked before but I am new to this group. Has anyone ever monitored the data usage of the DVAP using a wireless 4G hotspot? For instance most wireless data packages these days are limited not unlimited. Thanks in advance.

2555. Locate DVAP IN Atlanta

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-02 19:12:13 UTC
From: rrkpl
Topic: 2555 Message: 2555

Does anyone know of a source of a 440 DVAP in the Atlanta area. HRO's been out for some time and I have been traveling quite a bit lately and it's not practical to order one for delivery.

Thanks,

Richard

2556. Re: Locate DVAP IN Atlanta

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-02 22:36:44 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2555 Message: 2556

Hi Richard. I responded to your message a couple days ago. HRO has them in stock in Atlanta now.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "rrkpl" <rrkpl@...> wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a source of a 440 DVAP in the Atlanta area. HRO's been out for some time and I have been traveling quite a bit lately and it's not practical to order one for delivery.
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> Thanks,
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> Richard
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2557. DVAPTool version 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-03 00:25:24 UTC
From: k7hje
Topic: 2557 Message: 2557

I have flashed my SD card as per your instructions. All of your instructions are fine until Line 4, where you call for "sudo tar xzPf DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz". The reply from is :
"Gzip: stdin: unexpected end of file
Tar: child return status 1
Tar: error is not recoverable: exiting now"

Any help

Hugo
K7HJE

2558. Re: DVAP + ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-03 00:42:22 UTC
From: k7hje
Topic: 2440 Message: 2558

Karl,

Did you get this resolve?

Hugo
K7HJR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group, I have configured my UHF DVAP to work with my ID-51,
> I can work reflectors no problem, I have my DVAP settings in the FROM
> (All Good At This Point)when i try to put a repeater in the TO it wont let me select a repeater, or if I go to Gateway CQ it wont let me select that option, this is very frustrating, I would like to select my DVAP in FROM and select any repeater I choose in the TO.
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> Can any body tell me what I am doing wrong....Many Thanks In Advance.
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> Regards
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> Karl G1YPQ
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2559. Re: DVAP and Data usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-03 09:56:53 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 2554 Message: 2559

I switched from an unlimited data plan to a 4 GB shared data plan and purchased a hotspot to go along with my iPhone, those are the only two items pulling data from the system. My last bill showed 557,580 KB's of usage. During that period I ran my Raspberry Pi connected to the hotspot and reflector with the radio on for three 12 hour periods and various times while mobile. I also had my home computer connected to it a couple of times to watch some short You Tube Videos. I do not normally watch videos or download music on my iPhone or hotspot.

This is by no means a precise study of usage, I started to do that and lost track after seeing how little it really did use.

I hope this helps and hope others provide more detailed information.

73
Bill
W4BRZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "w4kjp" <w4kjp@...> wrote:
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> I figure this has been asked before but I am new to this group. Has anyone ever monitored the data usage of the DVAP using a wireless 4G hotspot? For instance most wireless data packages these days are limited not unlimited. Thanks in advance.
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2560. DVAP DVDongle Swap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-03 13:12:03 UTC
From: kg8oc
Topic: 2560 Message: 2560

I have a extra DVDongle that I would like to trade for a DVAP. If you have a extra one we could make a deal on, please let me know via email at KG8OC at ARRL dot NET.

73, Tim KG8OC

2561. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool version 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-03 18:12:42 UTC
From: Craig Knisley
Topic: 2557 Message: 2561

Verify that you downloaded the whole file when you did the sudo curl -O .... step.. If the file is around 4xxk, then it failed, if it is just under 1MB it was successful. I noticed it hadn't downloaded the whole file when I typoed the file name, redoing the command with the name corrected resolved the issue.

On 6/2/2013 8:25 PM, k7hje wrote:
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> Tar: child return status 1
> Tar: error is not recoverable: exiting now"
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> Any help
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> Hugo
> K7HJE
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2563. Re: DVAP + ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-03 21:46:30 UTC
From: n1pqg
Topic: 2440 Message: 2563

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group, I have configured my UHF DVAP to work with my ID-51,
> I can work reflectors no problem, I have my DVAP settings in the FROM
> (All Good At This Point)when i try to put a repeater in the TO it wont let me select a repeater, or if I go to Gateway CQ it wont let me select that option, this is very frustrating, I would like to select my DVAP in FROM and select any repeater I choose in the TO.
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> Can any body tell me what I am doing wrong....Many Thanks In Advance.
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> Regards
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> Karl G1YPQ
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I'm also interested to hear if you've found a solution, as I find the same thing with my ID-51 / DVAP combo. I'm really just beginning to learn Dstar, so new that I don't really even know what questions to ask.

Tks de N1PQG

2564. Re: DVAP + ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-05 04:51:31 UTC
From: donaldsinger77
Topic: 2440 Message: 2564

Me 3

Don KF7DS
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "n1pqg" <n1pqg@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@> wrote:
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> Tks de N1PQG
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2565. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP + ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-05 13:58:29 UTC
From: Dan Mattews
Topic: 2440 Message: 2565

This is not that complicated.

To link to a repeater you need to have the following:

You need the frequency that your DVAP is on setup as simplex and make sure its in DV mode.

Then for instance if I wanted to connect to the B port on K5TIT I would put the following in the CALLSIGN area.

K5TIT BL the L being in the 8th position.

Rpt-1 and Rpt-2 are left blank.

And then of course to have a conversation you need the memory with CQCQCQ in the CALLSIGN area.

I hope this helps.

WA6JFK

PS

RT Systems software makes setting up all of this stuff really easy to do.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of donaldsinger77
Sent: Tuesday, June 04, 2013 9:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP + ID-51

Me 3

Don KF7DS
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , "n1pqg" <n1pqg@...> wrote:
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com> , "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@> wrote:
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> I'm also interested to hear if you've found a solution, as I find the same thing with my ID-51 / DVAP combo. I'm really just beginning to learn Dstar, so new that I don't really even know what questions to ask.
>
> Tks de N1PQG
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2566. TUD message on DPLUS dashboard

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-06 11:51:23 UTC
From: Jim Bates
Topic: 2566 Message: 2566

I was wondering if anyone knew why, occasionally, the message displayed on a DPLUS dashboard will show "T U D" instead of the "normal" TX message.

Thoughts?
73 de KJ4WLH

2567. Re: TUD message on DPLUS dashboard

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-06 13:05:31 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2566 Message: 2567

The message is not protected by FEC so it often has garbage characters. It is interesting that the "T U D" is a fairly common occurance.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jim Bates" <jlbates4@...> wrote:
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> Thoughts?
> 73 de KJ4WLH
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2569. TUD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-06 21:11:54 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2569 Message: 2569

TUD?

Totally Usless Data

Sorry!

73 John LA2QAA

2570. Re: [DVAPDongle] TUD message on DPLUS dashboard

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-07 13:38:28 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2566 Message: 2570

Maybe someone is trying to send us a cosmic message... Where's Dan Brown's Professor Langdon when you need him?

73,

Mickey N4MB

On Thursday, June 6, 2013, aa4rc wrote:

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> The message is not protected by FEC so it often has garbage characters. It
> is interesting that the "T U D" is a fairly common occurance.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <javascript:_e({}, 'cvml',
> 'DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com');>, "Jim Bates" <jlbates4@...> wrote:
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> on a DPLUS dashboard will show "T U D" instead of the "normal" TX message.
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> > Thoughts?
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Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*“Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me, and I will learn.” *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

2571. ECHO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-07 18:11:35 UTC
From: N2qxb
Topic: 2571 Message: 2571

I have not been able to use ECHO with my DVAP CQ CQ works T and U I and E nothing. I have also have not seen the Blue Light on but have seen the yellow from time to time I am using an 91AD and RT systems software

TNX

2572. Re: [DVAPDongle] ECHO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-08 02:27:20 UTC
From: George
Topic: 2571 Message: 2572

Make sure the "E" is in the correct position

George Muenster III
WD8GEO
(Sent from my iPad)

On Jun 7, 2013, at 2:11 PM, "N2qxb" <n2qxb@...m> wrote:

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> TNX
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2573. Re: [DVAPDongle] ECHO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-08 02:49:26 UTC
From: Paul Beeman
Topic: 2571 Message: 2573

Type in the radio "DVAP E". With the function in the 8th position.

W2PB

Sent from my iPhone
Paul F. Beeman MBA, PMP, CSM
paul.beeman@...
Office: 631-750-9576
Cell: 631-579-0961

On Jun 7, 2013, at 2:11 PM, "N2qxb" <n2qxb@...> wrote:

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2574. TUD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-08 08:57:26 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2569 Message: 2574

Hello Folks,
TUD ... anyone like to place a but on 'transmission unidentified'...??-

Hey!, it beats my earlier 'Totally Useless Data' as an acronym.

... and no!, I *DON'T* spend every waking hour trying to devise acronyms as 'possibles' ...

73 John LA2QAA

2575. RE: [DVAPDongle] ECHO

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-09 05:57:28 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2571 Message: 2575

Take a look at:
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html
About 1/2 of the way down, in the section "Radio Command Reference", it talks about the settings for the various commands. They are a bit different from what you might expect.

Hope that helps.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: n2qxb@...
Date: Fri, 7 Jun 2013 18:11:35 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ECHO

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2576. Re: DVAP Shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-11 22:15:14 UTC
From: pdean10061976
Topic: 1982 Message: 2576

I am having the same issue here... my DVAP will run fine for a while and then all of a sudden I stop hearing it and when I go check on it it is flashing yellow but the software is still showing that it is receiving signals... the only way I can recover is to close the program and restart it at which point I have to relink and then all is fine for another 5 maybe 10 minutes while conversation is going on but the first time there is no TX for a short period of time same thing happens. Any help would be appreciated. Thanks. Phil KB9IAK

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Bert van der Zwaan <bert.vanderzwaan@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Birmham,
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> Please explain what you mean with "the DVAP shuts down"?
> My DVAP does not do that.
> I can shut down the software that I am using to control it but the DVAP
> remains active until I power it off.
> What I noticed is that the DVAP "locks up" from time to time.
> This is mainly caused when bad signals are received (I call those R2D2
> signals, sorry I am a Star Wars fan).
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> If this is what you mean than it should not be accepted as normal. There
> is no timer to set or change for this.
> It would require a firmware update to solve.
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> Good luck.
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> Bert, PE1KZU
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> Op 07-01-13 00:33, birmham@... schreef:
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> > I have noticed that the DVAP shuts down after a period of time of
> > monitoring. Is this normal and what is the shutdown time? Can it be
> > changed? Thanks.
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2577. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-12 04:53:15 UTC
From: Michael Aust
Topic: 1982 Message: 2577

Had this happen to me on a new Apple iMac..

Discovered the computer had an energy savings
mode and if I configured my iMac to never shutdown
or sleep that cured my problem with the DVAP.using an iMac

Still could have Display mode turn off via a set timer but
must the computer to never turn off,

Not sure if PC's are same as the i7 Apple iMac in their
System Preferences Folder.

Maybe that will help you.

Exact way to set in Apple iMac avoid DVAP shutdown outlined below:

In the Apple iMac under System Preferences --> Energy Saver
Can set Computer to never turn off , but can set display to go into
a Sleep mode.

DVAP will then work fine in the iMac operating system.

Not sure if Windows operating can do the same.

Mike

--- On Tue, 6/11/13, pdean10061976 <pdean10061976@...> wrote:

> From: pdean10061976 <pdean10061976@...>
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Shutdown
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Tuesday, June 11, 2013, 3:15 PM
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2578. Dvap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-12 19:50:22 UTC
From: Chuck
Topic: 2578 Message: 2578

When i go to REF 054c R/O

It states that i am connected but receive only!

What should I be looking for I have a ic-91ad and dvap 2 meters hooked to my pc.

2579. ic-92ad with lots of extras for sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-12 22:03:59 UTC
From: sadnesssmiling
Topic: 2579 Message: 2579

hello all

i have for sale on ebay my icom ic-92ad with lots of extras

you can view it here: http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=261229764329

or search ebay for item# 261229764329

I have for sale my used icom IC-92AD with extras, all in very nice condition, my reason for selling is that I recently acquired an icom 51a. all original boxes are included as with all manuals here is what you will get if you win the auction: icom IC-92ad with original: antenna (never used, i always use after market shorter antennas), power adaptor, battery, belt clip and hand strap. bp-257 AA battery case. rs-92 remote control software with cable. rt systems wcs92 version 4 programming software with cable. bc-177 desktop charging cradle with original power supply. nifty mini manual. shipping and handling is a flat rate of $25.00 because all this stuff is heavy. i will only accept paypal payments i will only accept shipment to a continental united states address no returns no refunds no warranties expressed or implied this is my personal account with ebay i am not a business i just simply sell what i have no need for any longer and one more thing... if the winning bidder is with "buy it now" or meets or exceeds the "buy it now" price of $550.00 i will include a used rigblaster pro. i'll state it again if the winning bid is via "buy it now" or meets or exceeds the "buy it now" price of $550.00 the rigblaster pro will be included. i'll state it a different way if the winning bid is less than the "buy it now" price of $550.00 the rigblaster pro will not be included. thank you for taking the time to view my auction 73 joe - ab8wl

2580. Reflector question. Which one to use.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-13 09:42:28 UTC
From: Maurice
Topic: 2580 Message: 2580

Any ideas which reflector to use if I want to place my GPS info into the system so it is injected into the APRS network? I used to be able to do that at my old location. I used both the dvap and dongle and my HT an iCOM 92ad

Thanks in advance

Mitch
KE7WWT

Sent from my iPad

2581. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-13 12:04:14 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 2578 Message: 2581

Have you registered your callsign for gateway access?

Jim, NS3K

From: Chuck <charley@...>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2013 3:50 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Dongle

When i go to REF 054c R/O

It states that i am connected but receive only!

What should I be looking for I have a ic-91ad and dvap 2 meters hooked to my pc.

2582. First Time DVAP user needs help...big time!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-13 19:27:47 UTC
From: Steve
Topic: 2582 Message: 2582

Hi All,
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Note that, other than "CQCQCQ ", the commands above are processed locally and not transmitted to a connected system.

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TIA!

2583. RE: [DVAPDongle] First Time DVAP user needs help...big time!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-14 05:27:55 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2582 Message: 2583

The way that I look at it is that the DVAP is a "mini-repeater". All of the items you have listed, e.g. "DVAP_ _ I", "DVAP _ _ E", "xxxxxxmL" are commands that you are sending simplex to the "mini-repeater" (DVAP) -- the "mini-repeater" then establishes the link for you. On a regular analog repeater you send tones to it for commands (e.g. establish a IRLP link, run a phone patch, etc.) But on DSTAR we use the URCALL for commands to repeaters; not tones. Once the link is up and URCALL is set to CQCQCQ (or "Use Repeater"), then your normal voice is routed to and from your linked target. Until the link is up -- your voice transmissions go in the bit bucket. A target can be a reflector or a repeater.

That is what helped me. Your mileage may vary.
Good luck!

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: nm5sd@...
Date: Thu, 13 Jun 2013 19:27:47 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] First Time DVAP user needs help...big time!

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2584. RE: [DVAPDongle] First Time DVAP user needs help...big time!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-14 10:50:32 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 2582 Message: 2584

Hi Steve,

Don't make it more difficult than necessary by thinking too nhard. There isn't really any magic here.

The different values in the URCall field are used to send commands to the DVAP from your radio and is similar to the commands use to cotrol a local repeater.

The DVAP E command says to echo what I transmit for testing - that is, play back what I say.

The DVAP I command asks the DVAP to report it's status info.

The link command tells the DVAP where to link into the network, either a local repeater gateway, or more properly, directly to one of the reflectors. (Since most repeaters have limited internet bandwidth it is generally not good form to link a DVAP to them)
I you look at the info for linking with DStar using a radip to a repeater I think it way the DVAP works will make more sense.

"CQCQCQ" means I want to talk to anyone listening on the repeater or reflector.

Note that commands in DStar via the four command fields cause all sorts of confusion because of the need to include blanks to pad most commands to 8 characters.

In the example you show linking W4DOC module A there is a (single) space between DOC and AL. That is, the AL command must be in positions 7 an 8.

Hope this helps a little

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Steve
Sent: Thursday, June 13, 2013 3:28 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] First Time DVAP user needs help...big time!

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1432 / Virus Database: 3199/5908 - Release Date: 06/13/13

2585. DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-16 01:08:20 UTC
From: vk6jrtbob
Topic: 2585 Message: 2585

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2586. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-16 16:15:39 UTC
From: George Muenster III
Topic: 2585 Message: 2586

Before transmitting, make sure you change channels on your radio from the linking command (in the UR callsign field) to CQCQCQ (in the UR callsign field). In others words (for sake of argument), my channel one has the UR callsign as: REF030CL then I go to channel two which has CQCQCQ in the UR callsign field.

George Muenster III
(Sent from my iPhone 4)

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2587. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-16 16:53:29 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 2585 Message: 2587

Once connected to the reflector, are you then changing the UR field to
CQCQCQ ?

You situation sounds as if that is the missing piece.

Bill
KI4BKF

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2588. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-16 16:56:28 UTC
From: Dan Mattews
Topic: 2585 Message: 2588

http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php

Checking your callsign here, I noticed that you do not have the "Spacebar" entry in your terminal.

According to all dstar registration instructions that I have read, you must have that, or you will have all kinds of issues.

Also, since you have an A and a B terminal, is that what you were using in your setup?

In any case you should go back to your dstar registration and del line one and add the SPACEBAR in the box, callsign only terminal, then recreate your A and or B below that.

WA6JFK

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of vk6jrtbob
Sent: Saturday, June 15, 2013 6:08 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

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2589. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-16 17:44:13 UTC
From: Bill Garvey
Topic: 2585 Message: 2589

Make sure you are not trying to conduct a QSO on the memory you are using to connect on.You must have the. Same frequency you connected with,but not with the connect command.
Bill,WB5LYB,Leesville,La.

Sent from my iPad

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2590. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-16 18:42:58 UTC
From: David Maria
Topic: 2585 Message: 2590

Have you registered your callsign at a local repeater site? Not being registered will cause those problems.

Dave

K9DPM

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of vk6jrtbob
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2592. Problem solved - DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-17 12:13:04 UTC
From: vk6jrtbob
Topic: 2592 Message: 2592

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The problem is now solved, thanks to all of you gentlemen. And it was a registration problem.

I'd initially registered a single radio, intending to use it through d-star repeaters. When I couldn't hit any of our repeaters I decided to use a dvap and thought that my initial registration (minus suffixes) would suffice.

Many thanks for all your help. Hope to chat with you soon on d-star.

73,

Bob (VK6JRT)

2594. RE: [DVAPDongle] Problem solved - DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-18 14:02:23 UTC
From: Bob Taylor
Topic: 2592 Message: 2594

Thanks, Adrian. I’m learning all the time, thanks to you and the other guys. Fortunately, I have never registered on more than one Gateway so shouldn’t have the problem of multiple ip range sets.

Cheers and hope to catch you on Dstar soon.

Bob

VK6JRT

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Adrian
Sent: 18 June 2013 04:37
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem solved - DVAP - no voice being trasmitted

If that was the case Bob, then you would not have been able to link as you had stated, however well done on working it out.

You dont need all the silly suffixes these days,
unless you are into callsign routing with different band radios on different repeater ports.

I assumed when you said you could link, you were using one of the terminal id's you registered,
with A or M suffix.

You never activated a space terminal without a suffix, but I see you have added it now on NE1DV.

Please don't make the mistake vk6sky did and register on vk6rwn etc as well as NE1DV.
as G2 processes/systems don't deal well with two ip range sets for the same op.

Adrian ... vk4tux

-----Original Message-----
From: vk6jrtbob <rht@... <mailto:vk6jrtbob%20%3crht@iinet.net.au%3e> >
Reply-to: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Problem solved - DVAP - no voice being trasmitted
Date: Mon, 17 Jun 2013 12:13:04 -0000

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2595. Cool New Acrylic Case for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-18 19:06:12 UTC
From: ab4bj
Topic: 2595 Message: 2595

Love the new case.

http://ab4bj.com/wordpress/2013/06/new-acrylic-case-for-dv-dongle-and-dvap/

2596. DVAP and ID-51A....I can't make them work!!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-27 02:06:27 UTC
From: clarkster1948
Topic: 2596 Message: 2596

I just received my new DVAP - 440 and ID-51A. I can't get them to work with each other.

I've registered, the DVAPTool is installed, I've configured it, and it appears to be working, but I cannot figure out how the memories in the ID-51A work with the DVAP. I am not close to any DSTAR repeaters so I have to use the DVAP to access the DSTAR network.

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When I enter DR mode, I can see that there are sections for TO and FROM

The TO section has the CCQCQ, Unlink, Status, Echo, and a lot of reflector link memories. I can also see how you can set the to select a destination repeater.

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Assuming this is what I need to do, how do I do it? If not, what changes to I need to make to connect through my DVAP?

I also have RT Systems software. I haven't figured out how to use it yet but based on an hours goofing around with it, I can't figure out how to use it to let me connect to a reflector either.

Thanks for your help!

Clark

2598. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and ID-51A....I can't make them work!!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-27 03:06:38 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2596 Message: 2598

You run simplex from your HT to the DVAP.
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: acsann@...
Date: Thu, 27 Jun 2013 02:06:27 +0000
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2599. New Acrylic case

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-27 15:29:45 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2599 Message: 2599

I finally had time to assemble my new acrylic case. It really looks great and I like the way it allow the DVAP to stand on its edge better than then the original case.

Nice job Robin!

--Fran

<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ccdl.us%2F>
<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>

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2600. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and ID-51A....I can't make them work!!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-27 13:54:51 UTC
From: Clark Sann
Topic: 2596 Message: 2600

Just as everyone said, I added a simplex channel and got on several reflectors last night. Stayed up half the night chatting with people all over the world. DSTAR is neat.

Now onto building my R-Pi hotspot.

2601. Re: [DVAPDongle] New Acrylic case

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-28 00:00:25 UTC
From: Daniel Codianni
Topic: 2599 Message: 2601

Hi,

Where did you buy it?

73

kd2alv
On Jun 27, 2013, at 11:29 AM, Fran Miele wrote:

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2602. Re: [DVAPDongle] New Acrylic case

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-29 12:57:17 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2599 Message: 2602

HRO

--Fran

On Thu, Jun 27, 2013 at 8:00 PM, Daniel Codianni <kd2alv@me.com> wrote:

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> Hi,
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> Where did you buy it?
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>
> kd2alv
> On Jun 27, 2013, at 11:29 AM, Fran Miele wrote:
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>
> I finally had time to assemble my new acrylic case. It really looks great
> and I like the way it allow the DVAP to stand on its edge better than then
> the original case.
>
> Nice job Robin!
>
>
> --Fran
>
>
> <http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ccdl.us%2F>
> <http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.miele-family.com%2Fweather>
>
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> have received this email by mistake, please notify the sender immediately
> and do not disclose the contents to anyone or make copies thereof.
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2603. Re: DVAP + ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-06-29 18:37:00 UTC
From: clarkster1948
Topic: 2440 Message: 2603

Here's what you do:

1. Put the cursor on To
2. Press the center button. A new menu will come up.
3. Select Your Call Sign
4. What will now be shown is the list of things in Your Call Sign Memory.

In the Icom ID-51 Programmer software, this memory is found in Digital -> Your Call Sign. It is a pain to edit it but it is possible to manually insert and remove rows in the table.

Unfortunately it's even worse in RT Systems software. You will find it in the Settings menu item....Settings -> Digital (D-Star) Settings, then in the list of what RT Systems calls U Memory. It is even worse there because you cannot even insert or delete rows. Also, you definitely cannot select a bunch of repeaters and reflectors and have it placed in U memory, which is what RT Systems should allow.

I talked to RT Systems technical support about this. They would rather you not use DR Mode at all. When I suggested it was a good mode that could save a lot of memories and hassle, the tech argued with me. When I suggested that all the new Icom radios will probably use this method of DSTAR programming, he got kinda pouty. Instead they want you to use memories to hold repeaters and reflectors, like older radios. Silly RT Systems! They seem a little sensitive about their software. HA! Even worse, they don't seem interested in listening to their customers.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "g1ypq" <karlhobson66@...> wrote:
>
> Hello Group, I have configured my UHF DVAP to work with my ID-51,
> I can work reflectors no problem, I have my DVAP settings in the FROM
> (All Good At This Point)when i try to put a repeater in the TO it wont let me select a repeater, or if I go to Gateway CQ it wont let me select that option, this is very frustrating, I would like to select my DVAP in FROM and select any repeater I choose in the TO.
>
> Can any body tell me what I am doing wrong....Many Thanks In Advance.
>
> Regards
>
> Karl G1YPQ
>

2604. Slow data.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-03 16:13:24 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2604 Message: 2604

Hello Folks,
I've been trying (so far, unsuccessfully) to use slow data to connect to the WA6IRC data kiosk ... to use the D-Query system described at <http://ladstar.org/ls.htm>.

I've tried using the D-Query within D-Rats - with connections to WASIRCCL but continually get "gateway unknown"

I've also tried modules A and B.

I've tried a direct connection to the repeater with /WA6IRC but receive no reply at all.

According to D-Star Users 'Repeater' there *WAS* a station connected so apparently the system *IS* up and running again ... though is the data kiosk D-Query operational ?? ...

Can somebody please test the system at <http://ladstar.org/ls.htm> and tell me what I've misunderstood ... or ... what I'm doing wrong ...(if anything).

I'm using an IC-E91 to a DVAP connected to the internet with D-Rats software connected on COM1.

Please reply to list or to <La2qaa@gmail.com>

Much appreciated, thank you.

73 John. LA2QAA.

2605. Re Slow Data

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-03 16:25:05 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2605 Message: 2605

Folks,
I forgot to say what I was inputting on my rig ...

URCALL = WA6IRCCL
RPT1 = LD3DV L
RPT2 = LD3DV G
MYCALL = LA2QAA/JOHN

Is this not correct ?? ...

73 John.

2606. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re Slow Data

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-03 20:04:53 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 2605 Message: 2606

> Folks,
> I forgot to say what I was inputting on my rig ...
>
> URCALL = WA6IRCCL
> RPT1 = LD3DV L
> RPT2 = LD3DV G
> MYCALL = LA2QAA/JOHN
>
> Is this not correct ?? ...

I am an expert on nothing, but shouldn't the RPT1 line end with an A, B, or C (1200, 440, 146)in the EIGHTH position? That is:

LD3DV space space A or B or C

And then in RPT2:

LD3DV space space G for global, as you have it.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

2607. Therein lies the explanation ... possibly!.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-04 09:23:52 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2607 Message: 2607

Re Slow Data on WA6IRC.

I just had an e-mail from the SYSOP of WA6IRC regarding the data kiosk and my failed attempts to connect.

The Repeater is offline. Possibly a power failure according to the Sysop.

The D-Star Users repeater list I 'blagged' the 'active' callsign from must have been out of date the day before yesterday.

There's still !!! hope for La2qaa's single braincell yet ...

73 John. LA2QAA <La2qaa@...>

2608. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re Slow Data

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-04 17:57:42 UTC
From: JOHN HACKETT
Topic: 2605 Message: 2608

Hi Dave,
You're absolutely right ... it was a 'typo' on my part. It
should be a B... and it is, on the rig.

BTW ... congrats on the 4th of July.

Thanks for your response.

73 John. LA2QAA.

2013/7/3 Dave Schultheis <dave6592@...>

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>
> > Folks,
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> >
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> Dave Schultheis
> WB6KHP San Jose
>
>
>

2609. Can't get DVTools on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-05 19:56:23 UTC
From: kf5wck
Topic: 2609 Message: 2609

I have an Acer Netbook running 64 bit Windows 7 Home Premium. Every time I try to install DVTools it tells me it is missing a .dil and I need to reinstall. I had no problem installing it on the MacBook. But I want it on the windows machine because it has built in 3g so I can take it portable. I have tried everything I can think of has anyone else had this problem and what is the solution?

2610. Re: Can't get DVTools on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-05 21:49:03 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2609 Message: 2610

Hi (didn't get your name).

I assume you mean DVAPTool, not DVTool which is used with the DV Dongle.

You probably need to follow the installation instructions, specifically step 9 at www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kf5wck" <jac1@...> wrote:
>
> I have an Acer Netbook running 64 bit Windows 7 Home Premium. Every time I try to install DVTools it tells me it is missing a .dil and I need to reinstall. I had no problem installing it on the MacBook. But I want it on the windows machine because it has built in 3g so I can take it portable. I have tried everything I can think of has anyone else had this problem and what is the solution?
>

2611. Re: Can't get DVTools on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-06 00:39:52 UTC
From: kf5wck
Topic: 2609 Message: 2611

Thanks Robin,

I had not done that because it said "Apple" and I didn't think it was for windows. But that worked so now I have the DVAP on the ACER and off the Mac.

73, John KF5WCK

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi (didn't get your name).
>
> I assume you mean DVAPTool, not DVTool which is used with the DV Dongle.
>
> You probably need to follow the installation instructions, specifically step 9 at www.dvapdongle.com.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "kf5wck" <jac1@> wrote:
> >
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>

2612. Re: Can't get DVTools on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-06 12:24:03 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 2609 Message: 2612

I had a similar problem. DVAP Tool installed and ran on my iMac, but on my Windows XP laptop it said it was missing a dll.

Turns out the dll in question is imbedded in an Apple printer program. Install the Apple print application on your Windows box and the DVAP Tool should work.

GL es 73

Sent from my iPad. Reply to or send new email to k1cgz@...

2613. UHF DVAP power

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-07 18:55:14 UTC
From: ws1c_4
Topic: 2613 Message: 2613

Does anyone know how much current the UHF DVAPrequires.
I have one working fine on a Raspberry PI, but just noted the Pi only supplies 125ma. I have no easy way to measure USB current.
Thanks Bill WS1C

2614. Re: UHF DVAP power

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-08 12:25:13 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2613 Message: 2614

Hi Bill. It should be less than 100mA.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ws1c_4" <ws1c_4@...> wrote:
>
> Does anyone know how much current the UHF DVAPrequires.
> I have one working fine on a Raspberry PI, but just noted the Pi only supplies 125ma. I have no easy way to measure USB current.
> Thanks Bill WS1C
>

2615. Re: UHF DVAP power

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-09 09:40:10 UTC
From: Artur Sobiech
Topic: 2613 Message: 2615

Hello,

My connected to Raspi is taking ~85mA at full RF power. No problem for PI.
In addition I'm using second USB slot for TP-Link 725 WiFi stick and
everything working perfectly.

73 artur de sp5qir

2616. Dropping audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-10 17:10:03 UTC
From: thwitherspoon
Topic: 2616 Message: 2616

Hi, Group,

I'm only one day into using my DVAP and ID-51A. I am loving D-Star already, thought he learning curve (for me, at least) feels a little stepp.

I have noticed that when I connect to my DVAP, every 3-4 seconds audio stops momentarily (the green LED RX lamp turns off on my ID-51A during that time) --it lasts only half a second or so. It continues to do this every 3-4 seconds while someone is keying down. Doesn't matter what reflector or repeater I am connected to.

The little signal meter (the one below the squelch) on the DVAP application shows between 2-3 bars when there is no audio. With audio (i.e. listening to a QSO) it drops to one bar. I've tried to troubleshoot by testing my internet speed (DSL: 3.0 down .4 up), my Win 7 PC also seems to be running fine. I've restarted my PC a few times, turned off all other applications and even tried changing USB ports.

On the DVAP tool, I have my power set to max and squelch in the middle.

Any idea what could be happening?

Cheers,
Thomas
K4SWL

2617. Re: Dropping audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-10 19:15:24 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2616 Message: 2617

Hi Thomas. If you have the feature turned on where it monitors for alerts from the weather service, turn it off.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:
>
> Hi, Group,
>
> I'm only one day into using my DVAP and ID-51A. I am loving D-Star already, thought he learning curve (for me, at least) feels a little stepp.
>
> I have noticed that when I connect to my DVAP, every 3-4 seconds audio stops momentarily (the green LED RX lamp turns off on my ID-51A during that time) --it lasts only half a second or so. It continues to do this every 3-4 seconds while someone is keying down. Doesn't matter what reflector or repeater I am connected to.
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>
> On the DVAP tool, I have my power set to max and squelch in the middle.
>
> Any idea what could be happening?
>
> Cheers,
> Thomas
> K4SWL
>

2618. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dropping audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-10 22:11:23 UTC
From: Tom Witherspoon
Topic: 2616 Message: 2618

And that was it!

Thanks so much, Robin. Problem solved!

Cheers & 73,
Thomas
K4SWL

http://QRPer.com
"Less is more!"

On Wed, Jul 10, 2013 at 3:15 PM, aa4rc <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> **
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>
> Hi Thomas. If you have the feature turned on where it monitors for alerts
> from the weather service, turn it off.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:
> >
> > Hi, Group,
> >
> > I'm only one day into using my DVAP and ID-51A. I am loving D-Star
> already, thought he learning curve (for me, at least) feels a little stepp.
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> stops momentarily (the green LED RX lamp turns off on my ID-51A during that
> time) --it lasts only half a second or so. It continues to do this every
> 3-4 seconds while someone is keying down. Doesn't matter what reflector or
> repeater I am connected to.
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> application shows between 2-3 bars when there is no audio. With audio (i.e.
> listening to a QSO) it drops to one bar. I've tried to troubleshoot by
> testing my internet speed (DSL: 3.0 down .4 up), my Win 7 PC also seems to
> be running fine. I've restarted my PC a few times, turned off all other
> applications and even tried changing USB ports.
> >
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> > Any idea what could be happening?
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> > Cheers,
> > Thomas
> > K4SWL
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2619. XVNC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-11 13:36:20 UTC
From: w4brz
Topic: 2619 Message: 2619

I have been using my Dvap for months with no issues on my Raspberry Pi using Robins DVAPTool 1.04. I have it auto-booting and that has worked with no issues also. I originally set it up with TightVNC server, this did not allow me to access the console running the tool, so I have installed XVNC to allow me to access console 0. When I start all is working but when I try to VNC in the screen is black, unless I close down DVAPTools directly on the Pi. What am I missing?

73
Bill
W4BRZ

2620. Re: XVNC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-12 13:20:23 UTC
From: Bill W4BRZ
Topic: 2619 Message: 2620

My issue is resolved, Dan M. sent me the link to download the DVAP-RPI-8gb-4-15-2013 image and it works great. I could spend the time to troubleshoot my issue, but this was so much easier.

Thanks to all working on improving the DVAP RPI image.

73
Bill
W4BRZ

2621. Amateur Radio Experimenters Corner - New Yahoo Group☐

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-15 12:07:50 UTC
From: KJ
Topic: 2621 Message: 2621

Amateur Radio Experimenters Corner
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Amateur_Radio_Experimenters_Corner/> The charter and purpose for this new yahoo group is to further and advance the exchange of information and cooperation among fellow members so as to best promote radio related experimentation, knowledge, sharing, cooperation and individual operating efficiency, which is intended to result in advancing general levels of interest and the overall welfare of Amateur Radio throughout the world and our universe at large. Interestingly and uniquely our group is actively involved with improving inter-operable communications between the various bands and modes of operation such as Analog: LSB,USB,SSB,AM,FM-w/n, etc..|Digital: P25, PSK, FSK, DMR MotoTRBO, NXDN, IRLP, EchoLink, AllStar, Codec-2, D-STAR® (IRCDDBGateway, HotSpots, Node Adapters, Dplus, DV Dongles, DVAP's, D-RATS, Digital Networks - ircDDB, G2 and their Reflectors ☐ XRF,DCS,CCS,REF), HSMM-MESH, etc..

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Keep in mind that we are still busy working at assembling content by
adding useful links, files, photographs, etc... of which over time will
only become more improved and vast for your reference. Importantly it is
also worth noting that we now offer and maintain a geographically vast
and growing redundant fault tolerant network of linked and bridged radio
repeaters consisting of multiple modes of operation access and bands for
radio communication that you will find very convenient and handy when
gaining access via your own radio, thus allowing you to operate in your
own personal favorite mode of operation and at the same time still be
able to seamlessly inter-operate with the many other modes working on
our network.
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2622. No Transmit Audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-19 22:18:08 UTC
From: Jeffrey
Topic: 2622 Message: 2622

I just installed a new 2 meter DVAP but I get no transmit audio. I registered on my gateway per the instructions but the gateway registration form only allows 7 characters so I had to put the A in the seventh slot.

How do you get it in the 8th slot?

I am my gateway administrator and approved the callsign in the database. I read other messages in the group and understand it takes a while for it to propogate systemwide.

Will it work in the seventh postion?

Thanks

Jeff
KD6RC

2623. No Transmit Audio - part 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-19 22:27:45 UTC
From: Jeffrey
Topic: 2623 Message: 2623

I am registered on K6MDD with my call sign without a prefix and I am registered on K6ACS with my call sign and the A in the seventh slot. Will this work?

2624. Re: No Transmit Audio - part 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-20 01:48:47 UTC
From: James
Topic: 2623 Message: 2624

Hi Jeff,

You are registered on K6MDD only. That is the way it should be. Do not register on another gateway. There is no need to. Any added suffix when registering is automatically put in the 8th position. If you are attempting to put the callsign - suffix in the 7th position of your dvap software mycall field, that is probably why you cannot transmit.

73

James, N0XIA

Registration Information from this site:
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck

KD6RC D K6MDD 10.13.251.58
KD6RC A K6MDD 10.13.251.57
KD6RC K6MDD 10.13.251.56
Registration OK!

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jeffrey" <kd6rc@...> wrote:
>
> I am registered on K6MDD with my call sign without a prefix and I am registered on K6ACS with my call sign and the A in the seventh slot. Will this work?
>

2625. DVAP driver for Win 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-20 11:19:13 UTC
From: jorgenbodholdt
Topic: 2625 Message: 2625

Can not install driver for DV Access Point Dongle for Windows 7

Jørgen

2626. Re: DVAP driver for Win 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-20 15:00:37 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2625 Message: 2626

Hi Jørgen. If the FTDI USB drivers did not install when you plugged in the DVAP, you can go to http://www.ftdichip.com to download and install them. Take a look at http://www.dvapdongle.com for more details.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jorgenbodholdt" <oz3jbp@...> wrote:
>
> Can not install driver for DV Access Point Dongle for Windows 7
>
> Jørgen
>

2627. Re: No Transmit Audio - part 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-20 17:02:01 UTC
From: Jeffrey
Topic: 2623 Message: 2627

Hi James,

Thanks for the help! It works now.

Jeff KD6RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "James" <n0xia@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Jeff,
>
> You are registered on K6MDD only. That is the way it should be. Do not register on another gateway. There is no need to. Any added suffix when registering is automatically put in the 8th position. If you are attempting to put the callsign - suffix in the 7th position of your dvap software mycall field, that is probably why you cannot transmit.
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> 73
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> James, N0XIA
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> Registration Information from this site:
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck
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>
> KD6RC D K6MDD 10.13.251.58
> KD6RC A K6MDD 10.13.251.57
> KD6RC K6MDD 10.13.251.56
> Registration OK!
>
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Jeffrey" <kd6rc@> wrote:
> >
> > I am registered on K6MDD with my call sign without a prefix and I am registered on K6ACS with my call sign and the A in the seventh slot. Will this work?
> >
>

2628. Re: DVAP driver for Win 7

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-20 20:10:53 UTC
From: jorgenbodholdt
Topic: 2625 Message: 2628

1000 thanks

Jørgen

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Jørgen. If the FTDI USB drivers did not install when you plugged in the DVAP, you can go to http://www.ftdichip.com to download and install them. Take a look at http://www.dvapdongle.com for more details.
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> 73,
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "jorgenbodholdt" <oz3jbp@> wrote:
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> >
> > Jørgen
> >
>

2629. Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-24 16:01:13 UTC
From: nj6n
Topic: 2629 Message: 2629

Hello,

I've written an installer that makes running the DVAP on Raspberry Pi, easy as... well, you know. DVAPTool is started automatically during boot up and runs autonomously. Logging is provided to /var/log/dvaptool.log. I'm working on a companion script that enables command functionality, e.g. reboot, shutdown, etc.

Information is available here:

http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html

Vy 73,
Brian
NJ6N

2631. ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-24 21:32:05 UTC
From: Bill
Topic: 2631 Message: 2631

Hi Everyone;

After three days of trying to get my DVAP to work with my ID-51A, some luck, but not enough luck.

Here's what the setup is:

ID-51A Radio set up by CS-51 Software
In Digital > Repeater List > Simplex, I have the following definition of the DVAP
Name: DVAP
Operating Frequency: 146.55000
DUP: Off
Use (FROM): Yes
Position: NONE
UTC Offset: -6
All other fields are blank

This has been transferred to the radio via the SDMicro card

On the Radio:

From: DVAP
The To: field has been selected under 'Your Call Sign' to 'REF004BL'
Key radio and connection is made to REF004B.
Reset To: field to either 'Local CQ' or 'Your Call Sign' > 'Use Repeater'
I can hear traffic on that reflector.
With either setting of the To field 'Local CQ' or 'Use Repeater' nobody hears me when I transmit.
I can unlink from the reflector as well.

The DVAP Tool screen shows:
Connected to REF004B
When I key down the screen shows:
MY: KE5XV /BILL
UR: CQCQCQ
R1: DIRECT
R2: DIRECT

I also have an IC-80AD which is configured in as a memory location as:
Operating frequency: 146.55
Name: DVAP CQ
Your: CQCQCQ
RPT1: <blank>
RPT2: <blank>

I have other memories set up for linking and unlinking repeaters (works), DVAP I, DVAP U, DVAP E, which all work.

The DVTOOL screen shows (on key down)
MY: KE5XV /BILL
UR: CQCQCQ
RPT1: DIRECT
RPT2: DIRECT

So, the DVTOOL screen shows the same information on key down for the ID-51A and the IC-80AD

I can't see a reason why this isn't working with the ID-51A.

One difference that may (or may not) be significant -- for the ID-51A to be able to communicate with the DVAP the 'Lock Callsign' box must be unchecked. Not so for the IC-80AD.

Can anyone figure this out?

Thanks & 73's

Bill, KE5XV

2634. Re: ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-25 13:36:42 UTC
From: cybersapient
Topic: 2631 Message: 2634

Bill,

Check your configuration of the memory location you have set up for normal communication through your DVAP - make sure your 8th location has the L in it, otherwise DVAP doesn't know you want it to link your transmission to the Internet (if I remember correctly).

73,
Shane
KE7TR

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Bill" <billpellerin@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Everyone;
>
> After three days of trying to get my DVAP to work with my ID-51A, some luck, but not enough luck.
>
> Here's what the setup is:
>
> ID-51A Radio set up by CS-51 Software
> In Digital > Repeater List > Simplex, I have the following definition of the DVAP
> Name: DVAP
> Operating Frequency: 146.55000
> DUP: Off
> Use (FROM): Yes
> Position: NONE
> UTC Offset: -6
> All other fields are blank
>
> This has been transferred to the radio via the SDMicro card
>
> On the Radio:
>
> From: DVAP
> The To: field has been selected under 'Your Call Sign' to 'REF004BL'
> Key radio and connection is made to REF004B.
> Reset To: field to either 'Local CQ' or 'Your Call Sign' > 'Use Repeater'
> I can hear traffic on that reflector.
> With either setting of the To field 'Local CQ' or 'Use Repeater' nobody hears me when I transmit.
> I can unlink from the reflector as well.
>
> The DVAP Tool screen shows:
> Connected to REF004B
> When I key down the screen shows:
> MY: KE5XV /BILL

> UR: CQCQCQ
> R1: DIRECT
> R2: DIRECT
>
> I also have an IC-80AD which is configured in as a memory location as:
> Operating frequency: 146.55
> Name: DVAP CQ
> Your: CQCQCQ
> RPT1: <blank>
> RPT2: <blank>
>
> I have other memories set up for linking and unlinking repeaters (works), DVAP I, DVAP U, DVAP E, which all work.
>
> The DVTOOL screen shows (on key down)
> MY: KE5XV /BILL
> UR: CQCQCQ
> RPT1: DIRECT
> RPT2: DIRECT
>
> So, the DVTOOL screen shows the same information on key down for the ID-51A and the IC-80AD
>
> I can't see a reason why this isn't working with the ID-51A.
>
> One difference that may (or may not) be significant -- for the ID-51A to be able to communicate with the DVAP the 'Lock Callsign' box must be unchecked. Not so for the IC-80AD.
>
> Can anyone figure this out?
>
> Thanks & 73's
>
> Bill, KE5XV
>

2635. DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-25 21:54:37 UTC
From: thwitherspoon
Topic: 2635 Message: 2635

Hi, Group,

I recently installed my DVAP on a MacBook Air running Mac OS 10.8. At first, the DVAP tool ran well, but did not accept commands from my ID-51. I found that closing the DVAP device port, then re-opening it, made everything work. Each time I launch the tool, I open the device port, close it, then re-open. I've been using it for several days this way.

Today, I'm traveling and brought the MacBook Air and DVAP along. I connected to wi-fi and everything worked well for about an hour. Then I noticed a long period of silence on the reflector. When I checked, the DVAP tool had dropped the reflector.

I've tried opening/closing the device, changing USB ports, starting/restarting, etc. but I keep getting the same results. Locally, the DVAP is working (i.e. echo tests, sending an unlink command), but it will not connect to a reflector.

Any ideas what might be the problem?

Cheers,
Thomas
K4SWL

2636. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-26 14:16:29 UTC
From: thwitherspoon
Topic: 2635 Message: 2636

To add to this:

It looks like the DVAP is connecting to the reflector, but I can only listen to the traffic. It doesn't complete a full link. If I send an unlink command, it states that it's not currently linked. Indeed, when I ask it to link to a new reflector, it does not confirm, but will let me hear the reflector traffic again.

I have now tried it on another Mac OS 10.8 laptop and my father-in-law's Mac OS10.7 laptop. I get the same results. Very strange. I'm away from my PC right now, but have never had a problem on Win 7.

Cheers,
Thomas
K4SWL

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:
>
> Hi, Group,
>
> I recently installed my DVAP on a MacBook Air running Mac OS 10.8. At first, the DVAP tool ran well, but did not accept commands from my ID-51. I found that closing the DVAP device port, then re-opening it, made everything work. Each time I launch the tool, I open the device port, close it, then re-open. I've been using it for several days this way.
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> Today, I'm traveling and brought the MacBook Air and DVAP along. I connected to wi-fi and everything worked well for about an hour. Then I noticed a long period of silence on the reflector. When I checked, the DVAP tool had dropped the reflector.
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> I've tried opening/closing the device, changing USB ports, starting/restarting, etc. but I keep getting the same results. Locally, the DVAP is working (i.e. echo tests, sending an unlink command), but it will not connect to a reflector.
>
> Any ideas what might be the problem?
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> Cheers,
> Thomas
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2637. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-26 14:17:23 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2635 Message: 2637

Hi Thomas. I looked through the logs and saw your connections yesterday to the name server but never saw a connection attempt to a reflector or gateway. To which reflector did you attempt a connection?

Try connecting to REF030 and let me know. I'll look through the logs there.

Note that the DVAP is just the RF/modem piece of the solution. The DVAPTool software does all of the D-Star connection and communication with remote systems. If you have a connection that drops, it is usually the internet connection through your ISP that is having issues.

Also, if your Mac is set to go to sleep, that will cause you to disconnect as well.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:
>
> Hi, Group,
>
> I recently installed my DVAP on a MacBook Air running Mac OS 10.8. At first, the DVAP tool ran well, but did not accept commands from my ID-51. I found that closing the DVAP device port, then re-opening it, made everything work. Each time I launch the tool, I open the device port, close it, then re-open. I've been using it for several days this way.
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>
> Any ideas what might be the problem?
>
> Cheers,
> Thomas
> K4SWL
>

2638. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-26 14:35:58 UTC
From: thwitherspoon
Topic: 2635 Message: 2638

Hi, Robin,

Thanks for your response.

I just tried connecting to Ref 30C. I can hear traffic and others connecting to the reflector, but no one can hear my call. When I key down to link to the reflector, the DVAP tool shows:

MY: K4SWL /
UR: REF030CL
R1: Direct
R2: Direct

I get no audio feedback that I've linked (though, I hear reflector traffic). When I unlink, it states that it's not currently linked. DVAP Echo tests work fine locally.

Cheers,
Thomas

2639. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-26 23:46:34 UTC
From: John Primo
Topic: 2635 Message: 2639

in the UR: field once you're connected replace "REF030cl" with CQCQCQ

Then you will be all set

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 26, 2013, at 10:35 AM, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:

> Hi, Robin,
>
> Thanks for your response.
>
> I just tried connecting to Ref 30C. I can hear traffic and others connecting to the reflector, but no one can hear my call. When I key down to link to the reflector, the DVAP tool shows:
>
> MY: K4SWL /
> UR: REF030CL
> R1: Direct
> R2: Direct
>
> I get no audio feedback that I've linked (though, I hear reflector traffic). When I unlink, it states that it's not currently linked. DVAP Echo tests work fine locally.
>
> Cheers,
> Thomas
>
>

2641. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-27 00:12:55 UTC
From: thwitherspoon
Topic: 2635 Message: 2641

Hi, John and Adfrian,

Thanks so much--I should have better clarified.

I do replace the UR field with CQCQCQ once I've linked the reflector, but no one can hear me because it actually hasn't fully linked to the reflector. I can only hear traffic, not transmit. When I then send the unlink command, the system replies that I'm not currently linked. Most of the time, even after sending the unlink command, I'll still hear the last used reflector's traffic.

I've been operating the DVAP quite successfully on my Win 7 PC--indeed, it's worked flawlessly--it's just on Mac OS X that I've been having problems. I hope to resolve this mainly because I travel with my MacBook Air. The PC is a tower and stays at the QTH.

I'm sure there's an answer out there somewhere.

Again, thanks so much for the replies.

Thomas

2642. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-27 14:15:02 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2635 Message: 2642

Hi Thomas. I looked through the logs on REF030 and I see you keyed up and your audio was forwarded to all connected systems:

```
Remote Dongle tx start (K4SWL ) streamid bdb7 2013/07/22 15:04:01.718
rpt2 (REF030 C) rpt1 (K4SWL ) urcall (CQCQCQ ) mycall (K4SWL /DVAP)
user message (THOMAS ASHEVILLENC ) mycall (K4SWL ) streamid bdb7
Remote Dongle tx end (K4SWL ) streamid bdb7:ef43 cnt 14 2013/07/22 15:04:01.971
```

Was this on your Windows box?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:
>
> Hi, John and Adfrian,
>
> Thanks so much--I should have better clarified.
>
> I do replace the UR field with CQCQCQ once I've linked the reflector, but no one can hear me because it actually hasn't fully linked to the reflector. I can only hear traffic, not transmit. When I then send the unlink command, the system replies that I'm not currently linked. Most of the time, even after sending the unlink command, I'll still hear the last used reflector's traffic.
>
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>
> I'm sure there's an answer out there somewhere.
>
> Again, thanks so much for the replies.
>
> Thomas
>

2644. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-27 23:47:52 UTC
From: Tom Witherspoon
Topic: 2635 Message: 2644

Hi, Robin,

Yes, this was on my Windows PC. I've been on the MacBook Air since Thursday (7/25).

Thanks!
Thomas

2645. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-07-30 20:18:13 UTC
From: thwitherspoon
Topic: 2635 Message: 2645

Hi, All,

Just as means of follow-up, I'm back at the QTH and have the PC running with the DVAP tool. Everything is working perfectly again.

So, at least I know that the problem is with Mac OSX 10.7 & 10.8 on my AirBook and two different Powerbooks. I'll keep trying to solve the problem on my own. Perhaps if a USB driver update is issued for 10.8, that might do the trick?

Thanks for all of your help!
Cheers,
Thomas
K4SWL

2646. Re: DVAP on OS 10.8: cannot connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-02 03:35:40 UTC
From: dnedger
Topic: 2635 Message: 2646

I just got a new DVAP today. It is running great on my Macbook Air with 10.8.4

I also set it up with an old windows laptop and it worked fine, but I missed the ability to carry the little MBA around with me.

Hope you can get yours working. I am on my first day with D-Star and loving it.

73, Dave N3CI

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "thwitherspoon" <k4swl@...> wrote:
>
> Hi, All,
>
> Just as means of follow-up, I'm back at the QTH and have the PC running with the DVAP tool. Everything is working perfectly again.
>
> So, at least I know that the problem is with Mac OSX 10.7 & 10.8 on my AirBook and two different Powerbooks. I'll keep trying to solve the problem on my own. Perhaps if a USB driver update is issued for 10.8, that might do the trick?
>
> Thanks for all of your help!
> Cheers,
> Thomas
> K4SWL
>

2647. dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-08 12:52:57 UTC
From: Jack
Topic: 1019 Message: 2647

hi all
looking for some help please
i trying to set up my dvap
the one i have is the 70cm
plug the unit in to my windows 8 pc
and i have the green light flashing in the unit
but i am lost how to set up my ic -51
so it will work with the dvap unit ??
if any one can help me i will be more then gratful for any help
M3HZW MY MOBLE IS 07773938187
kind regards
Jack Trevarrow
01482666050

2648. RE: [DVAPDongle] dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-08 20:34:23 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 1019 Message: 2648

Jack:
Lots of good information on setting up your ID-51 in the ID-31/ID51 Yahoo group.

John WB4QDX

From: Jack [mailto:arrows@...]
Sent: Thursday, August 08, 2013 8:53 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dvap

hi all
looking for some help please
i trying to set up my dvap
the one i have is the 70cm
plug the unit in to my windows 8 pc
and i have the green light flashing in the unit
but i am lost how to set up my ic -51
so it will work with the dvap unit ??
if any one can help me i will be more then gratful for any help
M3HZW MY MOBLE IS 07773938187
kind regards
Jack Trevarrow
01482666050

2649. Another DVAP/ID-51a can't get it to work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-10 01:01:20 UTC
From: qiproject
Topic: 2649 Message: 2649

The DVAP appears to be working in terms of accepting input from the ID-51a.
I am registered on Dstar.

I have the DR set "from" with the "DVAP" on simplex on the correct frequency and it is keying the DVTOOL software.
I set the "TO" to link with a reflector and get a reflector linked message of "receive only".
I don't hear anything.
I go back and try to select "Gateway CQ" and it will not let me select it. I can go back into "your call sign" and select "use repeater"
I try to transmit and get back a message saying I am linked. Still haven't heard a thing.

Is there a setting I am missing or do I have a bad DVAP or a bad ID-51a?

2650. Re: Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-10 21:46:44 UTC
From: wy1u
Topic: 2629 Message: 2650

Hi Brian....The link is dead. Are you having server errors? Thanks Tim WY1U

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "nj6n" <BGRoode@...> wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I've written an installer that makes running the DVAP on Raspberry Pi, easy as... well, you know. DVAPTool is started automatically during boot up and runs autonomously. Logging is provided to /var/log/dvaptool.log. I'm working on a companion script that enables command functionality, e.g. reboot, shutdown, etc.
>
> Information is available here:
>
> http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html
>
> Vy 73,
> Brian
> NJ6N
>

2651. Re: [DVAPDongle] Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-11 15:52:57 UTC
From: Brian Roode
Topic: 2629 Message: 2651

Hello,

I'm not aware of any server problems and the link is working for me. Looks like 13 people have accessed the link this morning.

Brian
NJ6N

On Aug 10, 2013, at 2:46 PM, wy1u <wy1u@...> wrote:

>
>
> Hi Brian....The link is dead. Are you having server errors? Thanks Tim WY1U
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "nj6n" <BGRoode@...> wrote:
> >
> > Hello,
> >
> > I've written an installer that makes running the DVAP on Raspberry Pi, easy as... well, you know. DVAPTool is started automatically during boot up and runs autonomously. Logging is provided to /var/log/dvaptool.log. I'm working on a companion script that enables command functionality, e.g. reboot, shutdown, etc.
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> > Information is available here:
> >
> > http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html
> >
> > Vy 73,
> > Brian
> > NJ6N
> >
>
>

2652. Re: Another DVAP/ID-51a can't get it to work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-11 16:22:17 UTC
From: ke4qdc
Topic: 2649 Message: 2652

Sounds like the DVAP software may be hung up. Try sending a unlink command to it and resend the linkup command to whatever reflector you are using. Picking the "use repeater" is the right option. Of course the usual stuff. make sure volumn is up also make sure you haven't accidently turned on some type of call sign encode or something on the 51.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "qiproject" <qiproject@...> wrote:
>
> The DVAP appears to be working in terms of accepting input from the ID-51a.
> I am registered on Dstar.
>
> I have the DR set "from" with the "DVAP" on simplex on the correct frequency and it is keying the DVTOOL software.
> I set the "TO" to link with a reflector and get a reflector linked message of "receive only".
> I don't hear anything.
> I go back and try to select "Gateway CQ" and it will not let me select it. I can go back into "your call sign" and select "use repeater"
> I try to transmit and get back a message saying I am linked. Still haven't heard a thing.
>
> Is there a setting I am missing or do I have a bad DVAP or a bad ID-51a?
>

2653. Re: Another DVAP/ID-51a can't get it to work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-12 02:41:47 UTC
From: qiproject
Topic: 2649 Message: 2653

Thanks for the reply.
I tried swapping computers, re-installing everything, de-registering and re-registering and still didn't work. Then I turn it on and all of a sudden it started working. Very odd, as I don't know exactly what I did to make it work - but fine now.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "ke4qdc" <ke4qdc@...> wrote:
>
> Sounds like the DVAP software may be hung up. Try sending a unlink command to it and resend the linkup command to whatever reflector you are using. Picking the "use repeater" is the right option. Of course the usual stuff. make sure volumn is up also make sure you haven't accidently turned on some type of call sign encode or something on the 51.
>
>
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "qiproject" <qiproject@> wrote:
> >
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> >
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> >
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> >
>

2654. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Another DVAP/ID-51a can't get it to work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-12 10:47:42 UTC
From: Carl S
Topic: 2649 Message: 2654

Are you registered on the gateway?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 11, 2013, at 12:22 PM, ke4qdc <ke4qdc@...> wrote:

> Sounds like the DVAP software may be hung up. Try sending a unlink command to it and resend the linkup command to whatever reflector you are using. Picking the "use repeater" is the right option. Of course the usual stuff. make sure volumn is up also make sure you haven't accidently turned on some type of call sign encode or something on the 51.
>
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> >
>
>

2655. DVAP/Echolink

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-13 13:26:38 UTC
From: KC9KOA
Topic: 2655 Message: 2655

Can the DVAP and ECHOLINK be run on the same PC at the same time?

2656. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP/Echolink

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-13 19:07:36 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 2655 Message: 2656

I run DVAP, DvDongle and Echolink on the same computer at the same time.

On 8/13/2013 9:26 AM, KC9KOA wrote:
>
> Can the DVAP and ECHOLINK be run on the same PC at the same time?
>
>

2657. Re: DVAP/Echolink

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-13 19:49:59 UTC
From: k1lva@...
Topic: 2655 Message: 2657

Hello,
I keep the DVAP, Echolink, UIView32, and Ham Radio Deluxe all running at the same time. Never any problems unless your computer processor is too slow to handle the work.
Jarrod K1LVA

2658. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP/Echolink

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-13 20:48:34 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 2655 Message: 2658
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Possibly, if you have two sound card and direct the audio from each through a difference sound card.

Tim, AF1G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of KC9KOA
Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2013 9:27 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP/Echolink

Can the DVAP and ECHOLINK be run on the same PC at the same time?

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2013.0.3392 / Virus Database: 3211/6573 - Release Date: 08/12/13

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2013.0.3392 / Virus Database: 3211/6573 - Release Date: 08/12/13

2659. DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 01:16:44 UTC
From: Loren
Topic: 2659 Message: 2659

Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?

Thanks,

Loren, NJ3D

2660. Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 01:19:00 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2659 Message: 2660

Hi Loren. I'm writing a D-STAR app for android almost as we speak... :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Loren" <loren@...> wrote:
>
> Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Loren, NJ3D
>

2661. Re: ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 01:25:20 UTC
From: Loren
Topic: 2631 Message: 2661

If the Callsign lock has to be unchecked, that means it thinks it is a different call. Make sure the callsign config is correct. I switch between my 880 and the id51 all the time and the lock is checked.

Good luck,
Loren,NJ3D

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>
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> ID-51A Radio set up by CS-51 Software
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> DUP: Off
> Use (FROM): Yes
> Position: NONE
> UTC Offset: -6
> All other fields are blank
>
> This has been transferred to the radio via the SDMicro card
>
> On the Radio:
>
> From: DVAP
> The To: field has been selected under 'Your Call Sign' to 'REF004BL'
> Key radio and connection is made to REF004B.
> Reset To: field to either 'Local CQ' or 'Your Call Sign' > 'Use Repeater'
> I can hear traffic on that reflector.
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> UR: CQCQCQ
> R1: DIRECT

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> I also have an IC-80AD which is configured in as a memory location as:
> Operating frequency: 146.55
> Name: DVAP CQ
> Your: CQCQCQ
> RPT1: <blank>
> RPT2: <blank>
>
> I have other memories set up for linking and unlinking repeaters (works), DVAP I, DVAP U, DVAP E, which all work.
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> The DVTOOL screen shows (on key down)
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> So, the DVTOOL screen shows the same information on key down for the ID-51A and the IC-80AD
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> I can't see a reason why this isn't working with the ID-51A.
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> One difference that may (or may not) be significant -- for the ID-51A to be able to communicate with the DVAP the 'Lock Callsign' box must be unchecked. Not so for the IC-80AD.
>
> Can anyone figure this out?
>
> Thanks & 73's
>
> Bill, KE5XV
>

2662. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 01:33:06 UTC
From: V. Singh
Topic: 2659 Message: 2662

Sounds interesting.. need beta testers for the app?
On Aug 13, 2013 9:19 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> **
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> Hi Loren. I'm writing a D-STAR app for android almost as we speak... :)
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Loren" <loren@...> wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?
> >
> > Thanks,
> >
> > Loren, NJ3D
> >
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>

2663. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 02:25:45 UTC
From: Larry bowman
Topic: 2659 Message: 2663

Robin. DOD you have an estimated ETA?

Sent from my iPad

On Aug 13, 2013, at 8:19 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> 73,
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>

2664. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP/Echolink

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 02:33:36 UTC
From: k1lva@...
Topic: 2655 Message: 2664

The DVAP doesn't use the sound card. All of the audio processing of the DVAP takes place inside the DVAP. My PC only has one sound card, and both Echolink and the DVAP run with no interference to each other. I've been running them this way for about two or three years now.
K1LVA-Jarrod 73

2665. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 17:50:42 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2631 Message: 2665

> Reset To: field to either 'Local CQ' or 'Your Call Sign' > 'Use Repeater'

Actually, I have found that "Use Repeater" is required. Give that a try first before you try programming memories.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
From: loren@...
Date: Wed, 14 Aug 2013 01:25:20 +0000
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

If the Callsign lock has to be unchecked, that means it thinks it is a different call. Make sure the callsign config is correct. I switch between my 880 and the id51 all the time and the lock is checked.

Good luck,

Loren,NJ3D

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Bill" <billpellerin@...> wrote:

>

> Hi Everyone;

>

> After three days of trying to get my DVAP to work with my ID-51A, some luck, but not enough luck.

>

> Here's what the setup is:

>

> ID-51A Radio set up by CS-51 Software

> In Digital > Repeater List > Simplex, I have the following definition of the DVAP

> Name: DVAP

> Operating Frequency: 146.55000

> DUP: Off

> Use (FROM): Yes

> Position: NONE

> UTC Offset: -6

> All other fields are blank

>

> This has been transferred to the radio via the SDMicro card

>

> On the Radio:

>

> From: DVAP

> The To: field has been selected under 'Your Call Sign' to 'REF004BL'

> Key radio and connection is made to REF004B.

> Reset To: field to either 'Local CQ' or 'Your Call Sign' > 'Use Repeater'

> I can hear traffic on that reflector.

> With either setting of the To field 'Local CQ' or 'Use Repeater' nobody hears me when I transmit.

> I can unlink from the reflector as well.

>

> The DVAP Tool screen shows:

> Connected to REF004B

> When I key down the screen shows:

> MY: KE5XV /BILL

> UR: CQCQCQ

> R1: DIRECT

> R2: DIRECT

>

> I also have an IC-80AD which is configured in as a memory location as:

> Operating frequency: 146.55

> Name: DVAP CQ

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>

> Can anyone figure this out?

>

> Thanks & 73's

>

> Bill, KE5XV

>

2666. Beta testing.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 18:22:57 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2666 Message: 2666

Robin,
I too would be interested in beta testing the DVAP/Android software ... if that's what you decide, before putting it on Google Play.

73 John LA2QAA

<La2qaa@...>

2667. DStarQuery

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 19:04:54 UTC
From: la2qaa
Topic: 2667 Message: 2667

Does anyone know of any repeater/reflector that is currently running the DStarQuery software utilising the slow digital data of D-Star.

I'd greatly appreciate any info to <La2qaa@...> please.

Thank you in anticipation.

73 John LA2QAA

2668. Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 19:54:53 UTC
From: Loren
Topic: 2659 Message: 2668

Hi Robin,

I would be interested in beta testing, just picked up a Nexus 7 today.

Loren, NJ3D

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Loren. I'm writing a D-STAR app for android almost as we speak... :)
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> 73,
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Loren" <loren@> wrote:
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> > Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?
> >
> > Thanks,
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> > Loren, NJ3D
> >
>

2669. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-14 22:26:09 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 2659 Message: 2669

Robin me too for Beta. I have the 2013 nexus 7 and a galaxy note 2.

Thanks!

Matt
WY8E

Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android

2670. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 00:26:42 UTC
From: Georgem
Topic: 2659 Message: 2670

Ditto on beta testing. Samsung Note II

73s George KD2AU
On Aug 13, 2013, at 9:19 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi Loren. I'm writing a D-STAR app for android almost as we speak... :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Loren" <loren@...> wrote:
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> > Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?
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> > Thanks,
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> > Loren, NJ3D
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2671. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP/Echolink

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 00:35:00 UTC
From: Georgem
Topic: 2655 Message: 2671

Yes, no problem. Windows 7
73s George KD2AU

On Aug 13, 2013, at 9:26 AM, "KC9KOA" <kc9koa@...> wrote:

> Can the DVAP and ECHOLINK be run on the same PC at the same time?
>
>

2672. Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 00:38:48 UTC
From: NextGen_Users Creator
Topic: 2659 Message: 2672

Me three :) I have the Samsung G4

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Matt <mchatting@...> wrote:
>
> Robin me too for Beta. I have the 2013 nexus 7 and a galaxy note 2.
>
> Thanks!
>
> Matt
> WY8E
>
> Sent from Yahoo! Mail on Android
>

2673. Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 01:11:10 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 2659 Message: 2673

One more for beta. I have the following in the house plus a 440.

Nexus 7 (2012)
Nexus 7 (2013)
Nexus 4
Samsung Galaxy S3
Galaxy Nexus
ASUS TF201

2674. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 15:03:41 UTC
From: Dennis Rogers
Topic: 2659 Message: 2674

Robin says he is working on an app for the Android. Probably a
version of DVAPtool or DVtool. I am interested in it appearing soon.

Dennis
N5VRP

On Tue, Aug 13, 2013 at 8:16 PM, Loren <loren@...> wrote:

> **
>
>
> Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?
>
> Thanks,
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> Loren, NJ3D
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>

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Dennis, N5VRP
n5vrp.satx@gmail.com

2675. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 17:05:04 UTC
From: Ken Boyle
Topic: 2659 Message: 2675

I think he's developing the app for his new pi dongle.. In also very interested in an app for android and the dvap though
73,
Ken
KC2IDB

Dennis Rogers <n5vrp.satx@gmail.com> wrote:

><!-- /* start of attachment style */ .ygrp-photo-title{ clear: both; font-size: smaller; height: 15px; overflow: hidden; text-align: center; width: 75px; } div.ygrp-photo{ background-position: center; background-repeat: no-repeat; background-color: white; border: 1px solid black; height: 62px; width: 62px; } div.photo-title a, div.photo-title a:active, div.photo-title a:hover, div.photo-title a:visited { text-decoration: none; } div.attach-table div.attach-row { clear: both; } div.attach-table div.attach-row div { float: left; /* margin: 2px;*/ } p { clear: both; padding: 15px 0 3px 0; overflow: hidden; } div.ygrp-file { width: 30px; valign: middle; } div.attach-table div.attach-row div div a { text-decoration: none; } div.attach-table div.attach-row div div span { font-weight: normal; } div.ygrp-file-title { font-weight: bold; } /* end of attachment style */ --> <!-- #ygrp-mkp { border: 1px solid #d8d8d8; font-family: Arial; margin: 10px 0; padding: 0 10px; } #ygrp-mkp hr { border: 1px solid #d8d8d8; } #ygrp-mkp #hd { color: #628c2a; font-size: 85%; font-weight: 700; line-height: 122%; margin: 10px 0; } #ygrp-mkp #ads { margin-bottom: 10px; } #ygrp-mkp .ad { padding: 0 0; } #ygrp-mkp .ad p { margin: 0; } #ygrp-mkp .ad a { color: #0000ff; text-decoration: none; } -->
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2676. For Sale - Icom 91AD and Accessories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 21:02:34 UTC
From: KC9IL
Topic: 2676 Message: 2676

For sale:

Icom 91-AD D-Star Dual Bander in excellent condition

Includes:

- MARS/CAP modification performed
- Icom Programming software
- Serial Programming cable
- Wall Charger
- Pryme Speaker Mic
- Manual
- Antenna
- Original packaging

Asking $300.00 plus shipping & insurance to your QTH.

Please contact me off list at: kc9il@...

Thanks & 73,

Warren
KC9IL

2677. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-15 23:14:41 UTC
From: David
Topic: 2659 Message: 2677

Yes but are you also doing a app for the iPhone also?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 13, 2013, at 8:19 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:

> Hi Loren. I'm writing a D-STAR app for android almost as we speak... :)
>
> 73,
> Robin
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Loren" <loren@...> wrote:
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> > Thanks,
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> > Loren, NJ3D
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>

2678. RPI install problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-21 23:08:34 UTC
From: <wiseb@...>
Topic: 2678 Message: 2678

I have a similar problem that was posted earlier. I have downloaded the tgz file a couple of times and still no luck

When I run " sudo tar xzPF DVAPTool-rpi-1.04.tgz"

I get gzip: stdin not in gzip format
Tar: child returned status 1
Tar: Error is not recoverable: exiting now

2679. Re: RPI install problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-21 23:59:48 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2678 Message: 2679

Hi(didn't state your name).

It sounds like you are not downloading the complete file. If you run:

"ls -l DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz"

it should look something like:

-rw-r--r-- 1 robin wheel 996741 Feb 15 2013 DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz

If you run:

"md5sum DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz"

it should look like:

9525ecc3513e946d7888d63e4ad5eb8c DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2680. Re: RPI install problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-22 13:47:23 UTC
From: kz1o
Topic: 2678 Message: 2680

It's a long shot, but when you transferred the file from the server, were you careful to FTP it using the "binary" or "image" transfer method, versus ASCII? This is one common cause of file corruption in situations like this. It's easy to do (and easy to fix).

You can tell if Robin's MD5 command shown above gives you a different result.

Good luck! 73,
Dave KZ1O

2681. RE: RPI install problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-22 18:17:42 UTC
From: <wiseb@...>
Topic: 2678 Message: 2681

I ran the commands and didn't have a complete download. I tried a couple more times and got the complete file, so now things are working.

Thanks
Bob W

--- In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <bushong@...> wrote:

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You can tell if Robin's MD5 command shown above gives you a different result.

Good luck! 73,
Dave KZ1O

2682. No Audio From Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-24 16:57:25 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2682 Message: 2682

This is weird. I can connect to the Dongle on my 31A as always. But if I link or unlink or do anything it works as I can see on the screen. But on the 31A I no longer get any audio from the Dongle at all. I did change a settings file on the 31A but have returned to the old one even factory resetting the 31A. I notice that on my Tool I see that I no longer have two or three red dots of squelch level. Just 1. But when I turn the squelch down it doesn't help either. I do see, when the Dongle transmits the file I can't hear that the bar fills with red dots. I am at my wit's end.... Any ideas???

2683. Re: No Audio From Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-24 22:24:32 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2682 Message: 2683

Hi Neil. Try changing the frequency in DVAPTool up/down by 5/10 kHz while keeping your radio at the original frequency. It sounds like you are a bit off frequency.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
>
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2685. Re: No Audio From Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-25 03:48:06 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2682 Message: 2685

Hi Robin -- Nope, no luck with that either. Yet it does seem off frequency because if I look at the tool and see the audio coming up on the squelch bar and I manually unsquelch the 31A I can hear a terribly distorted and partial announcement. But I can't seem to find a "sweet" spot. I fired up my usually dormant 2820 also and it does exactly the same thing. So, it's the dongle. Any other ideas? Should I send this one to you to look at? Thanks.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Neil. Try changing the frequency in DVAPTool up/down by 5/10 kHz while keeping your radio at the original frequency. It sounds like you are a bit off frequency.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@> wrote:
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> >
>

2686. Re: No Audio From Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-25 03:48:53 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2682 Message: 2686

Hi Adrian --
Nope, it's not in DUP. Thanks.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> Double check you do not have freq shift where your tx freq is correct
> for the dvap setup,..... & rx is different by a possible duplex offset
> amount, if you inadvertently have the radio set that way.
>
> Watch the display to see if tx & rx freq are different ? If so set dup
> off,... for DVAPTool usage.
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Neil <neil@...>
> Reply-to: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] No Audio From Dongle
> Date: Sat, 24 Aug 2013 16:57:25 -0000
>
>
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> link or unlink or do anything it works as I can see on the screen. But
> on the 31A I no longer get any audio from the Dongle at all. I did
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> longer have two or three red dots of squelch level. Just 1. But when I
> turn the squelch down it doesn't help either. I do see, when the Dongle
> transmits the file I can't hear that the bar fills with red dots. I am
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2687. Re: No Audio From Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-25 04:01:48 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 2682 Message: 2687

Robin --
Ignore earlier reply. I realized I was looking at a decimal point wrong and by properly subtracting 5KHz from the frequency it DID work! However happy as I am to be using it again I am wondering if there is any way I can make it so that I only again have to enter the "real" frequency as intended and as is far less confusing?

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
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>

2688. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-25 19:30:40 UTC
From: Neil
Topic: 171 Message: 2688

Robin, I was reading over the MFI forms and happened to see your note while pursuing something else here. The contracts are pretty standard and should not need real lawyer involvement. There is a royalty but low enough most people build it into the cost. Also if you could figure out a way for the dongle or DVAP to communicate via Bluetooth with the IOS Device no MFI would be needed as no physical connection. Just a thought.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Don. Unfortunately, Apple wants their pound of flesh to connect with their devices. First, you have to have your lawyers get with their lawyers to hammer out a contract in the MFI (made for iPod) program. :)
>
> Using a Raspberry Pi, it would be possible to extend the device via wifi so you could still use it with a custom app.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
> --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Lricha <lricha2001@> wrote:
> >
> >
> > Has there been a cable for the iPad to work with the DV dongle or DVAP dongle?
> >
> >
> > Thanks,
> > Don WJ9m
> > lricha2001@
> >
> >
> >
> > Sent from my iPad
> >
>

2689. Re: No Audio From Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-25 19:33:39 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2682 Message: 2689

Hi Neil. If you download the DVAP Util program from the downloads page at www.dvapdongle.com, you can use the spectrum display to center the frequency using the calibration field in the lower left corner.

If you'd prefer, you can always send the unit back to me for calibration.

We had a number of folks that ran the early version of DVAPNode which wiped out the calibration data in the DVAP. Those had to come back for re-calibration.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@...> wrote:
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> Robin --
> Ignore earlier reply. I realized I was looking at a decimal point wrong and by properly subtracting 5KHz from the frequency it DID work! However happy as I am to be using it again I am wondering if there is any way I can make it so that I only again have to enter the "real" frequency as intended and as is far less confusing?
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> > --- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "Neil" <neil@> wrote:
> > >
> > > This is weird. I can connect to the Dongle on my 31A as always. But if I link or unlink or do anything it works as I can see on the screen. But on the 31A I no longer get any audio from the Dongle at all. I did change a settings file on the 31A but have returned to the old one even factory resetting the 31A. I notice that on my Tool I see that I no longer have two or three red dots of squelch level. Just 1. But when I turn the squelch down it doesn't help either. I do see, when the Dongle transmits the file I can't hear that the bar fills with red dots. I am at my wit's end.... Any ideas???
> > >
> >
>

2690. UDP/TCP Ports

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-26 00:08:04 UTC
From: Loren
Topic: 2690 Message: 2690

Hey guys what ports does the DVAP use?

Thanks,

Loren, NJ3D

2691. DVAP wanted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-26 03:34:35 UTC
From: vk2ah49
Topic: 2691 Message: 2691

Hi, A friend of mine is wanting to buy a second hand DVAP. Does anyone have one for sale?
Must be in good working order.
We would prefer they are from Australia. E mail vk2ah@...
Regards Brian VK2AH

2692. Re: Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-26 13:45:27 UTC
From: gsownsby
Topic: 2629 Message: 2692

Hello Brian,
I did a fresh install of Wheezy (after a full reformat of my SD card) and installed the script you announced for auto starting the DVAP software.
So far the actual use of my Icom 91AD with the R*Pi/DVAP is working but I noticed one thing...it may or may not be related to the script or may be something completely different. Even though my TX message is in place, selected, and turned on. It does not display on our repeaters dashboard (remote user / last heard) but it is successfully linked and I can talk to others.
Ordinarily I use the DVAP with my Windows 8 PC without this happening. So could there be anything affecting the message with the script and/or the Linux version of DVAP? I'm scratching my head over this oddity.
Thank you.
Gary, AK4ZXChattanooga, TN

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "nj6n" wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I've written an installer that makes running the DVAP on Raspberry Pi, easy as... well, you know. DVAPTool is started automatically during boot up and runs autonomously. Logging is provided to /var/log/dvaptool.log. I'm working on a companion script that enables command functionality, e.g. reboot, shutdown, etc.
>
> Information is available here:
>
> http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html
>
> Vy 73,
> Brian
> NJ6N
>

2695. Re: Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-28 01:02:45 UTC
From: Gary Ownsby
Topic: 2629 Message: 2695

Hi Adrian,

Yeah but that was when I hooked up the DVAP to my Windows PC but just forgot to change the TX message. When I hook up to the R*Pi, the message doesn't show up. Thanks.

Gary

2696. SET UP ID31A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-28 17:54:27 UTC
From: kb0vvk
Topic: 2696 Message: 2696

where and what do I put in my id31a to use the dv dongle
go slow im old iv got the red one
jon kb0v vk

2697. Trouble Loading DVAP Software to Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-08-31 10:17:12 UTC
From: <n1toq@...>
Topic: 2697 Message: 2697

My Pi crashed so I purchased another SD card and it boots up just fine. Loaded the operating system and its ok. However, when I am trying to load the DVAP 1.04 software, i get the error message of "tar old option". there an easier way to do this? Very frustrated. Thanks N1toq

2698. DVAP Dongle w/DVAPTool 1.04 and the ID51a -- Programming DR memory Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-01 15:53:15 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2698 Message: 2698

"Ignoring transmission from radio not in simplex mode. RPT1/RPT2 must be set to DIRECT"

Has anyone had any success programmng a DR memory in an Icom ID51A to work sucessfully with a DVAP controlled by DVAPTool v1.04?

I can get the ID51A to work with the DVAP 'any day of the week' using normal memories, but this consumes 10 to 50 memories just to manage a single DVAP. This is much too expensive on resources to use normal memories. There are other issues with doing it this way however I digress.

This is my 'current' DR settings:
Name: DVAP
Sub Name: Florida
Call Sign: KB4LHP
GW Call Sign: KB4LHP
Group: 05 DVAP
Use (From): Yes
Frequency: 435.500.00
Dup: DUP+
Offset Freq: 0.000.00
Position: Exact
Latitude: 28xxzzN
Longitude: 081xxzzW
UTC Offset: -5:00

For Callsigns, I've tried almost every combination of My callsign, "DVAP ", "blank ", "DIRECT ", 8 spaces, that I can think of but no joy with any of them.

If either the Call sign or GW Call Sign are blank, the ID51 decides that it is not a valid DR record and refuses to show it to you in the radio.

I have not been able to find the magic combination that lets the ID51 be happy with a DVAP DR record at the same time as the DVAPTool is happy with the incoming RF data.

Unless I am told differently, I believe that DVAPTool v1.04 is being overly restrictive as to what constitues a valid and acceptable incoming simplex transmission.

New Local RF Stream:
hdr f 40:00:00 r2 KB4LHP r1 KB4LHP ur CQCQCQ my KB4LHP P /ID51 fc 48d4 OK
Ignoring transmission from radio not in simplex mode. RPT1/RPT2 must be set to DIRECT
Dropping Extra voice/packets

Thank you & 73
Luther LB4LHP

2699. RE: ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-01 16:04:53 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2631 Message: 2699

I am having the same problem getting my DVAP to work with a ID51 DR memory.

I am guessing that the ID51 is expecting the DR memory to be filled a "real" full featured repeater and DVAPTool is not having any of that nonsense.

I'm not happy about it, but it would appear that currently DVAPTool and the ID51 are not compatible with each other in DR mode at this time. :(

Hopefully it is something I am mis-configuring and not a real incompatibility issue.

73

Luther
KB4LHP

2700. DVAP and ID31E

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-01 23:07:36 UTC
From: carrierankin@sky.com
Topic: 2700 Message: 2700

Hi guys struggling to get my DVAP to access repeaters. Work fine on reflectors but can't access repeaters. I'm using 2m version. Anyone advise me of the settings?

2701. RE: DVAP Dongle w/DVAPTool 1.04 and the ID51a -- Programming DR memory Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-02 02:57:06 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2698 Message: 2701

How do you mark this thread answered/solved?

Finally figured it out with some assistance from Robert KD0MVB. Thank you Robert.

Turns out the problem was with the Duplex field in the DR memory of the ID51a and maybe/maybe not with the callsign fields.

DUP needs to be "OFF", I am not sure if it matters about either callsign field of the DR memory. Mine are currently blank.

This is my current DR settings for my DVAP:

Name: DVAP
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GW Call Sign: <blank>
Group: 05 DVAP
Use (From): Yes
Frequency: 435.500.00
Dup: OFF
Offset Freq: 0.000.00
Position: Exact
Latitude: 28xxzzN
Longitude: 081xxzzW
UTC Offset: -5:00

This lets me find it as a GPS "Near Repeater" and access and just it just like any other repeater you might have listed in your repeater list.

All I can say is "Sweet!!!" :)

YMMV. Good luck and 73

Luther
KB4LHP

2702. RE: ID-51A with DVAP -- can't talk with reflector!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-02 03:16:46 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2631 Message: 2702

I figured out my problem.

Yours is that you need to use "Use Repeater" (CQCQCQ) Local CQCQCQ doesn't get passed out of the DVAP nor ANY gateway for that matter.

As best I can tell Local CQ is for simplex operations only. (radio-to-radio direct).

Good luck & 73

Luther
KB4LHP

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2703. Can't link through new DSL connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-02 23:05:34 UTC
From: code2key
Topic: 2703 Message: 2703

My DVAP is connected to a Windows XP laptop. When I am at home with the laptop connected to my cable modem all works as it should. When I'm away from home and my laptop is connected to the internet through my Verizon MiFi 2200, it all works as it should.

Today, at a temporary QTH, I started internet service through a DSL connection from Fairpoint, the local telephone provider. My internet connection seems normal. I can open web pages, etc.

But when I open DVAP Tool and attempt to link to a repeater or reflector, nothing happens. If I disconnect from my DSL router and connect to the MiFi hotspot, it works. Why am I not able to connect through the DSL router?

73, Paul K1CGZ

2704. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't link through new DSL connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-03 03:40:48 UTC
From: Kenneth Grimard
Topic: 2703 Message: 2704

hi paul

port 20001 udp is being blocked by your dsl modem. you will have to turn
off the firewall on the dsl modem. you may also
have to port foward port 20001 udp to the address that is being by your
laptop when using that connection.

once you do that all should be good with dvap tool.

ken n1dot
turner, me

On 9/2/2013 7:05 PM, code2key wrote:
>
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>

2705. RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] Can't link through new DSL connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-03 11:48:45 UTC
From: <jf.va2ss@...>
Topic: 2703 Message: 2705

It is possible that your DSL service provider block an amount of ports and let your Internet traffic going thru a some sort of proxy to filter all the Internet traffic.

It is a common "bad habit" from providers to unfortunately block the misuse or some kind of applications.

You should contact your provider technical support and do some test with them.

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2706. RE: Can't link through new DSL connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-04 13:05:16 UTC
From: <j.preece@...>
Topic: 2703 Message: 2706

hello,

Its possible as above the ports have been blocked on that ISP and as such you could try to contact them and ask them to open it, but its not likley.

A technical solution would be to create a IP tunnel between your laptop and say your home PC and proxy the connection out.

This may seem technical if you have not seen it before but can be done very easily and once set up can be run in a few clicks.

If you are interested to learn more ping me direct I'll give you some instructions.

Thanks and good luck

James / kg7efv / 2e1avx

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2707. RE: Can't link through new DSL connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-04 13:27:12 UTC
From: <j.preece@...>
Topic: 2703 Message: 2707

Another way to ensure you always get a connection out is to use an internet tunnel / proxy.

you basically redirect the port via a ssh connection to another PC who has port access.

Sounds complex at first if you have not done it, but its an additional 2 clicks once its set up.

Ping me direct if you want to try it out, I have a server in the US and in the UK we can test on.

73 de James kg7efv / 2e1avx

2709. Re: Can't link through new DSL connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-05 11:42:48 UTC
From: code2key
Topic: 2703 Message: 2709

The modem/router is a Wavetell 7500.

Thank you to everyone that responded. I've got it working now, though I'm not sure how. I didn't figure out how to get into the settings to adjust what ports were being used, but apparently on one of my system re-boots caused some sort of reassignments. It just started working.

73 ~ Paul

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:
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>
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> MiFi hotspot, it works. Why am I not able to connect
> through the DSL router?
>
> 73, Paul K1CGZ
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>
> What is the model of the DSL router please Paul ?
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>

2710. Trouble loading DVAPTool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-05 17:26:11 UTC
From: Thom "Red" Duggan
Topic: 2710 Message: 2710

Robin... et al

I have an HP G62 laptop and have tried numerous times to load DVAPTool on it...

Problem is... each time I try to load the program, it seems to download ok, but when I try to open it, the black background DVAPTool window opens w/ nothing in it and a pop-up window opens, stating "The ordinal 80 could not be located in the dynamic link library FTD2XX.dll"

I have then reloaded the FTD2XX.dll many times and nothing changes.

I'm an "ole foggie" and self taught on computers... so not the sharpest tack in the drawer... so what the heck is an "ordinal 80"? and does anyone have any suggestions for me to try to get the program to open properly?

73.....

Red/wa8rli

2711. Re: Trouble loading DVAPTool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-05 18:02:08 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2710 Message: 2711

Hi Red. Your FTDI driver is very old. Go to http://www.ftdichip.com and click on Drivers. Then load the VCP driver for your O/S.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2712. Re: [DVAPDongle] Trouble loading DVAPTool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-06 10:51:38 UTC
From: amsctalx@...
Topic: 2710 Message: 2712

Hi -

FTD2XX.DLL is part of the driver package for the FTDI USB transceiver, which is the component the DVAP uses to "talk to" DVAPtool. You need to install the entire FTDI driver, which is mentioned on the DVAP webpage here:

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html

Paragraph 2 has a link to the correct package. Download it, "un-zip" it and then run it. DVAPtool should then find the DVAP and all should be well.

Mike Alexander - N8MSA

amsctalx@...

----- Original Message -----
From: "Thom \"Red\" Duggan" <wa8rli@...>
To: "aDVAP Dongle" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 5, 2013 1:26:11 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Trouble loading DVAPTool

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Red/wa8rli

2713. FOR SALE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-06 12:31:52 UTC
From: g1ypq
Topic: 2713 Message: 2713

Hi G1YPQ here I am selling my ID-51 with drop in charger standard battery and gel case + heavy duty Battery, also as part of this bundle I am selling my UHF DVAP Dongle and Raspberry Pi that is configured to work with the DVAP asking £650 no offers, Located in Wakefield West Yorkshire, would prefer inspect and collect,My details are on qrz.com
Many Thanks Grab a bargain before its gone

2714. firmware issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-06 14:52:42 UTC
From: LGB
Topic: 2714 Message: 2714

Anyone have a uhf dvap and did the firmware update???

It kills the unit My unit will not work any longer

Anyone have a fix for this as you cannot contact the manufacturer

2715. Re: firmware issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-06 17:16:52 UTC
From: aa4rc
Topic: 2714 Message: 2715

I've stated here that you SHOULD NOT attempt a firmware update unless told to do so. The firmware was removed from the official site some time ago. Obviously, you got firmware from somewhere else and took it upon yourself to upgrade.

Sometimes you get what you deserve.

Perhaps if you had also read the instructions that came with the unit, you would know that you can send email to support@.... That is how you contact the manufacturer (or post here).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, LGB <larryfire26@...> wrote:
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>

2716. Re: [DVAPDongle] firmware issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-06 22:49:36 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 2714 Message: 2716

I have a UHF DVAP... no update so far.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 6, 2013, at 9:52 AM, LGB <larryfire26@...> wrote:

> Anyone have a uhf dvap and did the firmware update???
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> It kills the unit My unit will not work any longer
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2717. Local repeater users must be on Link talk?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-07 00:04:15 UTC
From: <hinkelr@...>
Topic: 2717 Message: 2717

Just love my new DVAP...Works great...

The question is after I connect to a local repeater, I only hear stations

who have link talk set . if they set local I can not hear them. Is this normal ?

73 Rich KB0WD

2718. Re: [DVAPDongle] Local repeater users must be on Link talk?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-07 01:24:55 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 2717 Message: 2718

Depends on what you mean by "link talk". If they do not have the gateway in their RPT2 position (which is not required for them to talk locally on the repeater), then no, you will not hear them.

Likewise, if the repeater is linked to a reflector, and they do not have the gateway programmed in RPT2, they will not be heard on the reflector. But perhaps they desire to only be heard on local RF.

Mark

On 9/6/2013 5:04 PM, hinkelr@... wrote:
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2719. Re: [DVAPDongle] Local repeater users must be on Link talk?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-07 01:29:47 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 2717 Message: 2719

Yes, it's normal. The DVAP is connecting to the repeater through the gateway using the DPlus protocol, and this requires users to have the repeater gateway set in their radios to be heard over the network. If they don't, the gateway software and DPlus won't see the traffic.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

From: "hinkelr@..." <hinkelr@mst.edu>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, September 6, 2013 8:04 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Local repeater users must be on Link talk?

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2720. RE: [DVAPDongle] firmware issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-07 01:34:30 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 2714 Message: 2720
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

THERE IS NO UPDATE! If you should find one, DO NOT TRY TO UPLOAD IT, as it will do just what you discovered – kill your DVAP.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Don
Sent: Friday, September 06, 2013 6:50 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc: dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] firmware issues

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No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2013.0.3392 / Virus Database: 3222/6643 - Release Date: 09/06/13

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2721. DVAPTool devs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-07 01:35:59 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2721 Message: 2721

Anyone know how to make the "I" command tell you which reflector the DVAP it is currently connected to?

Sending the information commands to the DVAP is currently not very helpful. It only returns the default dvap-ID.tool audio file.

What would it take to make it return its call sign and reflector it is currently connected to or not connected to?

Thank you/73

Luther
KB4LHP

2722. RE: Local repeater users must be on Link talk?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-07 01:44:21 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2717 Message: 2722

Yes, that is normal.

Local means just that "Local" only.

If someone sets "Local CQ" then their transmissions only exit the RF repeater and are not forwarded out of the Repeater's Gateway port.

Since you are connected to the repeater via the Gateway, they can hear you, but you cannot hear them.

I most always use "Use gateway CQCQCQ". That way I can bore a lot more people with my ramblings of nonsensical tidbits of useless knowledge. Not unlike what you are reading right here. :)

73
Luther
KB4LHP

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2723. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool devs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-12 17:30:51 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 2721 Message: 2723
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Have you looked at the message in your display after you send the I command? It doesn’t tell you in voice, it’s shows up as a message.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of lutherp40@gmail.com
Sent: Friday, September 6, 2013 9:36 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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Anyone know how to make the "I" command tell you which reflector the DVAP it is currently connected to?

Sending the information commands to the DVAP is currently not very helpful. It only returns the default dvap-ID.tool audio file.

What would it take to make it return its call sign and reflector it is currently connected to or not connected to?

Thank you/73

Luther
KB4LHP

2724. Receive Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-13 07:02:45 UTC
From: <kg7adx@...>
Topic: 1230 Message: 2724

I have read everything about this here but I cannot get beyond the that I connected to the reflector in "receive only". I can see that I'm connected. Everything else is fine, yet receive only. There has to be a simple answer. Any ideas?

Thanks,
Scott

2725. Re: Auto Open

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-14 03:03:09 UTC
From: w2mgfbx
Topic: 1094 Message: 2725

I cant even get mine 2 oen in os x no idea whats wrong it open once then no more
--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "pjgolian" <pete@...> wrote:
>
> Is there a way to automatically open the device when DVAP tool starts on OSX instead of manually clicking the open button?
>
> Pete
> KB3VZQ
>

2727. Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-14 18:28:44 UTC
From: carrierankin@sky.com
Topic: 2727 Message: 2727

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2728. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-15 14:07:37 UTC
From: Bill Garvey
Topic: 2727 Message: 2728

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2729. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-15 14:11:27 UTC
From: Christopher Haslewood
Topic: 2727 Message: 2729

Hi
Yes switch it Off and then On again
You will probably see you radio says FM Detc
I don’t know why it does this mine dose the same occasionally
Regards
Chris G7TCW

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] on behalf of carrierankin@... [carrierankin@...]
Sent: 14 September 2013 19:28
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Help

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2730. Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-16 23:46:49 UTC
From: <ve3etg@...>
Topic: 2727 Message: 2730

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2731. Re: Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-15 19:04:42 UTC
From: carrierankin@sky.com
Topic: 2727 Message: 2731

Ive tried restarting everything but nothing works still have the orange red and green flashing fast both with my pc and the pi can the dvap be reset?

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2732. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 06:18:17 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2727 Message: 2732
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

You set the gateway with a G not L.

Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ve3etg@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, September 16, 2013 4:47 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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2733. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 06:28:44 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2727 Message: 2733
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

You Must put the Callsign of the repeater and the Module in the first RPT1 ex: KF7LDG B in the RPT2 field has to be set to ex: KF7LDG G In the UR field use either CQCQCQ,

I,

E,

U

Brad NK8J

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2734. Re: Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 07:20:38 UTC
From: BK
Topic: 2727 Message: 2734

Try Unplugging everything. Leave is set for a few minutes then Plug the DVAP into the PI. plug the SD card into the PI. and all your other connections then power up the PI. Make sure you left it unplug for a few minutes. make sure to check your network config for the internet.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "carrierankin@..." <carrierankin@...> wrote:
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2735. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 07:29:41 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2727 Message: 2735

Hello,

It is not common practice to connect directly to repeaters.. generally those gateways are linked to a reflector. Even so, the repeater may not have access to the internet, or chooses not to allow dvaps/dongles to connect to it..

Hope this helps

Ken
Kc2idb

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

-------- Original message --------
From: ve3etg@gmail.com
Date: 09/16/2013 7:46 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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2737. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 07:01:31 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2727 Message: 2737
Attachments: 4 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

"xxxxxxmL" (to link, replace XXXXXX with the gateway or

reflector callsign making sure to use 6

characters filling the end with spaces as needed.

Replace the "m" in the 7th character with the module

to which you wish to link. Use "L" in the 8th

character to indicate the Link command. For

example, to link to Reflector 001 module C, use

"REF001CL" in URCALL. To link to gateway W4DOC

module A, use "W4DOC AL" in URCALL)

Brad NK8J

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2738. Re: [DVAPDongle] Digest Number 721

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 17:36:52 UTC
From: Loren Richard Shirk
Topic: 2738 Message: 2738

Here is an example of my entries and they work. Unused fields left out.

Receive Transmit Offset Dir Mode Name
Your Call Sign Rpt1 Rpt2
145.67000 145.67000 Simplex DV NormanB W5TC BL Blank Blank

Loren, NJ3D

On Tue, Sep 17, 2013 at 6:54 AM, <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

> **
> [image: Yahoo! Groups] <http://groups.yahoo.com/;_ylc=X3oDMTJlbmJ2c2o0BF9TAzk3MzU5NzE1BG
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> Digest #721
> 1a
> Help <#1412bc5c7785c2b2_1a> by gernon_thomas
> 1b
> Re: Help <#1412bc5c7785c2b2_1b> by "carrierankin@..."
> carrierankin@...
> 1c
> Re: Help <#1412bc5c7785c2b2_1c> by "Brad NK8J" b_kellison
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> those gateways are linked to a reflector. Even so, the repeater may not
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> connect to it..
>
> Hope this helps
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> Ken
> Kc2idb
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> Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone
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> -------- Original message --------
> From: ve3etg@gmail.**com
> Date: 09/16/2013 7:46 PM (GMT-05:00)
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogro**ups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Help
>
>
> Hello,
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> I just got my Dvap up and running I can Connect to Refleters but when i
> try to connect to a repeater it says gateway unknown. I put
> the repeater call in the ur call for example with the B for the modual and
> L for link but it doesn'**t work what am I doing wrong someone help
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> Tue Sep 17, 2013 4:05 am (PDT) . Posted by: "Adrian" vk4tux
<vk4tux@...?subject=Re%3A%20Help>
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> the repeater call in the ur call for example with the B for the modual
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> please.
>
> Some good advice from Ken KC2IDB, also;
>
> Gateways may not have six character callsigns like all Reflectors, so
> add space(s) to make it 6, such that BL is in the seventh & eighth
> positions.
>
> example
>
> W6DHS#BL
>
> # = space
>
> If the port is no already linked elsewhere, has dplus port open and
> aloows dngl connection in config,
>
> Then you have a chance to connect.
>
> Some people are putting U in-place of L in above to unlink, but correct
> is
>
> ########U
>
> The L in eigth position is for link regardless if Gateway or Reflector.
> 7th position depicts port

>
> The list of available dplus gateways will be as shown in the blue DV
> Dongle DVTool connect list.
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
> Reply to sender <vk4tux@...?subject=Re%3A%20Help> . Reply
> to group <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com?subject=Re%3A%20Help> . Reply
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> We are making changes based on your feedback, Thank you !
> Submit Feedback
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> The Yahoo! Groups Product Blog
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> TERMS OF USE <http://info.yahoo.com/legal/us/yahoo/utos/terms/>
> > <http://info.yahoo.com/legal/us/yahoo/utos/terms/>
> UNSUBSCRIBE <DVAPDongle-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com?subject=Unsubscribe>
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>

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Loren Richard Shirk
480.252.1056

2739. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 20:34:16 UTC
From: Ham Radio
Topic: 2727 Message: 2739

On 9/16/2013 7:46 PM, ve3etg@... wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
>
> I just got my Dvap up and running I can Connect to Refleters but when
> i try to connect to a repeater it says gateway unknown. I put
> the repeater call in the ur call for example with the B for the modual
> and L for link but it doesn't work what am I doing wrong someone help
> please.
>
Thank you for all your help. I have a lot of learning to do. I'll be
back if I need more help.

--
73,
Thomas Gernon
VE3ETG

2740. RE: [DVAPDongle] Help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-17 13:01:32 UTC
From: Tim Hardy AF1G
Topic: 2727 Message: 2740

Gateway unknown usually means either your DVAP isn't seeing the "directory" of known repeaters and Gateways or the repeater to which you are trying to connect isn't a Gateway, i.e., not connected to the Internet.

The only time I have ever seen "Gateway Unknown" is if I start my DVAP and my internet connection isn't there and my DVAP can't see the Gateways because of an internet problem.

The same will be true for DV Dongles.

Tim, AF1G

---- Ken <kc2idb@...> wrote:

==========
Hello,

It is not common practice to connect directly to repeaters.. generally those gateways are linked to a reflector. Even so, the repeater may not have access to the internet, or chooses not to allow dvaps/dongles to connect to it..

Hope this helps

Ken
Kc2idb

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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Help

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for example with the B for the modual and L for link but it doesn't work what am I doing wrong someone help please.

2741. Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-19 13:12:57 UTC
From: carrierankin@sky.com
Topic: 2741 Message: 2741

How do i safely close dvap and raspberry pi when not using a monitor?

2742. RE: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-20 13:56:28 UTC
From: <pughwj@...>
Topic: 2741 Message: 2742

I go into Terminal and execute "sudo shutdown".

When making changes and I need to restart, I do "sudo reboot".

Warren
KC9IL

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

How do i safely close dvap and raspberry pi when not using a monitor?

2743. RE: RE: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-20 19:17:19 UTC
From: <gary@...>
Topic: 2741 Message: 2743

Hi Warren,

I think his question dealt with a headless configuration...an answer I was looking forward to as well. Thanks.

Gary
AK4ZX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

I go into Terminal and execute "sudo shutdown".

When making changes and I need to restart, I do "sudo reboot".

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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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2744. Re: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-20 23:37:43 UTC
From: Ken
Topic: 2741 Message: 2744

1. Connect from another computer using an SSH client.
2. Install VNC server on the Pi a VNC client on the other computer.

Ken - KC4YOZ

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "carrierankin@..." <carrierankin@...> wrote:
>
> How do i safely close dvap and raspberry pi when not using a monitor?
>

2745. RE: RE: RE: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-21 15:14:58 UTC
From: <pughwj@...>
Topic: 2741 Message: 2745

Gary, I use the commands for both headless and direct connect. 73, Warren

2746. RE: RE: RE: RE: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-22 00:42:25 UTC
From: <gary@...>
Topic: 2741 Message: 2746

Hi Warren,

Now that makes perfect sense...I was missing the "how" in executing those commands. Thanks.

Gary
AK4ZX

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Gary, I use the commands for both headless and direct connect. 73, Warren

2747. Re: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-22 12:33:03 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 2741 Message: 2747

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "carrierankin@..." <carrierankin@...> wrote:
>
> How do i safely close dvap and raspberry pi when not using a monitor?
>

The image I use on my pi allows me to issue the commands from my radio. I have REBOOT and HALT programmed into a memory channel. When I want to shut down or HALT the system I dial to that memory and push the PTT. The same goes for REBOOT.

2748. Pi using wifi dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-22 15:42:13 UTC
From: <wgreenleaf@...>
Topic: 2748 Message: 2748

Hi, I'm using a raspberry pi with a wifi dongle, works great have it set up to either use my wifi at home or my mobile hot spot. the config for this /wpa_supplicant.conf has shown me how to set up a wifi connection which is wpa-psk, but how can i set on up that is an open wifi connection with no password:

```
network={
ssid="SSID 1?
scan_ssid=1
proto=RSN
key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
pairwise=CCMP TKIP
group=CCMP TKIP
psk="The encryption Key for this network goes here"
}
```

any suggestions would be appreciated.

Aloha
Wayne

2749. RE: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-09-23 16:47:28 UTC
From: <joe@...>
Topic: 2741 Message: 2749

Sounds like what I have been looking for.

What image are you using?

Thanks,

Joe, K4DMU

--- In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <kc4cgy@...> wrote:

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "carrierankin@..." <carrierankin@...> wrote:

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2750. Dvap on Mac not linking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-04 20:41:40 UTC
From: <mike@...>
Topic: 2750 Message: 2750

Ok everyone my apols but I can't find the answer anywhere.

I have a dvap on a mac, latest drivers and software. Dvap starts up ok. I have an ic2820 on the other side. I have all the recommended commands programmed into the rig.
When I ptt on the rig I get a cqcqcq go out and the dvap responds ok. I then get a msg back saying not linked. No matter what I do I always get not linked come up.
Dvap serial number is shown properly etc.

Anyone got any useful help to provide will be very welcome.

Thanks, Mike.

2751. RE: Dvap on Mac not linking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-07 15:34:48 UTC
From: <lutherp40@...>
Topic: 2750 Message: 2751

Mike,

The link command goes where the CQCQCQ line is now.

It is only used once to tell the DVAP where to connect. You could tell it to connect to a repeater or a reflector, your choice.

For example in my ID51 I use the existing list in in there I have an entry that says "Link to Reflector 1C and that command is REF001CL. This is temporarily substituting the "Use Repeater" CQCQCQ command with a 'link to...' command. You need to switch back to "Use Repeater" CQCQCQ to actually use the link you just created.

It is slightly counterintuitive, but the To line is always the instructions as to what you want the system to do during the next transmission.

Good Luck & 73

Luther
KB4LHP

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Thanks, Mike.

2752. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Dvap on Mac not linking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-08 12:11:58 UTC
From: Mike Smith
Topic: 2750 Message: 2752

Thanks, now working perfectly. :)

[http://static.ideasunplugged.com/signature/s_208/t_u81G38.jpg?v=12]

Cheers, Mike.

Mike Smith

M: +44 7973 221971
[Email]<mailto:mike@...>[Twitter]<http://twitter.com/mikey1963>[LinkedIn]<http://www.linkedin.com/in/mikesmithce?_mSplash=1>[Skype]<skype:mike.smith?userinfo>[WordPress]<http://mikey1963.com/>

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On 8 Oct 2013, at 13:10, "lutherp40@...<mailto:lutherp40@...>" <lutherp40@...<mailto:lutherp40@...>> wrote:

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2753. RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-08 16:46:28 UTC
From: <ka7qqv@...>
Topic: 2659 Message: 2753

Ditto on beta testing. Samsung galaxy 4 https://www.google.com/search?client=firefox-a&hs=Ryb&rls=org.mozilla:en-US:official&q=Samsung+galaxy+4&spell=1&sa=X&ei=tzZUUsfbLKes2wXQzIDwCw&ved=0CCwQvwUoAA&biw=1255&bih=837&dpr=1
I am in bay area sfo

Ka7qqv

Don weber

Currently running a pi and vhf dvap

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Ditto on beta testing. Samsung Note II

73s George KD2AU
On Aug 13, 2013, at 9:19 PM, "aa4rc" <aa4rc@... mailto:aa4rc@...> wrote:

Hi Loren. I'm writing a D-STAR app for android almost as we speak... :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com mailto:DVAPDongle%40yahoogroups.com, "Loren" <loren@...> wrote:
>
> Does anyone know if there are plans to design an app for DVAP on Android?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Loren, NJ3D
>

2754. RE: RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-09 13:26:13 UTC
From: <charley@...>
Topic: 2659 Message: 2754

How much longer to get my dstar to work with androide i should have my samsung note 3 in a couple of days. It will be in on the 10th of oct

i have the red dv access point dongle and a Pi we will using verizon network.

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Ditto on beta testing. Samsung galaxy 4 https://www.google.com/search?client=firefox-a&hs=Ryb&rls=org.mozilla:en-US:official&q=Samsung+galaxy+4&spell=1&sa=X&ei=tzZUUsfbLKes2wXQzIDwCw&ved=0CCwQvwUoAA&biw=1255&bih=837&dpr=1
I am in bay area sfo

Ka7qqv

Don weber

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AA4RC

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2755. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-09 14:52:18 UTC
From: robertco30
Topic: 2659 Message: 2755

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2756. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-11 06:02:16 UTC
From: Dennis Rogers
Topic: 2659 Message: 2756

Wait until after Pacificon as I believe it will be announced there.

Dennis

On Wed, Oct 9, 2013 at 9:52 AM, robertco30 <rhicks@...> wrote:

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Dennis, N5VRP
n5vrp.satx@...

2757. New to DSTAR...Need info, DVAP & Rasberry pie setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-11 16:59:41 UTC
From: donsykes1@bellsouth.net
Topic: 2757 Message: 2757

I am able to use my dstar 880h radio using a dvap with out a problem. Now I have my feet wet I'm trying to use my 91AD with a Rasberry PI & a dvap. I burned the IMG file to the SD card and I load up OK but it just doesn't seem to let me link to a reflector. I hear the reflector beep but my radio wont link....I'm sure there is a problem somewhere in my setup, but I have it setup like the info I've downloaded of Hams who have it running. I thought if it wasn't with the image setup maybe it's with the 91AD, but it does link up using dvap tools with a PC and a dvap

I may not be asking the right questions, but is there anybody out there who can get me on the right track???

Really have a problem and pulling out what hair I have left....

73, de Don...kg3m

2758. RE: [DVAPDongle] New to DSTAR...Need info, DVAP & Raspberry pie setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-12 09:42:52 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2758 Message: 2758
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

make sure you set either a - or + repeater shift with an Offset of 0.000 on your simplex frequency. Also make sure your RPT1 is yourcall B for 440 or yourcall C for 2 meter and rpt2 is set for yourcall G

then in YOURCALL should have the REF030CL to link to Ref 30 C or whatever reflector you're on. Always have the L at the end for Linking. Ex:

YourCall: REF030CL

RPT1: NK8J C

RPT1: NK8J G

My Call: NK8J

Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of donsykes1@...
Sent: Friday, October 11, 2013 10:00 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] New to DSTAR...Need info, DVAP & Rasberry pie setup

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2759. RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-13 17:59:57 UTC
From: <ka7qqv@...>
Topic: 2659 Message: 2759

so its Sunday morning and I was stuck at work what is the News

Thanks For update

Don

Ka7qqv

Alameda ca

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2760. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-14 18:36:40 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2659 Message: 2760

What was announced at pacificon?

--Fran, W1FJM

W1CDG - D-STAR Page<http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fw1cdg.gw.ircddb.net%2F>
W1FJM Web Page <http://s.wisestamp.com/links?url=http%3A%2F%2Fw1fjm.com>

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2761. RE: Trouble loading DVAPTool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-15 12:54:13 UTC
From: <davidwoodnutt@...>
Topic: 2710 Message: 2761

I had the same problem loading the DVAP tool into XP. After some difficulty and several goes at uninstalling the Tool and re installing, I managed to get the new FTDI drivers loaded but I have an old driver or file lurking somewhere that is giving the following problem:

I open the Tool and get both screens up but the DVAP wont open.

I close the Tool and am left with the black Command Prompt screen that will not close, it will only minimize. The last entry states"Killtimers cannot be stopped from another thread" It also prevents the laptop from shutting down when I exit XP.

Once I have the first unusable version of the Tool open I can open a second version of it and it works perfectly, shutting down correctly after use.

Does anyone know what files I might have left over from my first installs so I can delete them and get rid of the unwanted Command Prompt screen?

Dave G0RAU

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <amsctalx@...> wrote:

Hi -

FTD2XX.DLL is part of the driver package for the FTDI USB transceiver, which is the component the DVAP uses to "talk to" DVAPtool. You need to install the entire FTDI driver, which is mentioned on the DVAP webpage here:

http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html

Paragraph 2 has a link to the correct package. Download it, "un-zip" it and then run it. DVAPtool should then find the DVAP and all should be well.

Mike Alexander - N8MSA

amsctalx@...

From: "Thom \"Red\" Duggan" <wa8rli@...>
To: "aDVAP Dongle" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 5, 2013 1:26:11 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Trouble loading DVAPTool

Robin... et al

I have an HP G62 laptop and have tried numerous times to load DVAPTool on it...

Problem is... each time I try to load the program, it seems to download ok, but when I try to open it, the black background DVAPTool window opens w/ nothing in it and a pop-up window opens, stating "The ordinal 80 could not be located in the dynamic link library FTD2XX.dll"

I have then reloaded the FTD2XX.dll many times and nothing changes.

I'm an "ole foggie" and self taught on computers... so not the sharpest tack in the drawer... so what the heck is an "ordinal 80"? and does anyone have any suggestions for me to try to get the program to open properly?

73.....

Red/wa8rli

2763. Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-16 22:42:13 UTC
From: <pdean10061976@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2763

Has anyone else had trouble with the download link for the DVAP tool software? I just tried to download the software and received a 404 error?

Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2765. RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-18 11:34:12 UTC
From: <nick_cappucino@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2765

I have the same problem : HELP HELP

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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2766. RE: Pi using wifi dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-17 19:17:46 UTC
From: <k4shp@...>
Topic: 2748 Message: 2766

Wayne... If you can figure this one out please let me know. I have been trying to do the same thing for almost a year now.

73
DE
K4SHP (Proud to be a KNOW code ham)
K

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <wgreenleaf@...> wrote:

Hi, I'm using a raspberry pi with a wifi dongle, works great have it set up to either use my wifi at home or my mobile hot spot. the config for this /wpa_supplicant.conf has shown me how to set up a wifi connection which is wpa-psk, but how can i set on up that is an open wifi connection with no password:

```
network={
ssid="SSID 1?
scan_ssid=1
proto=RSN
key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
pairwise=CCMP TKIP
group=CCMP TKIP
psk="The encryption Key for this network goes here"
}
```

any suggestions would be appreciated.

Aloha
Wayne

2767. RE: [DVAPDongle] Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-18 04:56:35 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2763 Message: 2767

http://opendstar.org/tools/

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: pdean10061976@yahoo.com
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Wed, 16 Oct 2013 15:42:13 -0700
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Software Download Link

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Thanks,
Phil KB9IAK

2768. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Pi using wifi dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-18 12:01:52 UTC
From: Mason, Billy (list accts)
Topic: 2748 Message: 2768

To add another network, simply append it to the existing file, as shown below.

```
network={
ssid="SSID 1?
scan_ssid=1
proto=RSN
key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
pairwise=CCMP TKIP
group=CCMP TKIP
psk="The encryption Key for this network goes here"
}

network={
ssid="" <== double quotes, no space
key_mgmt=NONO
auth_alg=OPEN
}
```

Billy Mason
KD5KNR

On Thu, Oct 17, 2013 at 2:17 PM, <k4shp@...> wrote:

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> trying to do the same thing for almost a year now.
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> key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
> pairwise=CCMP TKIP
> group=CCMP TKIP
> psk=”The encryption Key for this network goes here”
> }
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> any suggestions would be appreciated.
>
> Aloha
> Wayne
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2769. Re: [DVAPDongle] Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-18 22:46:58 UTC
From: Dennis Rogers
Topic: 2763 Message: 2769

No problem now guys....

73's
Dennis

On Thu, Oct 17, 2013 at 7:37 PM, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:

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> DVAPTool-1.04-linux.tgz <http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPTool-1.04-linux.tgz>
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2770. RE: RE: [DVAPDongle] Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-19 00:44:24 UTC
From: <amitze@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2770

Hi there from N9NRA, yeah, i just tried to download the software for my DVAP to my new desktop machine and got the same 404 NOT FOUND error. Seems the DVAP site is gone for good (hope not)? Any thoughts? Mabey an alternate site/link to download the software from that`s safe? Intresting. N9NRA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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2771. RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-19 01:41:59 UTC
From: <amitze@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2771

Guess my last message didn`t show up :). Anyway, i too had a problem downloading (and even getting to the dvapdongle website, tried tonight while trying to set up my DVAP on my new desktop and all i got was a 404 NOT FOUND error. Is the site gone for good? Sure hope not, mabey an alternate safe link to download the software from? N9NRA P.S. Is DAVAPtools availible in the files section of this group? That would be a good workaround for now till we find out what happened to the website.

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <nick_cappucino@...> wrote:

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2772. DV Tool with Windows 8.1

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-19 14:51:39 UTC
From: <doug.herring1@...>
Topic: 2772 Message: 2772

Hello All,
I just upgraded from Window 8.0 Preview to Windows 8.1 and cannot get the Dongle software to re-install. Has anyone else had this problem or have any suggestions?

Thanks!
Doug

2773. RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-19 18:32:37 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2773

The site moved to a new server. It should be working.

Robin

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Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2774. RE: DV Tool with Windows 8.1

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 00:37:41 UTC
From: <davidwoodnutt@...>
Topic: 2772 Message: 2774

Same problem here. Found the missing .dll and slotted it into the program files but now it reports "missing ordinal79". Beginning to wish I had never updated for the few benefits that8.1gives.

Can anyone advise what ordinal 79 is and how to restore it? Help much appreciated.

Dave G0RAU

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <doug.herring1@...> wrote:

Hello All,
I just upgraded from Window 8.0 Preview to Windows 8.1 and cannot get the Dongle software to re-install. Has anyone else had this problem or have any suggestions?

Thanks!
Doug

2775. RE: DV Tool with Windows 8.1

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 00:58:29 UTC
From: <don@...>
Topic: 2772 Message: 2775

I can install it but when I try to run it I get a missing ftdx2.dll..or something like that error and it does not run.

Don KF7DS

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <doug.herring1@...> wrote:

Hello All,
I just upgraded from Window 8.0 Preview to Windows 8.1 and cannot get the Dongle software to re-install. Has anyone else had this problem or have any suggestions?

Thanks!
Doug

2776. RE: RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 02:10:51 UTC
From: <amitze@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2776

Hey Robin from N9NRA. Just tried to get onto the site just now and still no site...just the 404 NOT FOUND error yet, do ya happen to have the new URL for the site? N9NRA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

The site moved to a new server. It should be working.

Robin

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <pdean10061976@...> wrote:

Has anyone else had trouble with the download link for the DVAP tool software? I just tried to download the software and received a 404 error?

Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2777. RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 13:14:50 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2777

I'm not seeing any issues getting to the site. Anyone else having problems with it?

Robin

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <amitze@charter.net> wrote:

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Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2778. RE: RE: Pi using wifi dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 02:14:42 UTC
From: <wgreenleaf@...>
Topic: 2748 Message: 2778

just add this to wpa_supplicant.conf

network={
ssid="open nw"
scan_ssid=1
key_mgmt=NONE
auth_alg=OPEN
}

got it working this afternoon, just noticed someone else posted the same above, happy pi'ing..

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Wayne... If you can figure this one out please let me know. I have been trying to do the same thing for almost a year now.

73
DE
K4SHP (Proud to be a KNOW code ham)
K

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <wgreenleaf@...> wrote:

Hi, I'm using a raspberry pi with a wifi dongle, works great have it set up to either use my wifi at home or my mobile hot spot. the config for this /wpa_supplicant.conf has shown me how to set up a wifi connection which is wpa-psk, but how can i set on up that is an open wifi connection with no password:

network={
ssid="SSID 1?
scan_ssid=1
proto=RSN
key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
pairwise=CCMP TKIP
group=CCMP TKIP
psk="The encryption Key for this network goes here"
}

any suggestions would be appreciated.

Aloha
Wayne

2779. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 13:55:36 UTC
From: David
Topic: 2763 Message: 2779

Working much faster.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 20, 2013, at 8:14 AM, <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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> Phil KB9IAK
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2780. RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 16:54:09 UTC
From: <amitze@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2780

Hey Robin, just tried again this morning, and still no site...still just that 404 NO0T FOUND error. What is the new URL for the site? I believe the URL may have been changed and i still have the old one that points to the old server. Just need the new URL :). Thanx! N9NRA

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---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com mailto:dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Robin

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Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2781. RE: RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 18:06:33 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2781

The url has not changed.

Robin

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, wrote:

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Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2782. RE: RE: RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 20:28:17 UTC
From: <campbellrd@...>
Topic: 2763 Message: 2782

My old shortcut does not work.
My old shortcut was: http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Home.html

I had to change the address to:

http://www.dvapdongle.com/Home.html

Now I am getting in again.

Randy
va6rc

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

The url has not changed.

Robin

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, wrote:

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Thanks,

Phil KB9IAK

2783. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Software Download Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-20 20:19:29 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 2763 Message: 2783

If the server IP has changed, your own DNS may be pointing to the wrong place. Windows machines, go to a command prompt enabled as administrator and type ipconfig /flushdns then see if it works for you.

You probably won't have this problem with a non-windows box.

73,

Mickey N4MB

On Sun, Oct 20, 2013 at 12:54 PM, <amitze@...> wrote:

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> that 404 NO0T FOUND error. What is the new URL for the site? I believe
> the URL may have been changed and i still have the old one that points to
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Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*“Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me,
and I will learn.” *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

2784. New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-21 06:00:41 UTC
From: <k4kwq1@...>
Topic: 166 Message: 2784

I have a few questions, I just got a new Dvap uhf, i ran the dvtool and programmed the dvap to 44650000 i programed the call in the call field.

went to my radio the icom ic2820h and programmed the radio like this

Receive Frequency Transmit Frequency Offset Frequency Offset Direction Operating Mode Name Tone Mode CTCSS Rx CTCSS DCS DCS Polarity Skip Step Digital Squelch Digital Code Your Callsign Rpt-1 CallSign Rpt-2 CallSign Bank Bank Channel Number Comment
446.50000 446.50000 Simplex DV W4HQ T None 94.8 Hz 94.8 Hz 023 Both N Off 5 kHz Off 0 CQCQCQ DVAP DVAP G Talk Channel
446.50000 446.50000 Simplex DV W4HQ E None 94.8 Hz 94.8 Hz 023 Both N Off 5 kHz Off 0 E DVAP DVAP G Echo Test Channel
446.50000 446.50000 Simplex DV W4HQ I None 94.8 Hz 94.8 Hz 023 Both N Off 5 kHz Off 0 I DVAP DVAP G Status Channel
446.50000 446.50000 Simplex DV W4HQ U None 94.8 Hz 94.8 Hz 023 Both N Off 5 kHz Off 0 U DVAP DVAP G Unlink Channel
446.50000 446.50000 Simplex DV REF001AL None 94.8 Hz 94.8 Hz 023 Both N Off 5 kHz Off 0 REF001AL REF001A - Aurora Illinois, United States
I am wondering why i have to put the DVAP, and DVAP G ,
In the radio for the DVAP hotspot for it to be able to work in the TALK mode.
please help if possible
thanks Tim
k4kwq

2785. RE: RE: DV Tool with Windows 8.1

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-21 15:12:42 UTC
From: <loren@...>
Topic: 2772 Message: 2785

I did an in-place upgrade to my Surface Pro.
When I plug in the DVAP and bring up the tools, it says it can't find the DVAP, I click the 'ok' button on the warning, then click the open button on the tools and everything works.

Loren, NJ3D

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <don@...> wrote:

I can install it but when I try to run it I get a missing ftdx2.dll..or something like that error and it does not run.

Don KF7DS

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <doug.herring1@...> wrote:

Hello All,
I just upgraded from Window 8.0 Preview to Windows 8.1 and cannot get the Dongle software to re-install. Has anyone else had this problem or have any suggestions?

Thanks!
Doug

2786. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-22 04:23:40 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 166 Message: 2786

Lots more folks on the group are much better than DSTAR than I am, so I cannot comment on all possible issues but several things are immediately obvious.

Take a look here:
http://www.ladstar.org/dvap.htm (down to the section titled "DVAP USE")
You will see that the commands to a DVAP are slightly different than a DSTAR repeater.
The echo test and status commands have the characters "DVAP" in the first four places instead of spaces.

In my RT Systems programming profile, since Simplex is selected, RPT1 and RPT2 are not used and should be blank.

On the DVAP Tool, make sure that your call sign is exactly how you registered it with DSTAR (any trailing terminal characters)??

Lastly, your frequency is wrong for DVAP Tool. I needs to be in Hz, so it would be 446 500 000 (five zeros -- you have four below). The frequency is in 10Hz in RT Systems, but DVAP Tool program is in Hz.

Hope that helps.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: k4kwq1@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sun, 20 Oct 2013 23:00:41 -0700
Subject: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP

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2787. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Pi using wifi dongle (3 network options)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-22 11:19:14 UTC
From: Mason, Billy (list accts)
Topic: 2787 Message: 2787

Here is an example of a Pi using wifi that searches for 3 available networks. The networks searched, in order of priority are: iPhone Personal Hotspot (priority 100), home/closed network wifi (priority 95), and last an open wifi (no priority given).

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= = = wpa_supplicant.conf = = =
network={
ssid="iPhone_ssid_name"
psk="yourpasswordhere"
proto=RSN
key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
pairwise=CCMP
auth_alg-OPEN
priority=100
}

network={
ssid="wifi_router_ssid"
psk="yourpasswordhere"
proto=RSN
key_mgmt=WPA-PSK
pairwise=CCMP
auth_alg-OPEN
priority=95
}

network={
ssid="" <== double quotes, no space
key_mgmt=NONE
auth_alg-OPEN
}
= = = end of file = = =
```

Billy Mason
KD5KNR

2788. 440 MHz DVAP Current draw

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-23 22:54:44 UTC
From: <listk7age@...>
Topic: 2788 Message: 2788

Hi
I am planning on a battery operated Pi hotspot.

How much 5V USB current does the DVAP draw?

Randy, K7AGE

2789. intresting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-23 16:36:45 UTC
From: <amitze@...>
Topic: 2789 Message: 2789

Just wondering if anyone else is noticing this, when i open my DVAPtools software on Windows 7 the following happens, after mabey 10 to 15 seconds the software does open, but i get "no DVAP found", tried seeing if i needed (mabey missing drivers?) to update the driver software, no luck there, the thingy is, if i click on the message and dismiss it, all is well and it runs, this happens every time i open the software (version 1.04), looked at a number of possible things but no answer so far, that`s why i`m asking here. Thoughts? P.S. Even looked at the DVAPdongle site to see if there were any drivers for the unit, but nothing there. Meantime might try another clean reinstall, just to see what happens...can`t hurt. N9NRA

2790. RE: [DVAPDongle] 440 MHz DVAP Current draw

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-24 15:03:49 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2788 Message: 2790
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

If you build one like Ray N9JA did Randy with a 15,000 mah battery pack to provide power. He got 3 days off his with no problem. The Pi will provide the power for the DVAP and a wireless network adapter.

http://www.ianker.com/product/79AN15K-BA here is the link for the info on it.

Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of listk7age@...
Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2013 3:55 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] 440 MHz DVAP Current draw

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I am planning on a battery operated Pi hotspot.

How much 5V USB current does the DVAP draw?

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<http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3156/?u=http://newsletter.adsonar.com/nwrss/iMapRedirector?placementId=1560786&plid=379054&pid=2070767&ps=36140222&rotation=4&type=2&pos=0&zw=500&zh=70&v=5&url=NA&uid=> Image removed by sender.

2791. IC-51 DVAP and RT Systems Programming Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-24 22:21:06 UTC
From: <markg2000@...>
Topic: 2791 Message: 2791

Has anyone had success using the RT Systems Programming Software with the IC-51 for DVAP use? Any tricks, tips, template files, etc. would be most appreciated.

I have successfully installed the DV Access Port in a Windows 7 system. The LED indicates that my transmissions are received. However, I cannot hear any programmed repeaters or reflectors and the echo channel does not replay any transmission.

2792. Re: [DVAPDongle] intresting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-24 15:38:35 UTC
From: Ham Radio
Topic: 2789 Message: 2792

On 10/23/2013 12:36 PM, amitze@... wrote:
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> DVAPtools software on Windows 7 the following happens, after mabey 10
> to 15 seconds the software does open, but i get "no DVAP found", tried
> seeing if i needed (mabey missing drivers?) to update the driver
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Yes I have the same problem. Just hit OK then hit open and it fines it.

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73,
Thomas Gernon
VE3ETG

2793. Re: [DVAPDongle] intresting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-25 08:25:56 UTC
From: Richard Steensels
Topic: 2789 Message: 2793

I have the same problem.
DVAP works fine but I get always get the message “DVAP not found”
I am using Windows 7

73 Richard ON4AST

From: Ham Radio
Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2013 5:38 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] intresting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

On 10/23/2013 12:36 PM, amitze@... wrote:

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Thomas Gernon
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2794. RE: [DVAPDongle] interesting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-25 10:00:12 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 2794 Message: 2794

Also make sure you have all the zeroes in the frequency field. I left one or two off and got the same error message.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Ham Radio
Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2013 11:39 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] intresting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

On 10/23/2013 12:36 PM, amitze@... wrote:

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2795. Re: [DVAPDongle] 440 MHz DVAP Current draw

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-25 16:13:33 UTC
From: Randy Hall
Topic: 2788 Message: 2795
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Brad

Thanks, I have a 10,000 MA battery, so it will be long enough for me.

I did fine that the Pi draws around 400 mA, and the DVAP about 85 mA.

Thanks for your update phone number.

Randy

On Thu, Oct 24, 2013 at 8:03 AM, Brad NK8J <nk8j@...> wrote:

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> provide power. He got 3 days off his with no problem. The Pi will provide
> the power for the DVAP and a wireless network adapter. ****
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> http://www.ianker.com/product/79AN15K-BA here is the link for the info
> on it.****
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> Brad NK8J****
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] *On
> Behalf Of *listk7age@...
> *Sent:* Wednesday, October 23, 2013 3:55 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] 440 MHz DVAP Current draw****
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> Hi****
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> I am planning on a battery operated Pi hotspot.****
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> How much 5V USB current does the DVAP draw?****

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> Randy, K7AGE****
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> *Do THIS before eating carbs (every time)*
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2796. RE: IC-51 DVAP and RT Systems Programming Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-25 23:13:23 UTC
From: <dkwolfe@...>
Topic: 2791 Message: 2796

I use the RT Systems software on my 880H and 92AD and the templates are built into the applications. The applications also provide a DSTAR tool that automatically populates the channels based on its access to the DSTAR database. Easy to use.

David
KG1H

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <markg2000@...> wrote:

Has anyone had success using the RT Systems Programming Software with the IC-51 for DVAP use? Any tricks, tips, template files, etc. would be most appreciated.

I have successfully installed the DV Access Port in a Windows 7 system. The LED indicates that my transmissions are received. However, I cannot hear any programmed repeaters or reflectors and the echo channel does not replay any transmission.

2797. DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-25 21:43:22 UTC
From: <dkwolfe@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2797

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Tried reinstalling the DVAP SW on my MAC PRO, but same problem.

Any one else have similar issues?

David
KG1H

2798. RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-26 12:29:36 UTC
From: <vk3hmb@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2798

I have something different going on. Ever since upgrading to 10.9 my DVAP detects a signal but will not recognise MY or UR or any data being sent.

Very strange behaviour. Haven't tested with windows yet as I develop extreme allergy with MS products.

Something must have changed with 10.9

Mark
VK3XB

2799. RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-26 12:49:31 UTC
From: <eagleeyedennis@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2799

Yes, similar. On my MBP Retina, running Mavericks, DVAPTool v1.04 will connect with my 70cm DV-AP, but drops the connection after a few minutes. DVTool v2.00beta5 won't even open the DV-AP. Both versions worked fine before upgrading to OS 10.9. Robin?

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
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David
KG1H

2800. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-26 12:47:24 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 2797 Message: 2800

I have had an issue on my mac book pro with Mavericks. My research has revealed that my issue is with he screensaver. Once the screensaver is activated the DVAP no longer functions. The work around for me thus far successful, is when using the DVAP disable the screensaver and the DVAP continues to function normally.

I would be interested in your findings as well.

Thanks,

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Oct 25, 2013, at 17:43, <dkwolfe@...> wrote:
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2801. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-26 16:22:08 UTC
From: Darrell Smith
Topic: 2797 Message: 2801

Hi David,

Yes, I had exactly the same problem. I have a “Late 2009” iMac that was running the latest version of Mountain Lion / 10.8.x with a 70cm DVAP using version 1.0.4 of the DVAPTool software and the latest version of the FTDI driver (2.2.18.) It had been running for several months with no issue. After I updated it to Mavericks / 10.9.0 I started getting similar DVAP symptoms as you describe. The DVAPTool could see and open the DVAP, I could link to a reflector and receive transmissions, but after a few minutes the DVAPTool would appear to loose communications with the DVAP. The DVAP would revert back to its “unopened” state with the green LED, and the DVAPTool would appear to be hung in that the information it was displaying wasn't being updated. Sometimes closing and opening the DVAP would unjam things, other times required restarting the DVAPTool.

It didn’t look like there was an updated version of either the FTDI driver or the DVAPTool software, so I ended up configuring my Raspberry Pi to control the DVAP and get the Mac out of the picture. It was something I was planning on doing anyway, the Mavericks upgrade just forced the issue. It isn’t clear if this problem is something inherent with Mavericks and the FTDI driver and/or the DVAPTools software, or more related to the upgrade process. It would be interesting to know if the DVAP works on a new Mac with a clean Mavericks install.

For now I would say that anyone running a DVAP on a Mac should think twice before updating to Mavericks, unless you happen to have a Raspberry Pi handy…

Darrell
KK6DJC

On Oct 25, 2013, at 2:43 PM, dkwolfe@comcast.net wrote:

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2802. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-27 01:29:47 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2802

I posted the following reply to David’s query this AM while on the Yahoo Groups site, but it never made this list, so here it is again.

Yes, similar. On my MBP Retina, running Mavericks, DVAPTool v1.04 will connect with my 70cm DV-AP, but drops the connection after a few minutes. DVTool v2.00beta5 won't even open the DV-AP. Both versions worked fine before upgrading to OS 10.9. Robin?

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Any one else have similar issues?

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On Oct 26, 2013, at 5:29 AM, vk3hmb@... wrote:

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2803. RE: DV Tool with Windows 8.1

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-26 15:27:48 UTC
From: <rusty.hemenway@...>
Topic: 2772 Message: 2803

Same problem here. Downloaded and installed, successfully, the FTD VCP software. Still no luck

Rusty K1GGS

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <loren@...> wrote:

I did an in-place upgrade to my Surface Pro.
When I plug in the DVAP and bring up the tools, it says it can't find the DVAP, I click the 'ok' button on the warning, then click the open button on the tools and everything works.

Loren, NJ3D

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <don@...> wrote:

I can install it but when I try to run it I get a missing ftdx2.dll..or something like that error and it does not run.

Don KF7DS

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <doug.herring1@...> wrote:

Hello All,
I just upgraded from Window 8.0 Preview to Windows 8.1 and cannot get the Dongle software to re-install. Has anyone else had this problem or have any suggestions?

Thanks!
Doug

2804. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-27 01:18:01 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2804

I'm in the same boat; upgraded to MAVERICKS and suddenly DVAP stalls and disconnects.

Hope we can fix the issue. I already reinstalled the FTDI driver and a fresh DVAPTool 1.04 build.

I'll try your screensaver trick!

Best, David KC2WNW

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, AB4WSNEWS <ab4wsnews@...> wrote:
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2805. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-26 14:28:39 UTC
From: vanattabrad
Topic: 2797 Message: 2805

I'm having the same problem. DVAP disconnects after 5 - 10 min. Have to quit DVAP tool and restart. Frustrating.

Dan VanAtta, KK4CSJ

2806. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-27 14:00:11 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2806

Oddly, configuring the Screen Saver to NEVER seems to keep the driver open, so it just might work. Will try it over longer QSOs just to make sure.

As Hams we're naturally curious about soft/hardware updates□we could be more careful next time {;-)

73 de KC2WNW David

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2807. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-27 14:11:15 UTC
From: Bob Snyder
Topic: 2797 Message: 2807

It doesn’t seem to be linked to the screen saver, just time. If you run the DVAPTool from the command line, you see "Ascp device stopped” when the DVAP stops working. If I was going to guess, I’d guess an issue with the ftdi drivers and Mavericks’ hyperfocus on power conservation/battery life and it shutting down things it thinks aren’t really in use. Reinstalling the FTDI drivers didn’t help, so I’m assuming we’ll need to wait for FTDI to release a driver update. Would love to be wrong and have Robin be able to push a fix quicker. :)

An extract of what I’m seeing:

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Opening DVAP device /dev/cu.usbserial-A6007EQ5
Opened device /dev/cu.usbserial-A6007EQ5
Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Device serial number (AP010560)
Device boot firmware version (1.02)
Device app firmware version (1.02)
Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 148000000)
Device receive frequency (146550000)
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Device transmit frequency (146550000)
Finished reading from name server
Device modulation mode (GMSK)
DStar name server text message received ->You are running the latest version of DVAPTool.
Please check the DVAPDongle yahoo group for future software updates

Ascp device started <—— when I click open
Ascp device stopped <—— when it stops working a few minutes later.
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You can close and reopen the DVAP device and it’ll work again, but only for a few minutes.

73,
Bob N2KGO

2808. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-27 14:49:26 UTC
From: Søren
Topic: 2797 Message: 2808

Sendt fra Samsung mobil

-------- Oprindelig meddelelse --------
Fra: Bob Snyder <rsnyder@toontown.erial.nj.us>
Dato: 27/10/2013 15:11 (GMT+01:00)
Til: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Emne: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

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2809. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-28 14:45:33 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2809

Thanks for the debugging, Bob□have you discovered a timeout, say after N ticks? My connection time seems to vary...I wonder whether incoming or outgoing packets trigger a failure, and whether there is a byte-size that causes the thing to trip.

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Mavericks = Boo

73! de KC2WNW David
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--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, Bob Snyder <rsnyder@...> wrote:
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2810. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-28 15:03:07 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2810

Further to this, I found that in the Privacy tab of the Accessibility area of the Security & Privacy System Pref, DVTools was asking for permission to control the computer, so I granted that. No change - still one quick blue flash when opening the device, then back to slow pulsing green.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

On Oct 26, 2013, at 6:29 PM, Dennis Griffin <eagleeyedennis@...> wrote:

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2811. Looking for used DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-28 20:02:11 UTC
From: <pavoni.alessandro@...>
Topic: 2811 Message: 2811

Hi,

i'm looking to buy a used DVAP, no matter if VHF or UHF, but my limited budget does not allow for a brand new. So if you have to sell one please contact me on my email: IU0AXK AT OUTLOOK . IT (delete spaces and replace AT with @)

Thanks a lot!
73s

Alex - IU0AXK

2812. RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-29 17:30:52 UTC
From: <dkwolfe@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2812

My screensaver is set at "never" and doesn't correct the DVAP problem. Glad I can use it on Windows 7/Parallels Desktop

David
KG1H

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <eperlan@...> wrote:

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2813. RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-29 20:43:13 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2813

I just upgraded my macbook pro retina to 10.9 and have been running DVAPTool for an hour without issues. This is really going to byte if Apple did another "break older models" trick with the new O/S.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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David
KG1H

2814. RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 13:44:03 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2814

I did some testing on Mavericks. It seems that there is a bug where the O/S does a screen sleep (not a screen saver) and it glitches the USB bus. This should not happen.

I was able to keep DVAPTool running by going into the energy saver settings and set both the computer and the display sleep values to never. That seems like the workaround for now.

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Any one else have similar issues?

David
KG1H

2815. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 13:51:11 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 2797 Message: 2815

That is it, my computer sleep was set at 57 minutes

Bill
KI4BKF

On Wed, Oct 30, 2013 at 9:44 AM, <aa4rc@...> wrote:

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2816. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 13:51:11 UTC
From: Stephen Rector
Topic: 2797 Message: 2816

I had a problem with timeouts using a data-acquisition app in OS 10.9. The solution to that problem was related to a new feature called “app nap” introduced in Mavericks. If you right-click on the DVAP icon and choose “Get Info,” sou will see, under the “general” tab in the Info pane, a check box labeled “Prevent App Nap.” If you check this box, it may help with time-out related issues.

Steve NU7B

2817. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 13:52:54 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2817

Thank you, Robin. My workaround was to revert back to 10.8.5, largely because of the inability to use DVAPTool or DVTool. If & when I decide to go back to Mavericks, I will try your workaround, if Apple hasn't fixed the issue. Have you notified them of this "bug"? Should all we DVAPTool users do so?

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Scottsdale, AZ

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2818. RE: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 15:20:33 UTC
From: <dkwolfe@...>
Topic: 2797 Message: 2818

Checking the “Prevent App Nap" under Get Info seems to fix my DVAP on Mavericks. Beats getting on Windows 7/Parallels.

Thanks
David
KG1H

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <eagleeyedennis@...> wrote:

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David
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2819. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 22:05:25 UTC
From: Mike Smith
Topic: 2797 Message: 2819

I've tried this and it still kills the connection but thanks for looking out for it. I think it is just likely to be a driver issue and no 10.9 update yet and will be fixed once the developer gets hit by the wave of emails complaining.

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Cheers, Mike.

Mike Smith. 2E0GTT

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On 30 Oct 2013, at 14:08, "Stephen Rector" <nu7b@...<mailto:nu7b@...>> wrote:

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Steve NU7B

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2820. RE: IC-51 DVAP and RT Systems Programming Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-10-30 22:58:19 UTC
From: <dkwolfe@...>
Topic: 2791 Message: 2820

Are you first linking to the repeater/reflector with the DVAP? It is a three step process and each has a separate channel in your radio.

1) In the URCALL field enter "xxxxxxmL" (to link, replace XXXXXX with the gateway or reflector callsign making sure to use 6 characters filling the end with spaces as needed.)

You should then get an announcement that you are linked.

2) Then you need to switch to CQCQ: In the URCALL field enter"CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system). Then you can start transmitting.

3) To unlink from the repeater/reflector In the URCALL field enter: " U" (unlink from a linked gateway/reflector. Make sure the “U” is in the eighth position of URCALL)

You should then get an announcement that you are unlinked.

This all presumes that the repeater/reflector accepts DVAP or Dongle transmissions. Some don't.

David
KG1H

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <dkwolfe@...> wrote:

I use the RT Systems software on my 880H and 92AD and the templates are built into the applications. The applications also provide a DSTAR tool that automatically populates the channels based on its access to the DSTAR database. Easy to use.

David
KG1H

---In dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com, <markg2000@...> wrote:

Has anyone had success using the RT Systems Programming Software with the IC-51 for DVAP use? Any tricks, tips, template files, etc. would be most appreciated.

I have successfully installed the DV Access Port in a Windows 7 system. The LED indicates that my transmissions are received. However, I cannot hear any programmed repeaters or reflectors and the echo channel does not replay any transmission.

2821. Fix for Mavericks OS 10.9 problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-01 09:19:58 UTC
From: vanattabrad
Topic: 2821 Message: 2821

Here is the fix - very simple:

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OS 10.9 or Mavericks has a feature built in to extend battery life that puts apps to sleep that it thinks are not currently being used. By turning off that feature for the DVAPTool - no more nap time - problem solved.

Dan, KK4CSJ

2822. Re: [DVAPDongle] Fix for Mavericks OS 10.9 problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-01 15:18:05 UTC
From: Mike Smith
Topic: 2821 Message: 2822

Unfortunately that doesn't work in all cases. :(

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Cheers, Mike.

Mike Smith (2E0GTT)

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2823. DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-02 00:39:34 UTC
From: <markg2000@...>
Topic: 2823 Message: 2823
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I am unable to transmit to active reflectors. I believe I am correctly registered on my local D-Star Gateway repeater (see attached screen shot).

I believe I have entered the proper DVAP parameters (see attached screen shot).

I am using an ID-51. Under MENU / My Station / My Call Sign I have entered KD8VOW (then one space, then) A.

I appreciate any suggestions users may have to help me get out of the "listen only" mode. Thank you!

Mark
KD8VOW

2824. RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] Fix for Mavericks OS 10.9 problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-02 01:23:34 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2821 Message: 2824

I can't even find my dvap or dvdongle program after upgrading to Maverick

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dvapdongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Cheers, Mike.
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2825. ID-51 DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-02 16:02:47 UTC
From: <markg2000@...>
Topic: 2825 Message: 2825

When first connecting to a reflector there is a line in my DVAP screen that says "login ok, transmit not permitted". Then I hear the message "Remote system linked, receive only."

Assume the following:
Gateway registration is correct: KD8VOW A
MY Callsign in radio is correct: KD8VOW A

The reflectors are being directly programmed from RT Systems programming software for the ID-51 (I have checked the DVAP option in the programming software).

What else could be causing the system to deny transmit privileges?

2826. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID-51 DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 13:54:42 UTC
From: Mike Smith
Topic: 2825 Message: 2826

Usually means you aren't registered on Dstar.

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Cheers, Mike.

Mike Smith

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On 3 Nov 2013, at 13:53, "markg2000@...<mailto:markg2000@...>" <markg2000@...<mailto:markg2000@...>> wrote:

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2827. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted [2 Attachments]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 14:16:41 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 2823 Message: 2827

Hi Mark,

If its any help I am not registered on D-Star as yet, membership is pending. Having compared your screenshot with mine I get the same messages regarding login ok transmit not permitted etc.

Does tend to suggest a registration problem.

73

David 2E0(zero)DCE

On 2 Nov 2013, at 00:39, <markg2000@...> wrote:

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> KD8VOW
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> <D-Star Gateway Settings.jpg>
> <DVAP Tool Screen.jpg>

2828. Re: [DVAPDongle] Fix for Mavericks OS 10.9 problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 14:17:55 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 2821 Message: 2828

Should have placed it in the applications folder when you installed it, if not may be on your desktop. If you can't find it reinstall, and move DVTool.app to applications folder.

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Nov 1, 2013, at 21:23, <ke4qdc@...> wrote:
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2829. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID-51 DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 14:02:46 UTC
From: Don Woodward
Topic: 2825 Message: 2829

I believe on registration page – put “A” in initial on line 2 and give it a unique pc name – wait until it propagates – then try to transmit.

73's

Don Woodward

Ball Ground, GA

KD4APP

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of markg2000@...
Sent: Saturday, November 02, 2013 12:03
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ID-51 DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2014.0.4158 / Virus Database: 3615/6792 - Release Date: 10/29/13

2830. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted [2 Attachments]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 14:19:18 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 2823 Message: 2830

I had this same issue. Just register your call sign with a space, and in the DVAPTool use your callsign with a space. Should be good from there.

Jack

Sent from my iPad

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2831. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 15:41:30 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2797 Message: 2831

Agreed□GET INFO on the app, check the PREVENT APP NAP checkbox, and it seems to keep the connection open. Prior, the DVAP would be open for only a couple of minutes, then close the connection; but I just made a QSO on 10C and am sandbagging for the past 30 minutes; seems to do the trick.

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Mileage may vary {;-)

73 de KC2WNW, David
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2832. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Message: Login ok, transmit not permitted [2 Attachments]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 15:39:57 UTC
From: ☐ Armando Accardo
Topic: 2823 Message: 2832

You have registered only the main callsign with the space, but then you are using the callsign with A designator; from the admin page you should enable also the additional terminal for the A suffix and then after the registration is propagated it should work on all gateways.

73's de Armando, IK2XYP
Twitter: @IK2XYP

Sent from my iPad

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2835. Yet Another login ok Tx not permitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 20:35:11 UTC
From: <davidgames60@...>
Topic: 2835 Message: 2835

Having checked my registration progress I am now registered for D-Star, I now face what seems a familiar problem other users have experienced. Login is restricted to receive only.

A suitable time has passed for my call to be propagated, and having looked at the progress on the pc I can see the program generates 2 spaces after the callsign, but the registration is just my basic callsign.

I am using a ID-51E on Windows XP with the Dvap dongle and have experimented changing the call in the program and radio without any success.

Any suggestions ?

73

David 2E0(zero)DCE

2836. newest version of dvap for a mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-03 19:07:11 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2836 Message: 2836

Is version 1.04 for the mac the latest dvap software?

2838. Re: [DVAPDongle] newest version of DVAP for a mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-04 09:03:08 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 2836 Message: 2838

Yes, but DVTool 2.0beta5 is available, and it has worked well for me.
http://opendstar.org/tools/

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

On Nov 3, 2013, at 12:07 PM, ke4qdc@... wrote:

> Is version 1.04 for the mac the latest dvap software?

2840. Re: [DVAPDongle] Yet Another login ok Tx not permitted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-04 14:41:35 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 2835 Message: 2840

Thanks for the reply, tried a few different things last night would only receive.

Switched on to have another look this morning, same settings nothing changed.....worked perfectly.

Over 48 hours had elapsed since registration. Another D-Star mystery !

Works very well with dongle, had quite a few qso's

73

David

On 4 Nov 2013, at 06:54, Adrian <vk4tux@...> wrote:

> You are good to go with 2E0DCE only
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: davidgames60@...
> Reply-to: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Yet Another login ok Tx not permitted
> Date: 03 Nov 2013 12:35:11 -0800
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>
> Visit Your Group
> Switch to: Text-Only, Daily Digest • Unsubscribe • Terms of Use • Send us Feedback
> .
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>

2843. Re: intresting issue re, DVAP and Windows 7.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-06 01:08:39 UTC
From: calvin_groups
Topic: 2789 Message: 2843

Same thing here. I am on Windows 8.0 and run a 2 meter DVAP.

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <amitze@...> wrote:
>
> Just wondering if anyone else is noticing this, when i open my DVAPtools software on Windows 7 the following happens, after mabey 10 to 15 seconds the software does open, but i get "no DVAP found", tried seeing if i needed (mabey missing drivers?) to update the driver software, no luck there, the thingy is, if i click on the message and dismiss it, all is well and it runs, this happens every time i open the software (version 1.04), looked at a number of possible things but no answer so far, that`s why i`m asking here. Thoughts? P.S. Even looked at the DVAPdongle site to see if there were any drivers for the unit, but nothing there. Meantime might try another clean reinstall, just to see what happens...can`t hurt. N9NRA
>

2844. Flashing LEDs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-08 16:38:55 UTC
From: <davidgames60@...>
Topic: 2844 Message: 2844

My new Dvap which has been working perfectly all week has suddenly failed.

All LEDs are flashing even without Dvtool started.

Is this a hardware issue or perhaps I need to look at re loading the drivers

Thanks

David 2E0DCE

2845. RE: Flashing LEDs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-08 19:55:08 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2844 Message: 2845

Hi David. Did you change the firmware? That can cause this issue. If you did not change anything, the board will need to come back for repair.

Note that the firmware should never be changed unless told to do so.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

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Thanks

David 2E0DCE

2847. Raspberry Pi and Edimax 7811Un

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-11 00:04:32 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 2847 Message: 2847

Hi all,

I am using the Raspberry Pi and the Edimax 7811Un Wifi adapter. I am also using the file created by KB6THO and WA6JFK, which boots up the pi and wifi adapter and once set up it's plug-n-play. The problem I am seeing though is after time the Edimax will go into power saver mode and then looses the wifi connection with my internet router. To look at the pi everything seems normal, except the Edimax little blue light is completely out. The only way I can get things working again is to reboot the Pi and restart everything and it will work for a period of time until the same thing happens again....

Can anyone tell me if there is a way to fix this problem so once the Edimax has connected to my wifi, it will stay connected until I turn it off or stop it.

Thanks,

2848. Re: Safe shutdown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-10 23:53:53 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 2741 Message: 2848

Hi Joe,

Sorry it took so long for me to get back here. I don't have notices activated on this group. Any way I use a file written by KB6THO. If you send a email to wa6jfk@... he will send you back a link to the file. Then you just download it and burn it to a 16gb SD card, then set it up. All the instructions are included in the file you will download.

Hope this helps.

73,
Larry
kc4cgy@...

2850. DVAP 2-Meter VS / DVAP 440

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-11 04:27:32 UTC
From: <ve7hj@...>
Topic: 2850 Message: 2850

I have had a 440 DVAP for almost a year now. Seeing as Christmas is coming up the XYL wants to know what Ham toy I want this year. I have two Raspberry PI's and think maybe one should go in the car full time. Is there any difference in RX / TX or distance with the 2-meter DVAP.

James VE7HJ

2851. RE: DVAP 2-Meter VS / DVAP 440

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-11 22:11:40 UTC
From: <kc4yoz@...>
Topic: 2850 Message: 2851

I actually get better range on my 440 DVAP with a Diamond SRH999 antenna.. I guess it has a little more gain on 440 than it does on 2m. I run both DVAPs concurrently on the same Pi.

Ken - KC4YOZ

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <ve7hj@...> wrote:

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James VE7HJ

2853. RE: Flashing LEDs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-14 05:15:26 UTC
From: <vk3hmb@...>
Topic: 2844 Message: 2853

I have a similar problem.

Mine was working perfectly until suddenly it will see a signal on the freq but will not "decode" as d-star.

Thoughts guys?

Mark VK3XB

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <davidgames60@...> wrote:

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Is this a hardware issue or perhaps I need to look at re loading the drivers

Thanks

David 2E0DCE

2854. RE: Re: [DVAPDongle] Flashing LEDs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-16 03:34:19 UTC
From: <vk8hf@...>
Topic: 2844 Message: 2854

That's the second one in Australia and not the first.

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <vk4tux@...> wrote:

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----Original Message-----R
eply-to: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] Flashing LEDs
Date: 08 Nov 2013 08:38:55 -0800

My new Dvap which has been working perfectly all week has suddenly failed.

All LEDs are flashing even without Dvtool started.

Is this a hardware issue or perhaps I need to look at re loading the drivers

Thanks

David 2E0DCE

I have had this happen here and the dvap was never defective. a small amount of condensation on the back of the dvap from temperature change and high humidity will cause this.
Removal of the two external and two internal screws, removal of the pcb, with a gentle pad-down with dry tissue and a bit of a blow,
had mine back to normal in no time.

I have two dvaps here including the first one in VK. s/n AP000067

The reliability is incredibly good.

Adrian ... vk4tux

2856. Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-20 17:02:08 UTC
From: arnecarl
Topic: 2856 Message: 2856

Hello everybody,
I need to extend the range of a DVAP more than is possible with an improved antenna. Is it feasible to use a mobile two-bander and cross repeat? Has anybody done it?
73!

2857. RE: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-21 16:34:24 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2856 Message: 2857
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Yes you can use a Cross band radio to repeat it but why? Make your DVAP portable with a little raspberry Pi computer and a few other Items. Here check this out and make it work easier for you not harder.

http://www.portableuniversalpower.com/DHAP.htm

Video Here:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FBg0a6NFlZc

Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of arnecarl
Sent: Wednesday, November 20, 2013 9:02 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

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<http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3156/?u=http://newsletter.adsonar.com/nwrss/iMapRedirector?placementId=1560786&plid=379054&pid=2070767&ps=36140222&rotation=4&type=2&pos=0&zw=500&zh=70&v=5&url=NA&uid=> Image removed by sender.

2858. New, all-in-one D-Star package

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-22 16:20:47 UTC
From: david Korchin
Topic: 2858 Message: 2858

Just found a link to a new product from Hardened Systems, an all-in-one Pi + DVAP + Power and more. Looks interesting, and portable! I knew this kind of Ham tinkering would produce a package product from a vendor, ultimately. Might be worth a look for some hams.

video: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FBg0a6NFlZc

site: http://www.portableuniversalpower.com/DHAP.htm

I am NOT associated in any way with the company. Just a Ham who likes to browse the internets {;-)

73 de KC2WNW, David

2859. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-21 21:35:53 UTC
From: Larry bowman
Topic: 2856 Message: 2859

Yes both. Reg 2/4 antenna using 2820 in analog mode. Yes analog using cross band.

Sent from my iPad

On Nov 20, 2013, at 11:02 AM, "arnecarl" <carlsson@...> wrote:

> Hello everybody,
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> 73!
>
>

2860. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-21 20:33:46 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 2856 Message: 2860

Yes. It can be done with an IC-2820.

I used the original 2M DVAP, the IC-2820 and my IC-91AD.

DVAP to IC-2820 on 2M
HT to IC-2820 on 440

Specifics are available online. I just followed the instructions.

Good luck.
On Nov 20, 2013, at 9:02 AM, arnecarl wrote:

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2861. RE: Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-21 19:00:34 UTC
From: <n1qkp@...>
Topic: 2856 Message: 2861

Don't see a reason why not. Give it a try. Don't use pl. There have been other messages on ham boards describing how to with dual banders extending Dstar HTs into Dstar repeaters.
N1QKP

2862. MacBook software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-24 19:00:43 UTC
From: <montys@...>
Topic: 2862 Message: 2862

I have an older Core 2 Duo-based MacBook, OSX 10.6, 2 gig RAM.

When I install the software, it's icon is slashed, and it will not run. Message is: "Not designed to run on this computer".

I do not have the dongle installed yet - arrives Tuesday.

Is the dongle needed to install? Other known issues? Thanks for any help.

K2DLJ

2863. MacBook gets rejected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-24 17:34:15 UTC
From: Monty S
Topic: 2863 Message: 2863

I am trying to use an older MacBook with an Intel Core2 Duo processor, 2 gig RAM and Mac OSX 10.6.

I do not have the dongle attached yet- coming Tuesday.

I have installed the FTDI drivers.

When starting the software I get a "Not designed to run on this machine" message. Caused by no dongle? Other issues? Any help welcome.
K2DLJ

Sent from my iPhone

2864. RE: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-24 08:35:38 UTC
From: Graham Winchester
Topic: 2856 Message: 2864

Where did you find the instructions for this?
GW

From: k6brr@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thu, 21 Nov 2013 12:33:46 -0800
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

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DVAP to IC-2820 on 2M

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Good luck.

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2865. RE: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-25 19:32:34 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2856 Message: 2865

It is called cross band repeat. Many videos on Youtube on this subject. Just search for "icom 2820h cross band repeat".
Also, http://www.arvideonews.com/otherstuff/Crossband_Repeat.pdf
is a good backgrounder on CBR itself.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: aros21@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sun, 24 Nov 2013 08:35:38 +0000
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Is it possible to extend DVAP range with a mobile rig?

Where did you find the instructions for this?
GW

From: k6brr@arrl.net
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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2866. Re: MacBook software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-27 11:21:22 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 2862 Message: 2866

Monty,

I think it'll work if you plug in a DVAP first. I have used my DVAP on my iMac Intel running 10.6 & my XYL's MacBook running 10.6. No problems with either computer. The software is DVAP Tool 1.04.

I have had some troubles with my MacBook that has Mavericks 10.9. I suggest you do not take the upgrade to Mavericks if you want to use the computer for d-star.

73, Paul

2867. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: MacBook software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-27 15:42:03 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2862 Message: 2867

Paul,

Thanks for the reply. However, no joy.

Works fine on my MacBook Air.

Monty K2DLJ

From: Paul Cereste
Sent: Wednesday, November 27, 2013 6:21 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: MacBook software problem

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73, Paul

2868. Re: Raspberry Pi and Edimax 7811Un

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-28 11:47:14 UTC
From: kc4cgy@bellsouth.net
Topic: 2847 Message: 2868

Thanks for the reply, but can you be a little more detailed about how I do this. I have no experience in Linux and not sure how to add this to the file.

Thanks,

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <vk4tux@...> wrote:
>
> Add the following to the /etc/network/interfaces file, then either reboot or stop/start the network interface for it to take effect:
>
> allow-hotplug wlan0
> iface wlan0 inet manual
> wpa-roam /etc/wpa_supplicant/wpa_supplicant.conf
> iface default inet dhcp wireless-power off
>
> Then issuing the "iwconfig" command will confirm power management is off.
>
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>

2869. DVAP 440 and Mac OSX Mavericks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-27 19:32:17 UTC
From: <pd_fus@...>
Topic: 2869 Message: 2869

Some time ago members were having issues with their DVAP's and Mac OS X Mavericks. Have these problems been solved? I have been holding off on upgrading my iMac until I know that this is no longer an issue.

Peter, WA7FUS

2870. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: MacBook software problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-28 15:40:57 UTC
From: EA1AY -.- Jose
Topic: 2862 Message: 2870

Hi !!!

Works fine over 10.9 on a iMac Early 2009.

73 de Jose -.- EA1AY

El 27/11/2013, a las 16:42, MontyS <montys@...> escribió:

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> Paul,
>
> Thanks for the reply. However, no joy.
>
> Works fine on my MacBook Air.
>
> Monty K2DLJ
>
> From: Paul Cereste
> Sent: Wednesday, November 27, 2013 6:21 AM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: MacBook software problem
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>
> 73, Paul
>
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>

2871. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP 440 and Mac OSX Mavericks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-28 18:01:42 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 2869 Message: 2871

I think the solution is to right click on the DVAP app, then get info, and check the box to disable AppNap.

73, de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Nov 27, 2013, at 14:32, <pd_fus@...> wrote:
>
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>
> Peter, WA7FUS
>
>

2872. RE: DVAP 440 and Mac OSX Mavericks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-28 19:12:04 UTC
From: <phoggberg@...>
Topic: 2869 Message: 2872

My DVAP goes brain dead if left to itself and not actively used every 15 or twenty minutes. I think it has to do with Mavericks shutting down unused applications. Evidently the DVAP tool doesn't know its been shut down, and or knows how to restore state. Sometimes just closing/opening and relinking seems to work, more often than not you have to quit the app restart it link and you are good to go until it goes brain dead again.

Robin, perhaps you can set a timed interrupt that will be keep the app from being put to sleep and swapped out. I am not sure this is the problem but seems to be a likely candidate. In my case I run on a desktop MAC so I am not worried about battery life. Those with MacBooks might have different thoughts.

Barry, K0BSB

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Peter, WA7FUS

2873. RE: RE: DVAP 440 and Mac OSX Mavericks?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-28 19:33:57 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2869 Message: 2873

Try right clicking on the DVAPTool app and then disable napping. That has worked for others.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <phoggberg@me.com> wrote:

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Peter, WA7FUS

2874. DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-11-30 23:54:22 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2874

I have a dongle that was working very well, however I updated some drivers for multimedia and now it does not want to work correctly. I can liink to a reflector and I will show up on the remote users list (ref 001,002,055) but I cannot transmit on them or I do not show up on the last heard list. Has anyone had this experience or have any ideas as to what is going on?
Al
KF5SMH

2875. Dvap tool will not install on 8.1 pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-01 21:39:18 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2875 Message: 2875
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I can not get the DVAPtool to install on 8.1 pro The error message says that the "dnssd.dll" file is missing. anyone have any ideas?

See the attached screen shot. At least it works on my mac.

Thanks, Dan KM6CQ

2876. RE: Dvap tool will not install on 8.1 pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-02 23:12:49 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2875 Message: 2876

Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com .

73,
Robin
AA4RC

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <km6cq@km6cq.com> wrote:

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See the attached screen shot. At least it works on my mac.

Thanks, Dan KM6CQ

2877. Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-02 03:49:43 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2877 Message: 2877

I am missing somthing here. I am using a ID-51A and a 2 meter dvap. I have no problem linking to reflectors, but how in Sam Hill would I link to a repeater in another area.
For instance, From Reno, NV to Abilene, TX The Abilene machine is KC5OLO.
The radio wont let me link to a preprogrammed repeater. The gateway menu is not available.
I am sure I am close but not close enough.

Thank for the help. Dan KM6CQ

2878. RE: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 01:10:30 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2877 Message: 2878

Think of the DVAP as its own repeater -- a repeater just for you.
You can use the UR Call link command for reflectors, e.g. REF030CL (reflector 30C) or to repeaters such as to Reno (W7TA) or Abilene (KC5OLO), e.g. W7TA<sp><sp>BL (440 module) or KC5OLOCL (2M module) on your HT.

Linking via UR Call must be of the form:

<repeater><spaces-to-fill-up-6-characters><module>L <-- (the L is link)

However you cannot cause Reno or Abilene to link to anything. For that, you have to make a direct connection to that repeater.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: km6cq@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sun, 1 Dec 2013 19:49:43 -0800
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

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2879. RE: RE: Dvap tool will not install on 8.1 pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 04:32:33 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2875 Message: 2879

Thank you Robin.

That worked. Dan

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <aa4rc@...> wrote:

Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com .

73,
Robin
AA4RC

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <km6cq@...> wrote:

I can not get the DVAPtool to install on 8.1 pro The error message says that the "dnssd.dll" file is missing. anyone have any ideas?
See the attached screen shot. At least it works on my mac.

Thanks, Dan KM6CQ

2880. RE: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 08:34:50 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2877 Message: 2880
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

If you are close to the Repeater in Reno, NV then select the FROM Filed then Press CS then Repeater List. Select the Repeater in Reno press enter. Then go to the TO: Field Press CS Again. Select GATEWAY CQ then go thru and select the other repeater that you want. That will allow you to link them up. Make sure to change back to CQCQCQ when you link them. If you are trying to Link the 2 thru your DVAP it will not work that way.

Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of km6cq@...
Sent: Sunday, December 01, 2013 7:50 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

I am missing somthing here. I am using a ID-51A and a 2 meter dvap. I have no problem linking to reflectors, but how in Sam Hill would I link to a repeater in another area.

For instance, From Reno, NV to Abilene, TX The Abilene machine is KC5OLO.

The radio wont let me link to a preprogrammed repeater. The gateway menu is not available. I am sure I am close but not close enough.

Thank for the help. Dan KM6CQ

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2881. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 11:23:25 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2877 Message: 2881

I link to any repeater I wish by manually putting its callsign followed by “BL” into the ID-51. Use the “Manual entry” menu item.

Monty K2DLJ

From: km6cq@...
Sent: Sunday, December 01, 2013 10:49 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

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Thank for the help. Dan KM6CQ

2882. RE: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 14:09:10 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2877 Message: 2882

In Reno we do not have a D-Star machine. In other areas I can use repeaters with no issue. I can in simplex use my Dvap to link to a reflector. But I can not use the gateway menu item to link to repeaters. In simplex It will not give me the option to use a pre programed repeater in the "to" field, only reflectors using the "my call" command.

Thanks, Dan

2883. RE: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 14:13:48 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2877 Message: 2883

So the questions is Dave, where in the menu are there provisions for this? I am able to link to a reflector but not a repeater? The gateway function is not available.

Thanks, Dan

2884. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-03 14:28:39 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2877 Message: 2884

Monty,
is there another name for "manual entry" on the ID-51A? I cant seem to locate it on the radio. I also did a search through the PDF and can't find it.

Thanks, Dan KM6CQ

2886. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-04 17:39:05 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2877 Message: 2886

I sent an empty reply – dunno.

The correct name is “Direct Input (UR)”

Another reply from a VK had a good idea – enter the repeaters you want in the “Your Call Sign” menu list. It comes with reflectors pre-programmed, and you can add entries by tapping the “Quick” menu option. I learned something! (Be sure to include the band code in the 7th position and “L” in the eighth)

Monty K2DLJ

From: km6cq@...
Sent: Tuesday, December 03, 2013 9:28 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Monty,

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Thanks, Dan KM6CQ

2887. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-04 12:32:45 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2877 Message: 2887

Dan,
Yes, sorry for the confusion: It’s “Direct Entry”(UR)”
Monty K2DLJ

Monty,

is there another name for "manual entry" on the ID-51A? I cant seem to locate it on the radio. I also did a search through the PDF and can't find it.

Thanks, Dan KM6CQ

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2888. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-06 14:00:39 UTC
From: <km6cq@...>
Topic: 2877 Message: 2888

Hi Monty,
thank you for your help. I received my guide to D-star book the other day and this has now become clear to me. I was trying to take advantage of the "gateway cq" memories pre programed in the ID-51A. I now understand that is not possible using dplus. However as with learning any new mode, I received my appropriate amount of frustration getting it to work. And that is a good teacher. There is no substitute for experience.

Thanks for the help, Dan

2889. Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-07 17:11:09 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2877 Message: 2889

Dan,

I couldn’t agree more. It took a while for me to discover my DStar radio was being swamped by my hotspot transmitter.

I am still working on getting the hotspot to work with a Raspberry Pi computer.

It is all exciting and fun.

Monty K2DLJ

From: km6cq@...
Sent: Friday, December 06, 2013 9:00 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Link to a repeater.

Hi Monty,

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2890. used DVAP dongles...or loaner

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-09 02:27:45 UTC
From: paulszymczuk
Topic: 2890 Message: 2890

Hello,
I just got a D-Star radio and wanted to get on dstar as soon as possible, however don't have a repeater in the area.

I'm not able to buy a dvap for $250 at this time.
I'm wondering if anyone would have a spare dvap to loan a fellow ham...or sell one you aren't using a little cheaper.

Thanks!
KB3POY

2891. RE: Dvap tool will not install on 8.1 pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-10 02:31:25 UTC
From: <mm.barrett@...>
Topic: 2875 Message: 2891

I have dongle running on 8.1.... load the apple module and things work. see installation instructions
73 de mike/k3mmb

2892. SIMPLEX FREQ

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-09 23:15:51 UTC
From: <w1wbl@...>
Topic: 2892 Message: 2892

It says in the DVAP Instructions to:------Enter a simplex frequency for operation in the Frequency box. Consult the frequency bandplan for your country/area for appropriate frequencies. Enter the entire frequency in Hz (e.g. 146550000 for 146.550 MHz).

146550000 is The Frequency that automatically comes up in the software--I am in the NE region USA and in Maine--I am registered to a DSTAR Site that I can not access--

I goggled the question and there seems to be some confusion on this--Does anyone know for sure --I saw a previous post on this forum but it talked about 70 cm

TY W!WBL--WAYNE

2893. RE: [DVAPDongle] SIMPLEX FREQ

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-10 04:08:20 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2892 Message: 2893
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of w1wbl@...
Sent: Monday, December 09, 2013 3:16 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] SIMPLEX FREQ

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2895. RE: [DVAPDongle] SIMPLEX FREQ

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-10 16:50:38 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2892 Message: 2895
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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Brad NK8J

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Adrian ... vk4tux

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Adrian
Sent: Monday, December 09, 2013 8:31 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] SIMPLEX FREQ

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2896. RE: SIMPLEX FREQ

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-10 22:31:22 UTC
From: <wb1dsg@...>
Topic: 2892 Message: 2896

Hi Wayne, I also am unable to connect directly to any D-STAR as the nearest repeater is 40 + miles away and I can not hit it from my QTH. I was led to believe that if I used a DV Dongle or a DVAP, I could easily connect to any repeaters. Well it turns out that not all repeaters will allow a direct connection from DV Dongles or DVAP. However you can connect to reflectors. After listening to a D-STAR presentation at my radio club and learning that a new D-STAR repeater would be installed within a mile of my QTH, I decided that I would give D-STAR a try. Within a week, I saw a listing on QRZ fan purchased a used Icom IC-92AD handheld, two spare batteries, rapid charger and RT Programing sotware, all about 8 months old with remaining Icom warranty. I ordered a DVAP and a VHF/UHF amplifier from HRO in NH. I was excited when all the new toys arrived within a few days of each other. Using the programing software I learned to program all the local vhf/uhf repeaters and the ht was up and running. Next, I had to learn how to program my IC-92AD to operate on the D-STAR network. Problem was I was unable to test out the D-Star programing to see if it worked on the D-STAR network. I was trying to use a radio that I had programed, with which was never tested by making a direct connection to a D-STAR connection (problem). So, I was eagerly trying to get the computer to connect with the DVAP, get the HT programed to connect with the DVAP, and then get the ht to connect to a D-STAR repeater and failed! Frustrating, cause I wanted to play with my new toys. Back to the drawing board, start from square one! Checked and re-installed DVAPTool software, checked and installed usb plugin. Ran DVAPTool program. When the DVAPTool loads, I had to enter my Station Callsign exactly as my call sign was registered on the D-STAR network. I had read documentation that mentioned that some DVAP or Dongle users entered their call sign as "WB1DSG D" to identify as Dongle user. If your call sign is not registered as such it will not work. I re-entered my call sign WB1DSG. Next I needed to find a quiet simplex frequency so my radio could connect to my DVAP. I entered the selected simplex frequency in the DVAPTool window "Frequency (Hz)" and selected "OPEN". I was successful, the Name DVAP Dongle and Serial #: appeared in the window. On my Mac DVAPTool window, I see the notice "Device opened" in red letters. (If yours does not open you will need to check that the correct driver has been installed and selected.) Set the radio to the simplex frequency and to low power before transmitting so you signal don't overload the DVAP. Watching the DVAPTool window, while keying the radio, you will see the following (in red letters) MY: (your call sign) UR: (what you prog in UR: on radio) R1: DIRECT R2: DIRECT (and in lower left part of window) LISTENING TO (YOUR CALL). You will also see CONNECTED TO: REL001 C . Listen and you may hear activity like you would on voice repeater. If you are new to D-STAR radio programing and operation, below are the are settings I used to connect to REF001CL reflector. UR: REF001CL RPT1: RPT2: MY: WB1DSG Helpful link Sorry for being long winded, Hopefully you might find something useful that will get you up and running. Let me know if I can be of further help, 73's Ed WB1DSG

2897. Re: [DVAPDongle] SIMPLEX FREQ

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-11 14:40:10 UTC
From: Larry bowman
Topic: 2892 Message: 2897

145.67 is a great frequency. Make it standard like 146.52 and put your location out on APRS.

Sent from my iPad

On Dec 10, 2013, at 10:50 AM, "Brad NK8J" <nk8j@...> wrote:

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2898. Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-12 15:14:39 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2898

(Problem #1) I am up and running on D-star on my DVAP Dongle but am having a iisue.

I have spent quite a bit of time trying to figure out the issue but have narrowed it down thinking it is a Dplus issue with my call.

My Call WA6JNM will only connect as Receive only when I connect to KF6RAL B node (or C Node) when using the dongle. I have checked my registration and that doesn't seem to be the problem, I had a friend try to link to the same repeater with his call and his DVAP and he got a normal Connection. so then I had him put my call in the DVAP and not make any other radio changes and he found if my call was In that he could only connect as Receive only! So I did the same with his call and it worked on my end.

(Problem #2)
I also when using my IC-92 or ID-880 can connect to the Repeater via RF and I can not use the Linking commands of the Repeater, I can get a status (I) but the Unlink or Link will not work for me at all, I don't know if this is a multipath or signal issue or if it is Related to problem #1.

Anyone able to shed some light on this Issue?

73's Don WA6JNM

2899. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-12 20:54:58 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2899

Hi Don. I looked through the logs and cannot find any issues on the server side. It is possible that KF6RAL is having issues syncing with the trust server. If you connect to a reflector, do you have the same issues?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2900. Re: [DVAPDongle] SIMPLEX FREQ

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-11 20:10:53 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2892 Message: 2900

I was told 145.67 is the national dstar simplex freq. I wouldn,t put a dvap
or anything else there.

--Fran, W1FJM

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2901. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-13 01:56:20 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2901

Most all the reflectors I have connected to seem to be OKAY, I have seen a couple ports that this happened with, but for the main part it works on the reflector, It is a shame because the two repeaters in the areas that I use both have this Issue going on. KF6RAL and K7YI, I have had a few others along my travels that I can not connect too. I Hope they get it fixed soon as the KF6RAL repeater is one of the few I can work off my handheld. Would this issue be the reason when Using RF (2 or 440) that I can not get any linking commands to respond from the Repeater? It Acts as if I can not use the gateway, I can get a Info prompt back but no other commands work for me on RF.

Thanks Don WA6JNM

2902. RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-14 01:01:58 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2902

OK so now I have reinstalled everything on a win 7 machine and I can link to a reflector but I get the receive only prompt which indicates to me that my registration is fouled. I try to go out and update my reg and get a msg of fatal failure cannot create a BIND file whatever that is. I cannot get in touch with my system Admin so I guess I am just stuck till whenever someone can wave a magic wand and resolve this issue.

2903. RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-14 19:50:21 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2903

You have only registered an "A" terminal so you would have to use an "A" in the 8th character of mycall to be able to transmit. The better solution is to follow the instructions at http://www.dstargateway.org for adding a "space" terminal.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2905. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 02:22:35 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2905

Adrian
My Name is Al and my call is KF5SMH.

2906. RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 02:33:50 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2906

Robin
Originally I had just a space no identifier letter in the 8th spot and the dvap was working fine for about 4 months, then all of a sudden it up and quit. It would not connect at all I now have it working but in receive only, I added the second pc identifier the other nite to no avail. I keep getting that warning that it is a fatal error cannot create a bind file? I am at a point that I am just not sure what to do, I enjoy dvap and dstar but I can't use it and that is frustrating the heck out of me.
Thanks for all your help, everyone.
Al

2909. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 04:09:05 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2909

Adrian
Thank You!!!!!!!!!
I put the A in the tool and away we went, it is now operating without the receive only on ref055A!
Al

2910. RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 14:45:14 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2910

Hi Al. That error is a bit cryptic. :)

It usually means that the value you entered for the PC Name field was invalid. Try something like kf5smh-dongle (no spaces).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2911. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 14:59:36 UTC
From: AL Massaro
Topic: 2874 Message: 2911

Robin
Although I do noy understand why, adding an (space)A after my call in the DVAP tool allowed it to work just fine, as far as I can see on my personal info page nothing has changed from the original setup. While it is working just fine (or appears to be) I am quite confused as to what did what to fix what.
I appreciate all you and everyone else did to get me through this! We are going to have repeaters in the not too distant future and I would love to know how to help folks on their registration problems.

Al Massaro
KF5SMH
Μολὼν λαβέ

2912. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 21:04:11 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2874 Message: 2912

Hi Al. A callsign is 8 characters long in D-Star. It is broken into the first 7 characters for the user call or repeater call and the 8th character for a user is the "terminal" or "initial". That's the field you fill in on the registration page in the initial field. To use only your callsign, you would have to have a space or blank in the initial field so that all 8 characters are used with the 8th character being a space. You only created an initial with "A" in the registration page so you have to put the "A" in the 8th character of your callsign in D-Star. If you go back and create the "space" entry as outlined at www.dstargateway.org, you could omit the "A".

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2913. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 22:30:50 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 2874 Message: 2913

Al SMH wrote:

> Although I do noy understand why, adding an (space)A after my call in the
> DVAP tool allowed it to work just fine, as far as I can see on my personal
> info page nothing has changed from the original setup. While it is working
> just fine (or appears to be) I am quite confused as to what did what to
> fix what.

I know you addressed this to Robin and he has answered your question.

I would like add that computers want to see an exact match. If you
register as KF5SMH A, then KF5SMH will not be a match. KF5SMH D will not
be a match.

It's kind of like a phone number - 234-5678 will not match with 234-5679.

If you have any involvement with aprs, W1AW and W1AW-1 and W1AW-2 are all
different entries. Not a match.

Good luck to you as you further explore D-STAR and have fun!

Dave WB6KHP San Jose

IRLP 3246
EchoLink 525493

2914. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 23:07:19 UTC
From: AL Massaro
Topic: 2874 Message: 2914

Dave
Thank you! I am wellaware that any change or deviation will not allow it to work. I originally did not have an A in it till the other night out of frustration. I added another terminal as the website would not allow me to alter or delete my original.
Thanks for the assist!

Al Massaro
KF5SMH
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2916. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: DVAP connection problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-15 22:58:03 UTC
From: AL Massaro
Topic: 2874 Message: 2916

Robin & Adrian

Originally back in June when I first set up my dstar I had used just the spacebar to finish out my call. I had not changed anything until the other evening out of frustration. My system worked just fine, I could connect and had no difficulties whatsoever. I am not certain but I do believe that I had an update mess with my settings and start this whole thing, don't know how but that is what I believe happened.
Anyhow I am up and connected and I know my equipment works, although I have yet to actually talk to anyone. Thanks again
Al

Al Massaro
KF5SMH
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2917. 2 meter DVAP for Sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-16 07:22:54 UTC
From: <wilburn@...>
Topic: 2917 Message: 2917

I have a like new 2 Meter DVAP Access Point Dongle for sale. Works fine and includes cable, original box and start up instructions. Price is $220 - includes Priority Mail to your lower 48 state US address.

If interested please contact me off line at wilburn@w8vi.com or 513-399-7799

73, Gary Wilburn W8VI

2918. 70 cm DVAP problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-17 10:01:08 UTC
From: <zl1cop@...>
Topic: 2918 Message: 2918
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Can anyone shed any light on the following -

I have a 70cm DVAP which was initially working fine. However it has developed a problem;

Prior to opening the device the green led pulses as normal, however once I hit the open button the green led goes off and stays off and the blue led flashes continuously at about 1 second intervals.

I know the device is receiving OK as I can see the signal strength indicator responding when I key the transmitter, however the Dongle does not seem to be processing the signal.

The DVAP tool seems indicate all is well. (see attached screenshot).

Any ideas?

73
Andy
ZL1COP

2919. Echo

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-17 17:36:12 UTC
From: Anthony DeWitt
Topic: 2919 Message: 2919

I recently purchased a DVAP Dongle, followed the set up protocol to the best of my ability, and was able to make several connections to people on the 30C reflector. However, when I key and speak with the Echo function, I am unable to get it to echo back to me. What am I doing wrong?

Any help would be appreciated.

2920. RE: Echo

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-17 19:48:01 UTC
From: <phoggberg@...>
Topic: 2919 Message: 2920

Had the same problem, what worked for me was to change the "_ _ _ _ _ _ _ E" to "DVAP_ _ _E" same for the Status (I) although stats just tells you you are connected to the DVAP and not which reflector or repeater you are connected to

73,
Barry K0BSB

2921. RE: Echo

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-17 20:12:37 UTC
From: <aldewitt@...>
Topic: 2919 Message: 2921

Okay, never mind. My mistake. I trusted that the people at RT Systems had put in the proper language for the DVAP Echo Test, but in fact, they did not. They used the -------E instead of the DVAP---E (where - equals a space). I put that in myself, and now the DVAP answers the Echo with no problems.

Now, to let RT Systems know....

AD0DQ

2922. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-17 21:39:34 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2922

Well Still not able to use the Repeater other than REceive Only, also can not use the linking commands on the repeater.

This is what I got back from the repeater oberator

"Everything I see says the server is communicating and syncing as expected. However, I did go ahead and restart the processes and perform a resync of the database. Let me know if it has fixed your problem.

http://dsync.dstarusers.org/ gw_status.php?gw=KF6RAL
http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=KF6RAL

http://status.ircddb.net/ http://status.ircddb.net/

"

Now I wonder what is my next course to try to resolve this issue, I also get the same problem connecting to K7YI B,
Does Anyone have any Ideas, Starting to get Very Frustrated with D-Star at this point!

73's Don WA6JNM

2923. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-18 00:20:06 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 2898 Message: 2923

Don WA6JNM wrote:

> Now I wonder what is my next course to try to resolve this issue, I also
> get the same problem connecting to K7YI B,
> Does Anyone have any Ideas, Starting to get Very Frustrated with D-Star
> at this point!

Are you certain that you are registered as WA6JNM? That would be WA6JNM space space.

Is it possible that you're registered as WA6JNM space A or something like that?

However you're registered is the call sign that the repeater needs to see.

I wish you good luck and that you are a happy D-STAR user very soon!

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

IRLP 3246
EchoLink 525493

2924. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-18 03:31:17 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2924

Thanks Dave,

I registered as "WA6JNM" and used the Space in the "Initial" box, I did also Make a "WA6JNM A" and have tried that as a call also with no luck at all.

What the Strange part of this is is I can connect and use all of the reflectors and Most Repeaters from my DVAP connected as TX and RX (not RO) .. RF Wise I can use the repeater KF6RAL but can not use it to Link under my call, I have used other Hams radio's and had them put my call in and it stops working on the radio using my Call but works with their call, and Vice Versa using their call in my radio?

I have looked at my registration and others have too, but at this point I am wondering if I need to have my call removed from the system and re-register to see if that will help, But why would it work on most every repeater except a couple. KF6RAL and K7YI, what is different about those two repeaters to not allow me to TX via DVAP or use the RF side to Link to reflectors and repeaters using my 2 meter or 440 radios.

So PUZZLED at this point on what I need to do next?

73's Don

2925. RE: Echo

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-18 04:03:07 UTC
From: <aldewitt@...>
Topic: 2919 Message: 2925

I did not know that. Thanks. I wondered why it wasn't working to tell me the repeater.

2926. List of DVAP Repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-18 04:00:39 UTC
From: <aldewitt@...>
Topic: 2926 Message: 2926

Is there a list of repeaters that allow DVAP connections? I keep getting "unknown command" when I try to link to a repeater.

2927. RE: 70 cm DVAP problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-18 22:26:46 UTC
From: <jarod_jacobsen@...>
Topic: 2918 Message: 2927

I have the same issue with my 70 cm DVAP. It worked for two days, now it is doing the same thing yours is. Sorry I can't help you. I am looking to fix this as well.

2928. RE: List of DVAP Repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-21 00:33:26 UTC
From: <chp2150@...>
Topic: 2926 Message: 2928

Well, typically many sysops/admins do block connections to local repeaters, it is a preferred and better method to connect your dvap to a reflector which usually has much more bandwidth to handle numerous connections.

Are you able to connect to "any" repeaters?

What is your call sign?

WA6JFK

2929. Possible to use dvap to play audio on PC?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-21 18:58:39 UTC
From: Paul Szymczuk
Topic: 2929 Message: 2929

I know there is a dvdonglr that let's you connect to dstar on your PC and use your PC speakers and microphone. Wondering if its possible to do this with the dvap ? Reason I ask is because I want to use my ht with the dvap but also would like to stream the audio online.

Has Antone done anything like this with the dvap?...any way go capture that audio to the PC as well as rf?

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

2930. RE: Possible to use dvap to play audio on PC?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-23 01:34:53 UTC
From: <kc4yoz@...>
Topic: 2929 Message: 2930

Nope, not possible. There is no AMBE chip in the DVAP, like there is in the DVDongle, so it doesn't do digital -> analog conversion.

73;

Ken - KC4YOZ

2931. Trying to Use DvapTool 1.04 Error

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-23 04:47:24 UTC
From: <pastormg2@...>
Topic: 2931 Message: 2931

I am trying to use DVAP 1.04. But it has a problem finding the com port which is 10. And yet when I use 1.02 it finds it right away. What is the problem with 1.04 finding the com port? Plus, it doesn't give you any com port options in the beginning screen. HELP!! Mark Griffin, KB3Z

2932. Adding initial to gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 15:33:53 UTC
From: <ki4wqd@...>
Topic: 2932 Message: 2932

Merry Christmas! I wanted to add the A to the initial field on the gateway, how long does it take to replicate through the system? Anytime I try to connect with the A it goes R/O

I have M for my mobile, and that's what I have in there now and it's working fine, so I know it's not a setup problem

Have to say, the DVAP/Raspberry Pi combo is fantastic! Now to cobble a battery for the whole thing....

2933. RE: [DVAPDongle] Adding initial to gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 16:09:23 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2932 Message: 2933

Why do you want to add the A? There is no need to add a separate terminal for another device?

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

-------- Original message --------
From: ki4wqd@...
Date:12/25/2013 9:40 AM (GMT-06:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Adding initial to gateway

Merry Christmas! I wanted to add the A to the initial field on the gateway, how long does it take to replicate through the system? Anytime I try to connect with the A it goes R/O

I have M for my mobile, and that's what I have in there now and it's working fine, so I know it's not a setup problem

Have to say, the DVAP/Raspberry Pi combo is fantastic! Now to cobble a battery for the whole thing....

2934. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 19:27:16 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2934

Anyone have any idea's on this, I still have no connection to my local repeater other than Receive Only?

2935. RE: [DVAPDongle] Adding initial to gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 19:59:49 UTC
From: <ki4wqd@...>
Topic: 2932 Message: 2935

Because I want to listen to multiple reflectors with multiple devices at the same time....

2936. RE: Echo

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 20:04:38 UTC
From: <ki4wqd@...>
Topic: 2919 Message: 2936

It should scroll the connected reflector on your screen with the I command.

2937. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 23:05:19 UTC
From: <nonstoptwo@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2937

Tell me,

What model radio are you using?
What model DVAP ?
What are the commands that you use to link, send voice, unlink?
I assume you're using KF6RAL L to link, then sending CQCQCQ after you're linked?
I have seen your call sign pop up on KF6RAL, but after the last group message and while I often connect to KF6RAL from Sandy, it's hit and miss, and I use the A B or C module depending on need.
I've got a couple of Icom radios, if you could let me know which one maybe I could help work out the bugs, I'm using a 2 meter DVAP to connect to KF6RAL and haven't had the problems you're reporting.

K7KHA

2938. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-26 01:56:03 UTC
From: <n0xia@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2938

Hello Don,

You may want to contact the Admin of the K7YI gateway/repeater. There does not appear to be an issue with your call on other gateways or reflectors. I cheated by trying your call in my dongle. It refuses to allow transmit on K7YI with the message that the call is not registered. Better yet, if anyone knows the Admin, let him know there is an issue and that the K7YI gateway clock is off with the rest of the world.

73,

James, N0XIA

2939. RE: [DVAPDongle] Adding initial to gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-25 23:23:13 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2932 Message: 2939

You should be able to do that with the same terminal. The main time multiple terminals are needed is with two ID-1s so you get two IP addresses. DVAPs, Dongles and radios can all run with just the plain callsign (no suffix).

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ki4wqd@gmail.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 25, 2013 3:00 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Adding initial to gateway

Because I want to listen to multiple reflectors with multiple devices at the same time....

2940. 440 dvap problem please help me Robin

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-27 06:59:11 UTC
From: howardp
Topic: 2940 Message: 2940

I have a 440 dvap that was working perfectly using the official dvtool version 1.04 software.
I left the unit on and when I got home from work it was not working.
I checked my Icom id-31a and all was fine with the handheld radio.

then I checked the DVAP when it gets plugged into the usb port all the lights light up.... then the the green light flashes.

when I start up the dvaptool 1.04 software the light flashes blue and it reports the serial number I key my id-31a and it hears but does not transmit back to my radio. I have only used the antenna supplied with the dvap and the official software .

I am feeling sad ....

where can I send it to be looked at ???/

2941. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-27 03:21:07 UTC
From: <n0xia@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2941

A perfect example why I should never post a reply on forums. I was way out on left field and don't know where I got my data. Something got crossed. Disregard.

James, N0XIA

2942. RE: 440 dvap problem please help me Robin

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-27 15:30:00 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2940 Message: 2942

Hi Howard. First, adjust the frequency up/down 5/10 kHz in DVAPTool (while keeping the HT frequency unchanged). See if that makes a difference. Then, download the DVAP util program from www.dvapdongle.com and check to see if your frequency is centered on the HT frequency. You can adjust it using the calibration value in the lower left corner.

If that doesn't resolve the issue, you can send the unit back to me for recalibration. Just send a direct email and I'll send you the details.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2943. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-27 15:55:31 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2943

Thanks, for the replies, At this point I feel my ONLY Option is to contact the gateway where I am registered and have my registration deleted off the server. Then re register on a different server and try it.

K7KHA - I will attempt to contact you from your email address on QRZ, would love to talk and see what we can find out.

I know the CommandsI Do know the commands I am using are Valid on All the equipment, I had even put MY Call on anothers Radio when I went to the Davis County Radio Club meeting with that call not working and the original operators call was working Fine. At this Point I am Sure it is a Call or Gateway issue.

Thanks Again.
Don WA6JNM

Hey Robin, Would you like to host my call on Your server when I get it removed from the system?

2944. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-27 18:24:00 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2944

Okay Now I got my registration Deleted from the system a email response to say it was don, and shows deleted in the query!

I will wait a short time and re-register on a different gateway, now how long should I wait and where should I register again?

THANK YOU.... TO ALL WHO HAVE HELPED ON THIS!

2945. RE: Receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-27 15:57:47 UTC
From: <younkerd@...>
Topic: 2898 Message: 2945

I would agree with your troubleshooting, My Call works on most Sytems, Just not the couple local Repeaters.

Thanks

2946. New Facebook Group for D-Star Users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-29 05:01:06 UTC
From: <aldewitt@...>
Topic: 2946 Message: 2946

I started a new Facebook group for D-Star users. The UK already had a group, so I started D-Star US. Please feel free to join.

2947. Dvap dongle gateway unknown help pls

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-29 09:09:25 UTC
From: <martin_hennessey@...>
Topic: 2947 Message: 2947

Hi all
Been trying to set up dv dongle vhf on an icom51 e handheld i though i had it last night !
but to no avail , yesterday i could access gateways receive on was the
message and today its saying gateway unknown ??? thats a few relectors .

Was thinking that callsign registration was incorrect 2EOSPG i have accessed a local
repaeter ok but anothe guy on same repeater GB7ML couldnt hear me .? can
you still access local repeters if registration not done correctly .

Any help be great thanks
73s
2EOSPG

2948. RE: Dvap dongle gateway unknown help pls

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-29 13:49:19 UTC
From: <hoblet76@...>
Topic: 2947 Message: 2948

Well little bit of improvement I can now link to reflectors but yet to talk to anyone

2949. Re: [DVAPDongle] New Facebook Group for D-Star Users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-29 15:02:43 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 2946 Message: 2949

I don't find your new group on Facebook. There is a D-STAR Amateur Radio group

--Fran

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On Sun, Dec 29, 2013 at 12:01 AM, <aldewitt@...> wrote:

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> I started a new Facebook group for D-Star users. The UK already had a
> group, so I started D-Star US. Please feel free to join.
>
>

2950. Re: [DVAPDongle] New Facebook Group for D-Star Users

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-30 04:49:12 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 2946 Message: 2950

aldewitt wrote:

> I started a new Facebook group for D-Star users. The UK already had a
> group, so I started D-Star US. Please feel free to join.

Or you could go to the "D-STAR Amateur Radio" Facebook page.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

2951. RE: Dvap tool will not install on 8.1 pro

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-31 17:10:20 UTC
From: <lkellar@...>
Topic: 2875 Message: 2951

I had this happen to a friend of mine. Install Apple Bonjour or Itunes for that matter and it will reinstall the missing dll file. Bonjour is a small program. This did work. 73

2952. RE: 70 cm DVAP problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-31 18:20:25 UTC
From: <pd_fus@...>
Topic: 2918 Message: 2952

I suddenly have the same issue with my 70 cm DVAP. It worked flawlessly since early September. Suddenly yesterday it developed this problem. The slow flashing green light stays on as expected until the device is "opened". The green light then goes off and the faster flashing blue LED comes on. The DVAP receives but does not transmit.

I have not seen a solution for this malfunction posted. Robin, what can we do to restore DVAP's which develop this problem?? My DVAP has become a valued part of my station.

Peter, WA7FUS

2953. Any active dstar message boards?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-31 19:13:54 UTC
From: Paul Szymczuk
Topic: 2953 Message: 2953

Wondering if there are any real active dstar forums?
Dstarusers.org is out there but does not seem very active.

I'm looking to find out about nets, activities, on reflectors.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

2954. RE: [DVAPDongle] Any active dstar message boards?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2013-12-31 23:42:29 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2953 Message: 2954

If you're looking for nets, reflectors and info, try www.dstarinfo.com<http://www.dstarinfo.com>. There are several Yahoo groups that are active.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Paul Szymczuk
Sent: Tuesday, December 31, 2013 2:14 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Any active dstar message boards?

Wondering if there are any real active dstar forums?
Dstarusers.org is out there but does not seem very active.

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Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android<http://overview.mail.yahoo.com/mobile/?.src=Android>

2955. Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-02 06:51:58 UTC
From: <kj6kmt@...>
Topic: 2955 Message: 2955

New laptop using Windows 8. Tried installing the DVAP and reinstalling twice after receiving a message that "dnssd.ddl missing, not found, try reinstalling program." Message pops up after launching the DVAP program.

Can anyone please help. I'm at a loss.

73

2956. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-02 13:36:22 UTC
From: amsctalx@...
Topic: 2955 Message: 2956

http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html

See step 9...

Mike Alexander - N8MSA

----- Original Message -----
From: kj6kmt@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, January 2, 2014 1:51:58 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

New laptop using Windows 8. Tried installing the DVAP and reinstalling twice after receiving a message that "dnssd.ddl missing, not found, try reinstalling program." Message pops up after launching the DVAP program.

Can anyone please help. I'm at a loss.

73

2957. RE: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-02 13:37:49 UTC
From: Ricky Knowles
Topic: 2955 Message: 2957

You need to install the bonjoir suite to give you the missing dll file

Ricky Knowles
G0LZX / G1VWL
Work : 07980499570
Personal : 07583085199
Home : 01704380507

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of kj6kmt@...
Sent: 02 January 2014 06:52
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

New laptop using Windows 8. Tried installing the DVAP and reinstalling twice after receiving a message that "dnssd.ddl missing, not found, try reinstalling program." Message pops up after launching the DVAP program.

Can anyone please help. I'm at a loss.

73

This email is free from viruses and malware because avast! Antivirus protection is active.
http://www.avast.com

2958. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-02 13:43:05 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2955 Message: 2958

You may need to manually install the USB drivers. Use this procedure”":

“If the driver is not found, download the driver from http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm by clicking on the “setup executable” link on that web page.”

Monty K2DLJ

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Can anyone please help. I'm at a loss.

73

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2959. RE: 70 cm DVAP problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-03 13:22:27 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2918 Message: 2959

Hi Peter. When you key up, do you see your callsign info in DVAPTool? If so, try running an echo test with "DVAP___E" (where "_" is a space) to see if it is both hearing and transmitting. If not, you may need to tweak the frequency calibration by using the DVAP util program from www.dvapdongle.com.

Open DVAP util, set the frequency, and open the device. Then key up and make sure that the spectrum is centered on the chosen frequency. You can adjust it up/down using the calibration box in the lower left.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2960. MacBookPro I7 Mavericks 2m DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-04 06:15:26 UTC
From: <tcarver007@...>
Topic: 2960 Message: 2960

I submitted my registration today and just installed the DVAPTool 1.04.
The DVAPTool 1.04 responds to my HT showing my call sign cqcqcqcq and that is about the must of it. What next?
The record and playback function do not work, so I am unable to test the power and squelch settings.
Wondering how I am now supposed to connect, listen and so on.
This is week 2 of owning a mac as well... 2 learning curves.

Thanks
Ty-AF6TS

2961. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-05 18:53:10 UTC
From: <kj6kmt@...>
Topic: 2955 Message: 2961

Thanks Monty,

I tried your suggestion and still didnt solve the issue.

I downloaded a thrird party apple driver and now I can connect to the repeater, get the connect beep and repeater call sign, but I do not receive any voice. Any thoughts. I checked my settings via RT Systems software and everything in the radio looks good.

Why dosn't Internet Labs include a tutorial. This is very difficult and fustrating for people that are not computer literate.

73

2962. RE: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-05 18:55:31 UTC
From: <kj6kmt@...>
Topic: 2955 Message: 2962

Thanks Ricky,

That was it but I receive the connect beep and repeater callsign but do not receive any voice.

Check radio programming via RT Systems and everything in the radio looks OK, (I think).

Any ideas?

73

2963. Blue Light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-05 20:41:04 UTC
From: N2qxb
Topic: 2963 Message: 2963

Since I got my device I have never seen a blue light. I can connect but echo test does not work any suggestions?

2964. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-05 21:24:22 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2955 Message: 2964

There are operating instructions that walk you through using your DVAP at www.dvapdongle.com. Have you been through those?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2965. Re: [DVAPDongle] Windows 8 and DNSSD.DLL Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-06 02:57:58 UTC
From: <kj6kmt@...>
Topic: 2955 Message: 2965

Yes and followed them multiple times. That's when I turned to this board for help.

73

2966. RE: MacBookPro I7 Mavericks 2m DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-06 03:15:04 UTC
From: <aldewitt@...>
Topic: 2960 Message: 2966

Ty:
I have a 17 inch Macbook, and I have no problem with the DVAP.
If you are using the ID-51, I would suggest you use the RT Systems software. it has a DVAP function on the programmer (Dstar Calculator) that will help you set up the HT to use the DVAP. They also have some really good videos on their You Tube Channel to help you through it.

I have not been able to get the terminal window to work on the Macbook, but the DVAPTool software works without a hitch so long as you have the most recent version of the software.

Once you get used to the Mac, you won't want any other computer.

2967. Dvap dongle 3 g on rasberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-09 15:29:55 UTC
From: <hoblet76@...>
Topic: 2967 Message: 2967

Hi all Just setting up a rasberry pi with my dvap and was wondering which data plan would be ok for dstar use about an hour daily ? Also is it easy to Program the pi for this . Many thanks Martin 2E0SPG

2968. RE: [DVAPDongle] Dvap dongle 3 g on rasberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-09 23:14:07 UTC
From: Søren
Topic: 2967 Message: 2968

Hi
I use less than 1 GB / month
73's from oz2ca

Sent from my Samsung smartphone on AT&T

-------- Original message --------
From: hoblet76@hotmail.com
Date: 01/09/2014 4:29 PM (GMT+01:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap dongle 3 g on rasberry pi

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2969. DVAP Raspberry Pi auto start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-10 05:36:57 UTC
From: <la3ria@...>
Topic: 2969 Message: 2969

Hello everyone.
I followed up the Instructions on how to install the DV Access Point (DVAP) Dongle on your Raspberry Pi with auto start;
Now I am stopped at step 3 (c) Open your file manager and navigate to the “/home/pi” directory and drag the file “DVAPTool” into the DVAP folder)
It didn't work, I canot drag file DVPTool into the DVAP folder? I received error file cannot transfer access refused.
1 am using the raspbian wheezy 2014-01-07-wheezy-raspbian. So, is any body there can help me regarding my problem?
Thanks you!
73s de Mushtaq / LA3RIA

2970. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap dongle 3 g on rasberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-10 10:59:59 UTC
From: winchester graham
Topic: 2967 Message: 2970

Hello Martin,
I have same set up as yourself - the DVAP and the Raspberry Pi. With total ignorance of Linux and the Pi it was not a good start for setting this up! However I found by going to -

Amateur Logic TV Programme 57 all worked out well. About half way through their programme one of the presenters does a slot on exactly what you are wanting to do and he presents it very well. I followed it through and all was well.

Either Google Amateur Logic TV or go to YouTube.

Hope all goes well.
Graham GM4CUX

On 9 January 2014 23:14, Søren <chefen@...> wrote:

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> to Program the pi for this . Many thanks Martin 2E0SPG
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2971. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap dongle 3 g on rasberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-10 19:25:50 UTC
From: martin
Topic: 2967 Message: 2971

Hi Graham

Thanks for the info I will
Have a go install over the Weekend .
73s martin 2E0SPG

> On 10 Jan 2014, at 10:59, winchester graham <aros21@blueyonder.rco.uk> wrote:
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> Hello Martin,
> I have same set up as yourself - the DVAP and the Raspberry Pi. With total ignorance of Linux and the Pi it was not a good start for setting this up! However I found by going to -
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> Amateur Logic TV Programme 57 all worked out well. About half way through their programme one of the presenters does a slot on exactly what you are wanting to do and he presents it very well. I followed it through and all was well.
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2972. 2M DVAP power problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-12 08:38:45 UTC
From: <ctmegaw@...>
Topic: 2972 Message: 2972

G'day All,
maybe I didn't use the correct search parameters but I was unable to find this issue previously. Please provide a link if it has been sorted out prior.

I am using my DVAP through a Raspberry Pi and my mobile (cell) phone providing a hotspot for connection to the internet with an ID-51. Power is provided via a 2600mAh battery pack.

Today I noticed a conversation on REF 1C become choppy (not R2D2) then drop out. I noticed I still had full phone coverage so tried to reconnect to the reflector. There was no response from the DVAP and no lights either on or flashing. I tried a reset and all 4 lights flashed momentarily then no further response.

I then tried a different power supply (12V DC from the vehicle) with the same result. I have tried powering it up from my PC with the same result.

I'm currently on the road and my main desktop PC with the Raspberry Pi and all other software is with the removalist so further troubleshooting may be delayed.

Would like some advice as to whether my DVAP may be terminal.

Cheers
Chris
VK4FR

2973. RE: 2M DVAP power problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-12 13:17:17 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2972 Message: 2973

Hi Chris. When you plug into your PC, does the green light pulse? If not, I'll be happy to take a look at it and repair/replace if needed. 73, Robin AA4RC

2975. Link Established Receive Only...Only on K5TIT Repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-13 16:10:32 UTC
From: <lkellar@...>
Topic: 2975 Message: 2975

I have a strange problem. I have a fully functional DVAP system using a Raspberry Pi and a 440 mhz DVAP with an ICOM ID-51A. I CAN connect to any reflector or repeater but CAN NOT connect to any K5TIT repeaters. I have tried the DVAP on a windows and apple machine. I have tried using my IC-7100 and IC-2820 I am using my callsign KB5ZZB no a b or c after. I have spoke to JIM in the K5TIT group and Fred with ICOM. I Thought I would throw this to the group and see if anyone has any ideas. Also this happens with my wife's callsign also.

Thanks
Lawrence
KB5ZZB

2976. RE: Link Established Receive Only...Only on K5TIT Repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-13 17:05:37 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 2975 Message: 2976

Hi Lawrence. The logs show that you connected to K5TIT yesterday using your DVAP on a Linux system. I don't see a WIndows or Mac connection attempt since the 6th and you were using DVAPTool version 1.02 on the Windows system. The latest is 1.04.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

2977. RE: Link Established Receive Only...Only on K5TIT Repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-14 11:42:44 UTC
From: <lkellar@...>
Topic: 2975 Message: 2977

Thanks Robin

I loaded the newest version onto a windows 7 machine and tried to connect last night. I experienced the same result...receive only...I do appreciate the help

Thanks
Lawrence
KB5ZZB

2978. remote system linked receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-14 20:19:28 UTC
From: <gene@...>
Topic: 2978 Message: 2978

Why do i keep gettin this message when trying to use dvap?

2980. Pi and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-17 09:46:53 UTC
From: martin
Topic: 2980 Message: 2980

Hi all
Quite new to dstar and pi setup I've downloaded software burnt to card it's auto starting ok and on wifi but I seem to be transmitting to myself I get my callsign announced periodically back to radio ?? .
Checked settings but obviously I am missing something I am getting blue led pulsing every second on Dvap
Regards
Martin
2E0SPG

Sent from my iPhone

2981. RE: Pi and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-17 13:29:51 UTC
From: <kc4yoz@...>
Topic: 2980 Message: 2981

Sounds like it's operating normally. Now you need to connect to something.

See http://dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html
In the "Radio Command Reference" section is the format of the link command. You can link to your local gateway or a reflector, as suggested, try "REF001CL" and I'm sure you can raise someone there.

Ken - KC4YOZ

2982. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Pi and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-17 15:14:15 UTC
From: martin
Topic: 2980 Message: 2982

Hi ken
Nope that's all programmed in ok on the radio fine on PC seems it could be a configuration setting somewhere . I've done the frequency with 9
Digits and no decimal and band c for 2m dongle

Martin

> On 17 Jan 2014, at 13:29, <kc4yoz@...> wrote:
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> Sounds like it's operating normally. Now you need to connect to something.
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> See http://dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html
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> Ken - KC4YOZ
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2983. RE: remote system linked receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-19 17:04:05 UTC
From: <radiodog1234@...>
Topic: 2978 Message: 2983

Usually this is result of not being registered on DSTAR..

go to this site: http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php

then enter your call sign. see if you and your terminals are registered. If not, you are not registered.

2984. DVAP terminal A needed ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-19 17:09:32 UTC
From: <radiodog1234@...>
Topic: 2984 Message: 2984

The DVAP instructions indicate that registering a terminal "A" is recommended but not required. For example, "W4ETQ A" (without the quotes) . Is anyone having success using a DVAP without having a terminal "A" registered? I want to get my ducks in a row before the DVAP arrives.
THANKS for any info you can offer.

2985. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP terminal A needed ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-20 19:29:11 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 2984 Message: 2985

Hi, I use my DVAP without the terminal ID, no problems.

The important thing to remember is whatever option you choose you must have a perfect match with your D-STAR registration, Radio (mycall) and DVAP software. Otherwise you will only be able to receive and not transmit.

Enjoy your DVAP and D-STAR.

Dave.
2E0DCE

On 19 Jan 2014, at 17:09, <radiodog1234@...> wrote:

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2986. RE: Pi and Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-21 10:52:03 UTC
From: <hoblet76@...>
Topic: 2980 Message: 2986

Hi all Well got my dvap and pi going my issue was the image on the sd card ! I formatted the card and reinstalled raspian wheezy Them used a Linux program by nj6n Inputted the frequency and callsign and voila ' Thanks again

2987. RE: DVAP terminal A needed ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-21 13:02:50 UTC
From: <wb1dsg@...>
Topic: 2984 Message: 2987

I also had this question when I was getting started with DSTAR, receiving the NEW toys and anxious to get on the air. I suggest that you just register your call sign. I have had my DVAP up and running with just my call sign. Been using DVAP Tool v1.04 on my MacBook Pro w OSX v. 10.9.1. Let me know if you need assistance getting your DVAP up and running with using a Mac system.

2988. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP terminal A needed ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-22 07:05:27 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2984 Message: 2988

Another possibility.
I do not know if this is happening in your case, but I have found that a terminal can only be connected to DSTAR once.
If the system sees two routes, it means that one path cannot transmit.

For example, I frequently monitor different reflectors with my DV Dongle as well as operating my 51A through my local DSTAR repeater at the same time. I found that DSTAR was getting very confused if I used the same terminal simultaneously. Others can comment more on the technical side, but to the user it appears as if the DSTAR system gets confused if there are two routes for the same terminal. I now have a dedicated terminal just for my DV Dongle AE7TD<D> and then use my AE7TD<space> terminal for my radio.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: davidgames60@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Mon, 20 Jan 2014 19:29:11 +0000
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP terminal A needed ?

Hi, I use my DVAP without the terminal ID, no problems.
The important thing to remember is whatever option you choose you must have a perfect match with your D-STAR registration, Radio (mycall) and DVAP software. Otherwise you will only be able to receive and not transmit.
Enjoy your DVAP and D-STAR.
Dave.2E0DCE

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THANKS for any info you can offer.

2989. Re: 2M DVAP power problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-22 08:02:37 UTC
From: Chris Megaw
Topic: 2972 Message: 2989

Thanks Robin and Adrian for your prompt replies and apologies for my tardy one!

I think it may be a software problem (hopefully) as I now have access to my laptop (I'm still in temporary accommodation until my belongings arrive next week) and when I plug the DVAP into my laptop it fires up and flashes no worries at all, still the same results on the Pi though.

I don't have any software on my laptop, something I can see I may have to rectify, to reflash the card and get it all running again.

Once again, thank you for your replies the support is greatly appreciated.

Chris
VK4FR Portable VK5

2990. connecting 3g to pi for dvap in the UK

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-22 08:29:21 UTC
From: <martin_hennessey@...>
Topic: 2990 Message: 2990

Hi all
Quite a newbie to dsatr but slowly getting there , ive got my pi up and running with the dvap on wifi Great but next i want to connect my pi to connect to 3g network to go mobile. Sadly i cannnot tether my iphone on giff gaff so i am just wondering how you lot connect to 3g ?

Have tried a huawei 3131 dongle that is supposed to be unlocked but not 100 percent sure it is PI or the install for that so any help be great thanks some people seem to think 3 works ok .

many thanks
Martin
2E0SPG

2992. Re: DVAP terminal A needed ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-23 15:44:16 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 2984 Message: 2992

Okay, let me ask this question then. I have an ID-51, an IC-880H, and the IC-7100. I also have a DVAP and a Dongle. When I registered the ID51 and the 880 separately on my D-star home gateway (both with spaces) the second registration was removed (presumably by the administrator) and as a result only one of these registrations shows up. That’s the registration with the space. Because I’ve never had any difficulty whatsoever with most routine communications, I’ve never bothered with separate terminal identifiers for my DVAP and Dongle.

So, I can link my Dongle or my DVAP to W4LEE (Opelika, AL) and W4LEE is connected to REF058(B). I can hear and respond to all traffic coming into W4LEE on either device. But if I try to link directly with my Dongle to REF058(B), it says I am connected for Audio Only and my PTT is grayed-out. I do not have this problem with 1C, 2A, 12A, or 30C, just that reflector.

So, is this a registration problem, or more of a problem with just that reflector? I am not registered on W4LEE (I am registered on WX0BC in Columbia, MO). So perhaps the reflector is checking the D-star registration status of the connected repeaters. I have wondered if I were to link WX0BC to REF058 (not that this makes any sense as 58 is Alabama nets and WX0BC is a Missouri gateway) if I could connect using my Dongle.

I’m guessing someone knows the answer, but I’m pretty sure that someone isn’t me.

AD0DQ

2993. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP terminal A needed ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-23 18:22:41 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 2984 Message: 2993

Let me try to be clear about registrations and terminals. First, if you register on one repeater, you are registered worldwide because databases sync. You must be completely registered which means you, the user, initially register on a repeater with your callsign, name, email address, then create a password. Next, that repeater's system administrator goes in and approves you. Hopefully, the system administrator has checked that you are not registered on any other repeater. Registering on more than one repeater can cause problems.

Sometimes the process breaks down here because system administrators may not know you initiated a registration. If possible, send an email to the administrator letting them know you began a registration.

Finally, once approved, you log back into the same repeater and add a terminal. For 99% of the situations, you only need to register ONE terminal usually a "space" for simplicity. YOU DO NOT HAVE TO REGISTER A SEPARATE TERMINAL FOR EACH RADIO. Adding additional terminals usually creates confusion and problems for new users who either forget to add the suffix or add an unregistered one. The result, your Dongle or DVAP does not transmit and you cannot link with your radio. You don't even need another terminal for Hotspots.

One of the only reasons to have more than one terminal is if you have two ID-1 radios operating under the same callsign and you need separate IP addresses to use them for high speed data mode. Originally, there was a recommendation to add an "A" terminal if you're using a Dongle so other users would know they can't callsign route to you. With so few people use callsign routing, it's not worth adding to the confusion and errors.

There are very good instructions on the whole registration process with screen shots at www.dstargateway.org. Just register on your local repeater. Remember, you are not fully registered until all of the steps are completed and you add a terminal.

John WB4QDX

-----Original Message-----
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Anthony L. DeWitt
Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 10:44 AM
To: DVAPDongle@...m
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP terminal A needed ?

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Yahoo Groups Links

2994. dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-27 00:25:53 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2994 Message: 2994

Anyone running both devices on a windows 8 machine successfully

2995. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-27 15:27:34 UTC
From: Tony Mac
Topic: 2994 Message: 2995

I run win 8.1 with dvap now and then, no problems, most of the time
dvap/Pi off of small power supply and/or moble.

Tony, ke9ph

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> Your email settings: Individual Email|Traditional
> Change settings via the Web
> <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DVAPDongle/join;_ylc=X3oDMTJnZjZ1cXRpBF9TAzk3NDc2NTkwBGdy
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2996. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-27 17:34:29 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 2994 Message: 2996

Why would you want to?

ke4qdc@yahoo.com wrote:

>Anyone running both devices on a windows 8 machine successfully

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Do THIS before eating carbs (every time)
1 EASY tip to increase fat-burning, lower blood sugar & decrease fat storage
http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3131/52e699d55c6119cd202ast02duc

2997. DVAP and Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-27 21:53:39 UTC
From: David
Topic: 2997 Message: 2997

OK you Linux users....I need help

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David, aa6rv

2998. RE: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-27 23:19:15 UTC
From: Don Woodward
Topic: 2994 Message: 2998

DVDONGLE – yes – Windows 8.1

Don Woodward
KD4APP

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ke4qdc@...
Sent: Sunday, January 26, 2014 7:26 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Anyone running both devices on a windows 8 machine successfully

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 2014.0.4259 / Virus Database: 3681/7035 - Release Date: 01/26/14

2999. Re: dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 02:32:50 UTC
From: Paul Levin
Topic: 2994 Message: 2999

I have both but never tried running them simultaneously. Is that what you're asking? I could try if you like.
Paul
WQ1i

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <ke4qdc@...> wrote:
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>

3000. RE: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 03:42:33 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2994 Message: 3000

I do it all of the time. Just make sure u plug them into the right USB port w/ the right COM port. There is something about the emulation that needs the original port. I have done it on at least 3 systems.

73

Dave, AE7TD

Sent from my Windows Phone

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From: ke4qdc@yahoo.com<mailto:ke4qdc@...>
Sent: □1/□27/□2014 6:45 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Anyone running both devices on a windows 8 machine successfully

3001. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 04:01:32 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 2997 Message: 3001

This might sound strange, but have you contacted the manufacturer of the D-HAP?

WB5EKU

On Mon, Jan 27, 2014 at 1:53 PM, David <malin@...> wrote:

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> David, aa6rv
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3002. RE: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 05:37:20 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 2994 Message: 3002

As I said, I do it all of the time.

I love using the DV Dongle in command line mode. It gives you a much better history of what is happening. I use the DV Dongle to jump back and forth monitor different reflectors, then when I am ready (as I like holding a physical radio -- I am old fashion I guess) then I use the DVAP to dial it up and start talking. I find it much easier to use a HT rather than a mobile or DV Dongle to have the QSO.

I also use this setup a lot to demo with youth. They also love actually holding a physical radio, i.e. the 51A -- and then we use the DV Dongle to show them who is talking where and how, and jump around. Again, this shows up easier on the DV Dongle's screens with history.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: nk8j@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Mon, 27 Jan 2014 09:34:29 -0800
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap and dvdongle on a windows 8 machine

Why would you want to?

ke4qdc@... wrote:

>Anyone running both devices on a windows 8 machine successfully

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Do THIS before eating carbs (every time)

1 EASY tip to increase fat-burning, lower blood sugar & decrease fat storage

http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3131/52e699d55c6119cd202ast02duc

3003. Requesting info on DVAP setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 14:08:49 UTC
From: Barry Schaefer
Topic: 3003 Message: 3003

Is there anyone who could send info on the setup process for a dvap and program if nessary
thanks, Barry

3004. RE: Requesting info on DVAP setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 16:10:18 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3003 Message: 3004

Have you tried the directions that come with it? Check out http://www.dvapdongle.com .

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3005. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Requesting info on DVAP setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 16:15:17 UTC
From: Paul.... Tether Preston
Topic: 3003 Message: 3005

Yes. I will uninstall and start again.

Sent from my MOTOROLA BRAVO™ on Consumer Cellular

-----Original message-----
From: aa4rc@interlabs.com
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, Jan 28, 2014 16:10:43 GMT+00:00
Subject: [DVAPDongle] RE: Requesting info on DVAP setup

Have you tried the directions that come with it? Check out http://www.dvapdongle.com .

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3006. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-28 16:20:17 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 2997 Message: 3006

The manufacturer of the DHAP creates a special version of the pie for the DVAP. The version he gives is fairly stripped-down and very tight. However if you want to modify your PI it's fairly simple to create your own version. Start with an NOOB Version of the code strip out what you don't want an ad what you do. You don't really need to be a UNIX/Linux expert. Just google what you need. There is plenty on the web about setting up the PI. Start with the NOOB Raspian distribution, then google the RASPI and DVAP, look for the instructions on autostart. it's best if you have an 8GB SD card as the 4GB might be a bit tight. So start with raspberry pi .org and go from there

73,
Barry K0BSB

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> David, aa6rv
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3007. pi wiil not assign ip address

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 02:10:50 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 3007 Message: 3007

I think the issue is my security, the pi does not have a way to enter the wep code required that I can find, anybody got a finger to point me in the correct direction?
Thanks
Al
KF5SMH

3008. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi wiil not assign ip address

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 05:28:28 UTC
From: PE1KZU
Topic: 3007 Message: 3008

https://www.anavi.org/article/154/

Bert, PE1KZU

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op 29-01-14 03:10, almassaro@... schreef:
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3009. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi wiil not assign ip address

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 05:34:43 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3007 Message: 3009
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Get to the Pi Desktop . Click on the WiFi Config shortcut. If it isn't there open the Pi's Start Menu (The StarTrek Thingy in the lower left corner of the desktop, you will find it under "Other". If you right click on it first it will give you an option to put it on the desktop, incase you need it again. When the app opens, click on scan, and the scan for wif Networks. When you find the one you want, click on it and you will have a chance to enter the wep code.

This is basic operation of the Raspian Operating system, and you could find several resources on the web on what to do and how to do it if you just would google Raspian and WiFi. While the Pi is a solid and great little computer, you really should learn how to do basic operating system stuff. Linux is complex enough and SD cards fail enough that you should learn the basics, like entering the WEP Password.

73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@...
K0BSB@...

On Jan 28, 2014, at 8:10 PM, almassaro@... wrote:

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3010. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi wiil not assign ip address

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 11:25:18 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 3007 Message: 3010

On the Pi distribution I am using, the is a desktop App called “WiFi Config”. It has a place to enter the WEP code – I use WPA2, so have not tried WEP. When the App starts, select your network in the pick box. Then click the drop down menu “Network”, and select “edit”. I put my key on the “PSK” line, but there are 4 “WEP keys” lines that you may have to use – play around and I’m sure it will work for you.

Monty K2DLJ

3011. RE: pi wiil not assign ip address

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 14:35:51 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 3007 Message: 3011

Never mind a kind gentleman in Tx came to the rescue! Who was that masked man?
Thanks
Al
KF5SMH

3012. "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 04:40:09 UTC
From: <patrick.vadnais@...>
Topic: 3012 Message: 3012
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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-I have KU6P in the DVAP's Station Callsign box.

When I key up and have REF014CL as my target, it connects ok, but it tells me that I am in receive only mode. I can hear other hams but cannot talk to them.

I have read other posts that said each and every instance of your callsign must match, and I believe I have done so, but I can't seem to figure out where I have hosed this up. I have also included other screenshots of the startup of the program, the screen when I connect, etc.

Any help would be greatly appreciated!

Thanks and 73,

Pat - KU6P

3013. RE: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 16:04:01 UTC
From: Mark Giannini
Topic: 3012 Message: 3013
Attachments: 4 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I hope this helps. See attached photos.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of patrick.vadnais@...
Sent: Tuesday, January 28, 2014 11:40 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

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3014. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 15:49:08 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 3012 Message: 3014

what calls have you programmed into the WX6D registration information? One of them must remain blank in the “ABCD” section.
Monty K2DLJ

From: patrick.vadnais@...
Sent: Tuesday, January 28, 2014 11:40 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

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Thanks and 73,

Pat - KU6P

3015. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 15:49:51 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3012 Message: 3015

Pat KU6P wrote:

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> out where I have something set wrong that is forcing me into "Receive
> only land".
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> (snipped some)
>
> Any help would be greatly appreciated!

Not to steal Pat's thunder but I am happy to announce that since that message was posted, he figured it out and just enjoyed his first D-STAR contact with a station in San Jose. Me.

Good work, Pat, and welcome to Digital Voice!

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

3016. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi wiil not assign ip address

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 15:43:01 UTC
From: <almassaro@...>
Topic: 3007 Message: 3016

OK Thanks to all of you, I tried to post a note this AM stating that I had gotten it done wit the help of a gentleman down in Tx. This is my first foray into the world of Linux, I will get better with it over time, as to the desktop and the wifi config tool the instructions I had gave no mention of how to get to the desktop, the moment the other gentleman gave me the keyword startx I was good to go. Thanks for the replies!
Al
KF5SMH

3017. RE: "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 17:40:54 UTC
From: <patrick.vadnais@...>
Topic: 3012 Message: 3017

UPDATE Problem solved!

I was under the impression that I needed to make a "terminal" entry for each item that I wanted to connect to the system.

On my "Personal Information" page on the D-Star Gateway System, (as seen in the screenshot I had attached in my original post), I had both my DVAP and my hand held radio (IC-U82) entered.

The solution, was to delete the KU6P A ic-u82 entry. This left the DVAP as the only entry on that page.

I hope this helps others who might run into the same problem.

73,

Pat - KU6P

3018. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-29 16:23:45 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 3012 Message: 3018

GM Pat,

When you created the record for your station callsign in the D-Star Gateway System did you type a SPACE in the "Initial" box for the first terminal record?

I see you created the "A" terminal ... have you tried using that? It might be the faster way to check since if you need to change the first record it will take a little while for it to migrate through the system before you can give it an honest test ...

Peace and 73,
steve
W3SMK

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> Pat - KU6P
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> <screenshot.37.jpg><screenshot.34.jpg><screenshot.30.jpg><screenshot.32.jpg><screenshot.31.jpg>

3020. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-31 11:06:37 UTC
From: <larryj415@...>
Topic: 3012 Message: 3020

I have the same problem, 'receive only' on my DVAP. It is not a registration problem as everything worked fine until I was off the air for several months. Now I can't log into any of the repeater links to the registration site. When I enter my callsign, it says my callsign is not registered! I fill out the form to re-register, but no confirming email ever arrives. Meanwhile, my DVAP is useless.

Something changed in the D-STAR system while I was not using it. Admin software upgrade? My mobile system works okay... so I know I am registered even though I can't log in over the internet.

Any ideas? Anyone?

3021. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-01-31 14:00:26 UTC
From: <larryj415@...>
Topic: 3012 Message: 3021

Latest update on "Receive Only..."

I was able to log onto the D-STAR system after another site emailed me the url of the site I was actually registered at. That problem is solved, but...

...I still get "Remote system connected; receive only" with my DVAP. I did everything stated in the instructions on my profile at the D-STAR registration site. My callsign is correct, the "initial" box is a 'space'-using the space bar on my computer keyboard, and the nickname is my callsign in lower case followed by "-dvap." Now what?

WB6SVS

3022. R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-01 00:37:01 UTC
From: <luminoxs@...>
Topic: 3022 Message: 3022

I can connect to reflectors without any issues but when I try to connect to repeaters, it says "remote system linked, receive only". Would anyone have any ideas to correct the receive only issue?

Thanks
Rob K7RHM

3023. Re: [DVAPDongle] R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-01 03:06:50 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 3022 Message: 3023

Hi Rob,
The likely explanation is that some repeaters do not allow you to connect to them directly with a DVAP or a DV-Dongle. You might check with the system administrator of the repeater in question.

Enjoy your DVAP and D-Star!

Peace and 73
Stephen
W3SMK

On Jan 31, 2014, at 4:37 PM, <luminoxs@gmail.com> <luminoxs@...> wrote:

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> Thanks
> Rob K7RHM
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3024. Re: [DVAPDongle] R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-01 03:13:13 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3022 Message: 3024

Rob RHM asked:

> I can connect to reflectors without any issues but when I try to connect
> to repeaters, it says "remote system linked, receive only". Would anyone
> have any ideas to correct the receive only issue?

Are you absolutely certain that your call sign in your radio matches your registration? There have been some recent incidents of mismatched call signs and "receive only" seems to be the result.

I hope you get the problem solved.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

3025. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-01 12:22:18 UTC
From: <kc4yoz@...>
Topic: 3012 Message: 3025

You're registered on two gateways, KI6WZK and W6CX. You should probably delete your registration on W6CX, since WZK is the one which owns your space terminal.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3026. RE: R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-01 16:33:50 UTC
From: <luminoxs@...>
Topic: 3022 Message: 3026

"Are you absolutely certain that your call sign in your radio matches your registration"?

Yes, My call sign matches my registration

"Some repeaters do not allow you to connect to them directly with a DVAP or a DV-Dongle. You might check with the system administrator of the repeater in question."

I have talked with the system administrator and he hasn't blocked any DVAP or DV-Dongle users into the repeater. When we used his call sign in the DVAPTool, I was able to connect to the repeater without the "Receive Only".

I added 2nd terminal using my call sign with the initial "A" so see if that would work. So far, I'm waiting for it to map through the system. Would anyone else have any other ideas?

Thanks
Rob

3027. Computer Beeps whenever I transmit.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-01 17:54:58 UTC
From: <mike.w2swr@...>
Topic: 3027 Message: 3027

I am using my DVAP on my Windows7 pc using DVAPTool 1.04. When I am connected to a gateway and i begin to transmit, I get a beep from my computer speakers. How do I turn that off ?

3028. Re: [DVAPDongle]RESOLVED- Computer Beeps whenever I transmit.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-02 02:48:30 UTC
From: Mike Leek
Topic: 3027 Message: 3028

I did some digging and found my problem. I didnt have the intial (or SSID) in the 8th position on the DVAPTool window to match theintial registered on my local gateway for my DVAP.

Thanks & 73
Mike

On 2/1/2014 12:54 PM, mike.w2swr@... wrote:
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> connected to a gateway and i begin to transmit, I get a beep from my
> computer speakers. How do I turn that off ?
>
>

3029. RE: R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-02 02:23:35 UTC
From: <n0xia@...>
Topic: 3022 Message: 3029

Have your admin do a check on his user.txt file on the gateway he takes care of:
As per posting on one of the forums from Robin, AA4RC:

"The current version of dplus had a limit of 50k records so you will experience an issue if your gateway is not syncing properly with the US Trust Server, allowing for deletion of records. You may have more than 50k records in /dstar/tmp/users.txt. You can check this by running:

/usr/bin/wc –l /dstar/tmp/users.txt

If you have more than 50k records, you will need to run the resync script which is provided by Brian, NJ6N.

If you have less than 50k records in the users.txt file, a simple restart of dplus using “service dplus restart” should clear out any deleted records and resolve the issue."

I tested your call sign K7RHM:
I have been prompted to look at this when several complaints have been showing up on the forums about users getting RO on gateways. I tested the call K7RHM and it will connect okay to gateways KJ4MMC and KK4CQQ. Gateways K1XC, W4AES, and W4PLB are RO for this call. The user.txt is <50k on KJ4MMC and KK4CQQ. W4AES, W4PLB and K1XC are >50k.

Following the above procedure took care of the problem. Have the admin read message 10897 from http://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DStar-Gateway/conversations/messages/10897

Robin has mentioned this issue before. I tried to put it all together in 10897. I hope you don't mind I used your call to experiment with.

73

James, N0XIA

3030. RE: R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-02 19:59:18 UTC
From: <luminoxs@...>
Topic: 3022 Message: 3030

James,

Thank you for looking into this for me! I have no problem with you using my call sign to troubleshoot the issue. So from what I am understanding, any gateway that has less than 50k or records, i'm good. More than 50k, i'm not. Is there an automatic resync that happens or does the admin have to do an manual resync? If it's manual, how often is it usually done?

After owning a DVAP for about a week now, I have an suggestion... It would be helpful if there were a troubleshooting FAQ on the DVAP webpage. Even though I was registered with an gateway two years ago, I assumed that I was good to go, I wasn't, it was halfway done. I didn't set anything up in the "personal information" page of the gateway and there wasn't my call sign with a space in the initial box. It would also be helpful to have what James said as well along with a link to http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php to make sure that they are provisioned correctly on the DVAP page as well. As I have been researching for my issues, I found that it's the very little details that can make you get receive only. As this info maybe already provided, it's buried in the 1's and 0's of the internet. When your frustrated you don't have the patience to look for that needle in the haystack. Also once you just registered with a gateway or made any changes, set expectations that it may take an full 24 hours for the data to sync with different system. Thats just my two cents...

Rob

3031. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-03 03:55:53 UTC
From: Larry Johnson
Topic: 3022 Message: 3031

I would like to add that doing things to your DSTAR profile does nothing to solve the problem. I had absolutely nothing in my profile and the system always worked fine. But now I am plagued with "Receive Only," even AFTER modifying my profile as recommended by other hams here on Yahoo.

WB6SVS

On Sunday, February 2, 2014 7:00 PM, "luminoxs@..." <luminoxs@...> wrote:

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expectations that it may take an full 24 hours for the data to sync with different system. Thats just my two cents...

Rob

3032. Re: [DVAPDongle] R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-03 03:51:49 UTC
From: Larry Johnson
Topic: 3022 Message: 3032

Hmm, I don't think that is the solution, as the DVAP always worked before but not now... No changes have been made on my end. Other hams are reporting similar problems.

I can log into W6PW C, but W6PW B reports "Gateway not found!" (Linux), other repeaters report "Romote system connected; receive only and REF01 C works just fine! I am still stumped.

WB6SVS

On Friday, January 31, 2014 7:06 PM, Stephen King <frastephen@...> wrote:

Hi Rob,
The likely explanation is that some repeaters do not allow you to connect to them directly with a DVAP or a DV-Dongle. You might check with the system administrator of the repeater in question.

Enjoy your DVAP and D-Star!

Peace and 73
Stephen
W3SMK

On Jan 31, 2014, at 4:37 PM, <luminoxs@...> <luminoxs@...> wrote:

>I can connect to reflectors without any issues but when I try to connect to repeaters, it says "remote system linked, receive only". Would anyone have any ideas to correct the receive only issue?
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>Thanks
>Rob K7RHM
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3033. Looking for 2m DVAP.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-04 01:24:54 UTC
From: Timothy Pickett
Topic: 3033 Message: 3033

Hi All,

I'm in the market for a 2m DVAP. If you have one to sell, please email me with price to timkg8oc at gmail dot com. Thank you.

73 de Tim KG8OC

3034. Re: [DVAPDongle] R/O on repeaters but not on reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-05 02:01:11 UTC
From: <luminoxs@...>
Topic: 3022 Message: 3034

As my solution isn't an "solve all", I feel it's an good start for basic trouble shooting for people who are getting "receive only"... I was also able to connect to my local repeater without getting an "receive only" by doing an "service dplus restart" via root on the gateway. I appreciate everyones help

Rob

3035. UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-05 20:43:16 UTC
From: <stuckbit@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3035

UHF DVAP. Using v1.04 on Mac OSX. Works okay but after about 15 minutes it stops. I have to completely quit the software and reload it to get it going again.

Ideas?

Jeff KE9V

3036. RE: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-05 22:59:03 UTC
From: Wish
Topic: 3035 Message: 3036

Powersafe on usb ?

Van: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] Namens stuckbit@...
Verzonden: woensdag 5 februari 2014 21:43
Aan: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Onderwerp: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

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Ideas?

Jeff KE9V

3037. Re: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-05 23:09:24 UTC
From: Brian Tucker
Topic: 3035 Message: 3037

Mavericks? If so, right click and choose 'Get Info' and make sure 'App Nap' is disabled.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 5, 2014, at 3:43 PM, <stuckbit@...> wrote:
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> UHF DVAP. Using v1.04 on Mac OSX. Works okay but after about 15 minutes it stops. I have to completely quit the software and reload it to get it going again.
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> Ideas?
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> Jeff KE9V
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3038. Re: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-05 23:45:23 UTC
From: Jarod Jacobsen
Topic: 3035 Message: 3038

Set your app to not nap in your options. You might also need to adjust your power saving functions in osx.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 5, 2014, at 16:59, "Wish" <hpisuisse@...> wrote:
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> Powersafe on usb ?
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> Van: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] Namens stuckbit@...
> Verzonden: woensdag 5 februari 2014 21:43
> Aan: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Onderwerp: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops
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3039. Re: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-06 00:06:19 UTC
From: Erwin Bejsta
Topic: 3035 Message: 3039

Jeff,
If you are running 10.9 (Maverick) then app nap could be at fault. To disable app nap: right click (or ctrl click) on the DVAP app (in finder, looking at Applications folder), select "Get Info" then use the tick box to disable app nap.

Erwin
(VK3MEB)

On 6 February 2014 07:43, <stuckbit@...> wrote:

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> UHF DVAP. Using v1.04 on Mac OSX. Works okay but after about 15 minutes it
> stops. I have to completely quit the software and reload it to get it going
> again.
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3040. RE: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-06 00:08:04 UTC
From: <luminoxs@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3040

You need to turn on "Prevent App Nap". Right click on the DVAPTool and goto "get info". A window will pop up. On the top tab, there is an arrow next to "General", Make sure that arrow is pointing down. If it isn't, click on the arrow. You will see an box next to "Prevent App Nap", click that box and you should be good to go.

3041. Re: [DVAPDongle] UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-06 00:48:18 UTC
From: <stuckbit@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3041

Thanks much! it was indeed the app nap "feature". I knew I had used this DVAP on the iMac before successfully, but had since upgraded to Mavericks... thanks again!

73, Jeff KE9V

3042. Help With New Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-06 15:31:15 UTC
From: <lkellar@...>
Topic: 3042 Message: 3042

I just ordered 2 new Raspberry PIs. I have been using the WA6JFK Papasys image with no problems. With the new PIs the image will not load. RPi does not even begin to boot. However the very same card and images runs fine on an "older" "2month old" PI. I have been trying to build an image with a fresh install of Rasbian using DVAPTool-1.04 and have even got in to autostart however I cant see it locally when it boots up. I can see it running in the task manager. I need advice to make this install work...autostart with visible app on desktop and instructions for installing configuring and autostarting x11vnc... OR how to make my original image work again

Thanks
Lawrence

3043. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help With New Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-08 18:26:21 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3042 Message: 3043

You state
>> I cant see it locally when it boots up. I can see it running in the task manager.
When people I support say this they are usually logged in as the user pi from a remote console, usually VNC or RDP.

First question: Did you run DVAPTOOL once from the console (using an HDMI or Composit Monitor) and exit the program so it saved the configuration and frequency data?

Second Question: Are you looking at the desktop while using a HDMI Monitor plugged into the HDMI output, or NTSC/PAL Monitor wile plugged into composite out?

The reason I ask is that when you use the Pi Headless and log into it as the Pi user you create another instance of the program that will also autostart the DVAPTOOL However with the autostart mod an instance of the pi user and DVAPTOOL is started on boot, so you actually have two versions running, one you can see on your desktop and one you can't see. The solution in this case is to kill both copies running and then start DVAPTOOL from the desktop you can see and it should run as expected.

Remember while tiny, the Pi is powerfull, and Raspian is a true multi user operating system, which the Pi can actually support. Sure it's only a 700 MHz processor, but that was more than most pc's 5 years ago.

Actually I use and advise the following install:

apt-get update && apt-get install tightvncserver xrdp -y

This installs an nice x11 VNC and an RDP server which will use the Remote Desktop Client that has come standard on Microsoft OS's since XP. It's stable full featured and best of all not only free already loaded on your Windows Computer. It is great to use for sharing desktops between windows machines which was its original purpose, and well debugged so its stable. Better than many VNC clients I have used. I even have an RDP Client for my iphone & iPad that I can use with my Pi

Regards,

Barry
While Out and About

> On Feb 6, 2014, at 9:31 AM, lkellar@... wrote:
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> Thanks
> Lawrence
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3044. Re: [DVAPDongle] Help With New Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-09 03:26:35 UTC
From: <lkellar@...>
Topic: 3042 Message: 3044

Just figured it out. I did an OS update in the "older" PI. I then transfer the SD card to the "newer" and it started to work. Thanks everyone for the suggestions Lawrence

3045. Image file, Raspberry Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-09 17:32:32 UTC
From: <lewischeek@...>
Topic: 3045 Message: 3045

A while back, I sold my DVAP/Pi setup thinking I would no longer need it. Well, turns out I'll be setting up another one, as I'm not as close to DSTAR repeater as I expected.

My files are on a Windows machine in storage, pending a move, so I need to configure the Pi on a notebook system.

A couple of questions for the group if someone has time to answer, please.

1- From what I recall I used files from WA6JFK, anyone have link to his files, or can suggest another source, that will allow remote start/reboot and connection to hot spot? As I recall the commands were sent from a DSTAR radio to the DVAP.

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Maybe it's something in my iPhone setup, if so I don't know where to correct.

73's
Lew

3046. Gateway unknown when connecting to WD4WDW

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-10 01:51:23 UTC
From: <mylists@...>
Topic: 3046 Message: 3046

I found a post from Sept 2012 about this but I figured that should be out of date by now. I've got an ID-51, DVAP, and a Raspberry Pi running together. I'm also using CS-51 to configure my radio.

I've been trying to connect this evening but I get a "Gateway Unknown" when trying to connect. I'm setting up a Memory under ID 51 > Digital > Your Call Sign and I'm using "WD4WDWBL" as the call Sign. Is this correct or did I miss something?

Richey
KI4KGR

3047. Re: [DVAPDongle] Image file, Raspberry Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-10 11:44:35 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 3045 Message: 3047

Lew,

Every time I close the cover on my iPad, putting it to sleep, it must reconnect to my LAN when woken up. Fortunately this is automatic. I’d check out the hotspot app to see if an automatic reconnection is available.

Monty K2DLJ

From: lewischeek@...
Sent: Sunday, February 09, 2014 12:32 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Image file, Raspberry Pi setup

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Lew

3048. RE: UHF DVAP Stops

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-10 14:43:43 UTC
From: <neocharles@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3048

I just wanted to say thank you for this! I haven't used my dongle in a while, and I hooked it back up last night ... and became quite frustrated. Glad this was an easy fix!

3049. RE: Gateway unknown when connecting to WD4WDW

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-10 22:26:21 UTC
From: <n0xia@...>
Topic: 3046 Message: 3049

Hello Richey, KI4KGR,

I would try another gateway for testing. A board member with DEARS has been notified of issues with the WD4WDW gateway.

73,

James, N0XIA

3050. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-12 01:17:32 UTC
From: Km3w.rpt
Topic: 3035 Message: 3050

I bought a DVAP Saturday...but

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 10, 2014, at 9:43, <neocharles@...> wrote:

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3051. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-12 01:26:11 UTC
From: Km3w.rpt
Topic: 3035 Message: 3051

Anyone have any idea when the Philly site is going back online? I bought a DVAP and can't register it. Have been told that you should NOT use more than One site to register. Help!

De KM3W

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 10, 2014, at 9:43, <neocharles@...> wrote:

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3052. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-12 09:34:51 UTC
From: <w2gld@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3052

It does not matter which gateway you register with, just chose one and do it. Once you're registered on one, it propagates to them all. I'd register with the NJ2DG Group out of Central NJ.

Here's the link: http://www.nj2dg.org/page3.html

Good luck and we'll look for you on the reflectors.

73

Jerry, W2GLD

3053. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-12 13:03:14 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 3035 Message: 3053

I would hope it will be back-up shortly. I will check with the powers that be after I get into work today.

Thanks,

Jim McCloskey

On Wednesday, February 12, 2014 2:09 AM, Km3w.rpt <km3w.rpt@...> wrote:

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De KM3W

Sent from my iPhone

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3054. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-12 21:34:09 UTC
From: JamesJ McCloskey
Topic: 3035 Message: 3054

Web page is back up and running.

73

Jim, NS3K

Jim McCloskey <jimns3k@yahoo.com> wrote:

I would hope it will be back-up shortly. I will check with the powers that be after I get into work today.

Thanks,

Jim McCloskey

On Wednesday, February 12, 2014 2:09 AM, Km3w.rpt <km3w.rpt@gmail.com> wrote:

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De KM3W

Sent from my iPhone

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3055. dvap drops connection when not active window

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-13 02:19:00 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3055 Message: 3055

Is it common for the dvap to drop the connection when you switch to another window to do other work and want to continue listening to the dvap. I have to close , unplug and replug and reopen and the connection comes back automatically without me having to send another link command. I am on a mac running maverick. I have not tried my window pc yet but will

3056. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap drops connection when not active window

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-13 04:20:04 UTC
From: Erwin Bejsta
Topic: 3055 Message: 3056

If this is on a Mac and you are on OS X 10.9 then right click on the App,
Get Info, and disable App Nap.

On 13 February 2014 13:19, <ke4qdc@...> wrote:

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> Is it common for the dvap to drop the connection when you switch to
> another window to do other work and want to continue listening to the dvap.
> I have to close , unplug and replug and reopen and the connection comes
> back automatically without me having to send another link command. I am on
> a mac running maverick. I have not tried my window pc yet but will
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3057. New Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-13 18:50:17 UTC
From: <lewischeek@...>
Topic: 3057 Message: 3057

Anyone have a solution to getting the DVAP image to load on a new Pi? As my luck turns out my order from Amazon included a Pi that the image files fails to load.

Pi works find on a standard pi operating system load.

73
Lew

3058. RE: New Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-14 05:55:43 UTC
From: <lkellar@...>
Topic: 3057 Message: 3058

I loaded the image into a pi that it would load up on, performed OS updates, then popped card into new pi and it booted

3059. RE: New Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-16 20:58:35 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3057 Message: 3059

where and what image and how do we get autostart on this

3060. RE: New Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-15 19:37:15 UTC
From: <lewischeek@...>
Topic: 3057 Message: 3060

Guess I could give that a try, however I don't have another Pi, and I'm the ONLY guy in area that's setting up a system.

73
Lew

3061. RE: New Pi setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-17 15:21:07 UTC
From: <bushong@...>
Topic: 3057 Message: 3061

Before getting very deep into the setup of a Raspberry Pi, it might be a good idea to check on one of the Raspberry Pi Forums, such as
http://www.raspberrypi.org/forum/viewtopic.php?f=63&t=48010
http://www.raspberrypi.org/forum/viewtopic.php?f=63&t=48010 and avoid lots of duplication of effort.

It will probably take a little effort on your part to learn about administering this little Linux system, but that is probably a good thing, for other ham radio things you will probably be doing with it!

73,
Dave KZ1O

3062. RE: Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-18 23:36:05 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2629 Message: 3062

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is this all that i copy and paste sudo -s
cd /tmp
wget -Nq nj6n.com/rpi_dvap_installer
/bin/bash ./rpi_dvap_installer
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3063. DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 00:52:51 UTC
From: <wa4tij@...>
Topic: 3063 Message: 3063

Anyone with experience taking their DVAP and RPi set on a commercial flight?

Did you put it in checked baggage or in your carry-on?

Carry-on would be preferred, but what was the reaction of the TSA?

The set does look a bit suspicious ;)

Robert
WA4TIJ

3064. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 05:39:31 UTC
From: Mickey Baker
Topic: 3063 Message: 3064

I fly lot - few trips a month. I generally carry an assortment of radios and computers, including dvap/ht/kx3.

I have never been questioned about any of them, but I'm obviously a trustworthy citizen. :-)

73,

Mickey N4MB

On Tue, Feb 18, 2014 at 7:52 PM, <wa4tij@...> wrote:

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> Anyone with experience taking their DVAP and RPi set on a commercial
> flight?
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> Did you put it in checked baggage or in your carry-on?
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> Robert
> WA4TIJ
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Mickey Baker, N4MB
Fort Lauderdale, FL
*"Tell me, and I will listen. Show me, and I will understand. Involve me, and I will learn." *Teton Lakota, American Indian Saying.

3065. Re: DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 12:12:32 UTC
From: Gary Ownsby
Topic: 3063 Message: 3065

Robert,
I have taken my DVAP, R*Pi, and Icom handheld on international flights several times without any undue attention from the TSA. I am careful to put all of my electronics gear in clear (see through) zipper bags (stiff, thicker plastic type normally used for women's cosmetics). I usually have two or three of these loaded with all kinds of gear (cell phone & HT chargers, USB cords, adapters, SD cards, etc.) If anyone has an interest, it's easy to just pull out any of the clear bags for a quick look-see.

Before wi-fi became so omni-present, I used to carry a directional "cantenna" for wi-fi with me. Back then wi-fi access was often few and far between so catching open-to-the-public wi-fi was always challenging and more than likely a good distance away. There was a small tripod that I used with it as well. When coming back from St. Thomas (USVI), a TSA officer picked it up and asked who the owner was. I timidly raised my hand thinking we were going to have a problem. He asked "what is it?" I told him. He said "does it work?" I replied "yes". He then said "where can I get one?"

It's also a good idea to carry a copy of your amateur radio license with you. There is a wallet-sized version available. So if any questions come up, your license adds more legitimacy to the gear you carry.

Good luck.

Gary, AK4ZX

3066. RE: DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 12:29:47 UTC
From: <bushong@...>
Topic: 3063 Message: 3066

Hi Robert,

I've had success (which means being ignored) using this strategy with all my ham gear that I have taken on, both carry-on and checked. I make a photocopy of my ham license, and a copy of the picture page of my passport, and lay them across the thing that is radio-related. If it is a circuit board or something like that, I wrap the board with the papers, with a rubber band around it.

I have a small Pelican case for HT's and batteries, and these two pieces of paper are the first things they see when they open the case. I have had zero trouble, both domestic and to and from Asia.

73,
Dave KZ1O

3067. Re: DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 12:36:24 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3063 Message: 3067

If you have to explain it to the TSA, speak slowly and use small words. *s*

3068. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 12:40:57 UTC
From: Brandon Brinkley
Topic: 3063 Message: 3068

Im an airline pilot and I take my Pi and dvap with me all the time. There is no HD or battery which is what they really look at so I've heard.

I think you will be fine. Just carry it on is my advise.

73,

Brandon AC4OU

On Tuesday, February 18, 2014, <wa4tij@...> wrote:

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> Anyone with experience taking their DVAP and RPi set on a commercial
> flight?
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> Did you put it in checked baggage or in your carry-on?
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> Carry-on would be preferred, but what was the reaction of the TSA?
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3069. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 13:14:25 UTC
From: Brad Trogdon
Topic: 3063 Message: 3069

Travel weekly and no issues ever. Both carry on and checked luggage. Safe travels.

W4INT
On Feb 18, 2014 9:41 PM, <wa4tij@...> wrote:

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>
> Anyone with experience taking their DVAP and RPi set on a commercial
> flight?
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> Did you put it in checked baggage or in your carry-on?
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> Carry-on would be preferred, but what was the reaction of the TSA?
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3070. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP, RPi, and the TSA

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-19 14:39:31 UTC
From: <wa4tij@...>
Topic: 3063 Message: 3070

Great tips. Thanks, guys!
I luv the story about the WiFi antenna....

Robert
WA4TIJ

3071. RE: Raspbian (Wheezy) DVAP Tool installation script

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-20 02:57:44 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2629 Message: 3071

Brian help me out here. I got the os on the card no problem. boots to the desktop. Using LXterminal I typed in your script. All seemed to be going well . Seems like I remember seeing an error something to do with mirror site. Anyway it continued to run for what seemed like about an hour and then when it tried to install the dvaptool program it said it cannot find it and aborted. Any idea what could be happening thanks
Ferrell
KE4QDC

3072. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-21 00:13:38 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2193 Message: 3072

any reason I couldn't use a 16gb card since I already have one

3073. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-21 11:28:15 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 2193 Message: 3073

That’s what I use.
Monty K2DLJ

any reason I couldn't use a 16gb card since I already have one

3074. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-21 21:56:59 UTC
From: lamarrsy
Topic: 2193 Message: 3074

Hi,

What makes you think you can't use a 16Gb card?

It surely can be done without problem, but whatever card you chose to use, try to stick with Grade 10 cards at minimum.

(I have two 16Gb Grade 10 cards, each with their own config, I simply swap cards before booting up)

-Sylvain, via ☐ iPhone

> Le 2014-02-20 à 19:13, <ke4qdc@...> a écrit :
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> any reason I couldn't use a 16gb card since I already have one
>
>

3075. RE: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 03:07:04 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 2193 Message: 3075

Brian I would love a copy. I sent you an email I guess from an old instruction sheet I saw on the web but no response. I am asking here My email is ke4qdc@yahoo.com . My pi will be here Tuesday so maybe I will have the SD card ready when it arrives. Thanks
KE4QDC
Ferrell

3076. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 04:39:36 UTC
From: Paul Dallard
Topic: 3035 Message: 3076

The Philly DStar site is still not back.....I registered on this site when I got my ID-31A. The DVAP I got a few weeks ago is still not working, and it's frustrating. I can receive just fine, but cannot TX. What happens if I register on AA3E in Eagleville? I heard this was a mirror of K3PDR. I was told not to register on more than one site, but if the one you originally registered on is not up and running, what do you do? How badly does it screw up the the system?

de KM3W

3077. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 15:10:39 UTC
From: <w2gld@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3077

I would register at the other site, either AA3E or NJ2DG. It will not screw up the system at all. Then, send an e-mail to K3PDR and request that they delete your account from their server as it is not active. This will be your best course of action with this. For what it's worth, there was a discussion the other day on REF030C that a few folks indicated that K3PDR would not provide gateway access to non-members. I assume this was to recoup operating costs or something. Anyway, gateway access is simple and free. If you aren't getting anywhere with the K3PDR group, NJ2DG is open and accessible to all. Just Google NJ2DG, their gateway registration link is open to the public and they are quick to act on requests.

Hope to hear you on the reflectors soon, REF030C is one of the most active.

Regards,

Jerry, W2GLD

3078. EDiMAX EW-7811Un issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 17:46:16 UTC
From: <lewischeek@...>
Topic: 3078 Message: 3078

Just completed a new setup utilizing the UPDATE file from Brian that address issues with the new "B" model Pi. However, I can't get the EDiMAX adapter (have replacement on order) to link with either of my iPhones (5 and 4S) on verizon. Receive message in "WIFI Config" stating "- signal 15 received). The system does start up and link with my wireless Apple home network, any ideas??

73's
Lew
N4CO

3079. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 16:32:33 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 3035 Message: 3079

Our site is up. What web address are you trying?

Jim McCloskey

On Sunday, February 23, 2014 12:07 AM, Paul Dallard <km3w.rpt@...> wrote:

The Philly DStar site is still not back.....I registered on this site when I got my ID-31A. The DVAP I got a few weeks ago is still not working, and it's frustrating. I can receive just fine, but cannot TX. What happens if I register on AA3E in Eagleville? I heard this was a mirror of K3PDR. I was told not to register on more than one site, but if the one you originally registered on is not up and running, what do you do? How badly does it screw up the the system?

de KM3W

3080. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 14:34:56 UTC
From: Don Woodward
Topic: 3035 Message: 3080

You are registered and have a blank terminal, and "D", "H" and "P" terminals. See http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php

73's

Don Woodward
KD4APP

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Paul Dallard
Sent: Saturday, February 22, 2014 11:40 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

The Philly DStar site is still not back.....I registered on this site when I got my ID-31A. The DVAP I got a few weeks ago is still not working, and it's frustrating. I can receive just fine, but cannot TX. What happens if I register on AA3E in Eagleville? I heard this was a mirror of K3PDR. I was told not to register on more than one site, but if the one you originally registered on is not up and running, what do you do? How badly does it screw up the the system?

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Version: 2014.0.4259 / Virus Database: 3705/7116 - Release Date: 02/22/14

3081. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-23 21:54:26 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey
Topic: 3035 Message: 3081

Jerry, no such thing. Anyone can use our system. Members or non members. Who is spreading this false info.

Jim McCloskey

On Sunday, February 23, 2014 2:32 PM, Don Woodward <dbwoodw@...> wrote:

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KD4APP

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3082. Re: [DVAPDongle] Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-24 14:43:00 UTC
From: Gerald L. Dubzak, Jr. - W2GLD
Topic: 3035 Message: 3082

Jim,

I do not recall the two users call signs; however, if I hear this again, I'll jump in the conversation and advise as well as forward you their call signs so you can reach out to them. I didn't think this was the case; however, not living in Philly any longer, I wasn't able to confirm or deny what was or wasn't; glad to hear it's a false rumor…

Regards,

Jerry, W2GLD

On Feb 23, 2014, at 4:54 PM, Jim McCloskey <jimns3k@yahoo.com> wrote:

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> Sent: Saturday, February 22, 2014 11:40 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down
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3083. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-24 14:43:00 UTC
From: Don Woodward
Topic: 3035 Message: 3083

Jim:

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73’s

Don Woodward
KD4APP

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jim McCloskey
Sent: Sunday, February 23, 2014 4:54 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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3084. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-25 13:44:09 UTC
From: JamesJ McCloskey
Topic: 3035 Message: 3084

I was directing the false statements about our star repeated f not being open to all, members of nonmembers.

Don Woodward <dbwoodw@earthlink.net> wrote:

Jim:

You quoted my post below yours – there is no false info in my post. The user does have those terminals registered.

73’s

Don Woodward
KD4APP

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jim McCloskey
Sent: Sunday, February 23, 2014 4:54 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

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Checked by AVG - www.avg.com (http://www.avg.com)
Version: 2014.0.4259 / Virus Database: 3705/7119 - Release Date: 02/23/14

3085. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-25 14:25:45 UTC
From: Don Woodward
Topic: 3035 Message: 3085

Just to be clear – I never made any such statement – I saw where another person did make that statement.

73’s

Don Woodward
KD4APP

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of JamesJ McCloskey
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2014 8:44 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

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Version: 2014.0.4259 / Virus Database: 3705/7122 - Release Date: 02/24/14

3086. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Philly site down

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-25 16:24:46 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3035 Message: 3086

Ok, guys. Lets close this thread down. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3087. how to add halt reboot to pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-01 01:44:52 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3087 Message: 3087

I am running an image made from NOOBS and nj6n auto start script. I would like to add the halt and reboot functionality but all I been able to find with it included is the pap sys image which has the remote access also plus I have not been able to get that image to load or at least to the point where I can see anything on the monitor. Anyway is there a way for me to just add the halt and reboot to the image I am currently running

Ferrell
KE4QDC

3088. NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-01 19:23:23 UTC
From: <bgroode@...>
Topic: 3088 Message: 3088

Hello, I have aded the ability to halt and reboot the RPi over the air using URCall = "REBOOT", or halt the RPi using URCall = "HALT" to my DVAP Installer script.

The script can be installed or re-installed/updated using the instructions found here: http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html

Vy 73,
Brian
NJ6N

3089. Remote sytem linked, receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-02-28 17:49:33 UTC
From: <w7am@...>
Topic: 3089 Message: 3089

I originally registered in the DSTAR system some time ago through the W4GSO repeater site but then sold my radios. I now have a ID51A and a 2 meter dvap. I accessed my personal info and deleted my old radios and input the ID51A and dvap. The update appears to have been accepted but I am getting the receive only message on connecting to reflectors. I have no idea what I have done wrong. There is no one close by to help me figure this one out so hopefully someone here on the group can give me a hand.

73, Richard
W7AM

3090. RE: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-02 01:55:04 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3088 Message: 3090

So Brian am I understanding you correctly. I am running the installer script as we speak from your website and you have now updated this to include the additional commands? Thank you so much

3092. RE: Remote sytem linked, receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-02 11:00:25 UTC
From: <w7am@...>
Topic: 3089 Message: 3092

I believe I have finally resolved my problem. I logged into my dstar personal info page and deleted all my previous radios. I then updated the account with my current radio (ID-51A) and allowed time for the update to get into the system. I did not register my dvap at this time but I am now able to link into reflectors and repeaters without the receive only message.

Richard, W7AM

3093. Re: [DVAPDongle] Remote sytem linked, receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-02 04:46:09 UTC
From: Mark Krotz
Topic: 3089 Message: 3093

The old "terminals" (radios) registration would have been fine, as long as you used the same "MYCALL" info.

Mark

On 2/28/2014 10:49 AM, w7am@... wrote:
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> W4GSO repeater site but then sold my radios. I now have a ID51A and a
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> W7AM
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3094. RE: [DVAPDongle] RE: Remote sytem linked, receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-02 15:35:20 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3089 Message: 3094

This seems to be a very common misunderstanding. A separate terminal is NOT needed for each radio. Simply using the “space” terminal and programming you basic callsign (no suffixes) in MYCALL will work for multiple radios and simplify programming and eliminate the need for changing your registration.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of w7am@triad.rr.com
Sent: Sunday, March 02, 2014 6:00 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] RE: Remote sytem linked, receive only problem

I believe I have finally resolved my problem. I logged into my dstar personal info page and deleted all my previous radios. I then updated the account with my current radio (ID-51A) and allowed time for the update to get into the system. I did not register my dvap at this time but I am now able to link into reflectors and repeaters without the receive only message.

Richard, W7AM

3095. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Remote sytem linked, receive only problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-02 17:57:46 UTC
From: Robert Dickey
Topic: 3089 Message: 3095

If your running a DVAP,, once you connect to the reflector, you have to go back to your talk channel like CQCCQ.

On Sunday, March 2, 2014 7:50 AM, "w7am@..." <w7am@...> wrote:

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Richard, W7AM

3096. RE: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-02 22:06:22 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3088 Message: 3096

Its work great No problems. Even made a 2nd bootable SD just for emergency

3097. will Pi auto detect wifi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-03 00:55:22 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3097 Message: 3097

Do I need separate images for the home wifi and my hotspot wifi or will the Pi auto detect which ever one it sees on boot up and connect to it?

ke4qdc
Ferrell

3098. Re: [DVAPDongle] will Pi auto detect wifi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-03 11:39:36 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 3097 Message: 3098

The first time you start Pi under Linux you will have to configure WiFi. Thereafter it will auto-start whenever you reboot.

That is my experience.
Monty K2DLJ

Do I need separate images for the home wifi and my hotspot wifi or will the Pi auto detect which ever one it sees on boot up and connect to it?

ke4qdc
Ferrell

3099. Problem With DVAP Tool 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-03 18:47:40 UTC
From: <ragnar51@...>
Topic: 3099 Message: 3099

Hello all, I seem to be having a problem in that if I'm running the DVAP tool and then take the focus off of it say by opening a web browser or answering an email it freezes up and I need to restart it. I'm running the OSX version on an IMac under OSX 10.9.2

Thanks guys!!

3100. Dongle not responding

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-03 20:45:33 UTC
From: <pmpastore@...>
Topic: 3100 Message: 3100

Hi
I just received my dvap dongle when I plugged it in my usb port on my desktop I got no green light. I tried it on my laptop
and got a pulsating green light but no wizard start up menu. I tested my desktop usb port to see if was
defective with another usb connection my keyboard and it was fine. Any suggestion how can i download
drivers if I cant access the driver windows. Confused. Is there something I overlooked

3101. Dongle not responding

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-03 21:19:47 UTC
From: <pmpastore@...>
Topic: 3100 Message: 3101

I received my new 70cm dongle today I plugged it into my USB 2.0 PC PORT on my desktop with no green light flashing. I tried the dongle in my laptop and the green light was flashing. I test the USB port on my desktop
with another USB connection (keyboard) and the port was fine. I realize I might have to download drivers
but how can I do this if I can't get the wizard windows up from the start . Confused any advice would be apprecitate
73 KD2BAN

3102. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem With DVAP Tool 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 00:42:17 UTC
From: Jeffrey Clarke
Topic: 3099 Message: 3102

Right click on the dvap tool icon and select get info.

Make sure you have a check mark for the option Prevent App Nap. It's a new power saving option in Mavericks.

Thanks,

Jeff
fxdbi@...

On Mar 3, 2014, at 1:47 PM, ragnar51@... wrote:

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3103. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem With DVAP Tool 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 12:28:51 UTC
From: Mike Mike
Topic: 3099 Message: 3103

On Mon, 3/3/14, ragnar51@optonline.net <ragnar51@...> wrote:

Subject: [DVAPDongle] Problem With DVAP Tool 1.04
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Monday, March 3, 2014, 10:47 AM

Try this:

Go to your Applications folder and right click on the DVAPTool app.

Get Info

Check the box 'Prevent App Nap'

and you should be good to go!

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I'm running the DVAP tool and then take the focus off of
it say by opening a web browser or answering an email it
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version on an IMac under OSX 10.9.2

Thanks guys!!

3104. RE: Dongle not responding

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 13:27:21 UTC
From: <bushong@...>
Topic: 3100 Message: 3104

Hi Peter, Have you followed the startup procedure shown here:
http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html

It's hard to know what kind of advice might be helpful right now -- please let us know what you have tried so far!

All the best, and 73,
Dave KZ1O

3105. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Dongle not responding

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 13:43:33 UTC
From: Peter Pastore
Topic: 3100 Message: 3105

Hi Dave
  Thanks for responding I followed the install instructions but I am lost from the get go because I get
no green light to acivate the wizard windows. I tried installing the drivers manually but get error messages
I tested my USB PORT ITS GOOD . That would leave a defective dongle left so I plugged it into my laptop
and got a pulsating green light. I have no more options totally fustrated. Any advice
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On Tuesday, March 4, 2014 8:35 AM, "bushong@..." <bushong@...m> wrote:

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3106. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Dongle not responding

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 13:49:41 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3100 Message: 3106

Hi Peter. Getting the drivers installed properly is the key at this point. What errors did you get when trying to install them?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3107. Re: [DVAPDongle] RE: Dongle not responding

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 14:05:50 UTC
From: Peter Pastore
Topic: 3100 Message: 3107

The first message was address to long I copied three times when I got into the site I tried installing
in the Windows 7 mode going to device windows as instructed . This procedure is way out of my leauge my
son is Network Admin he is coming Sunday to try to install it. My question is without drivers would that
cause my dongle not to respond initially upon plugging it in??
73 kd2ban Peter

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3108. RE: Problem With DVAP Tool 1.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 16:32:03 UTC
From: <ragnar51@...>
Topic: 3099 Message: 3108

Many thanks to you BOTH!! I don't believe I've ever used that feature of Mavericks. Thanks again, it was much appreciated!

Kevin in CT

PS, just wondering if anyone else is having issues with the Safari browser on Yahoo groups? I am not able to type into the reply message box and have to manually hit enter after clicking on stuff in the groups, very odd behavior, I'm using Firefox so I can reply to my messages.

3109. Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-04 19:36:24 UTC
From: <snommisbor@...>
Topic: 3109 Message: 3109

Hi,

I just joined this group and I must say DSTAR has been the biggest pain to deal with. I have now spent so much money to get on DSTAR with a ID31 and now a Dongle and I still can't get on DSTAR after 4 weeks of trying everything. My question now is will Mavericks work with the DVAP software being it only says up to Mountain Lion. I installed the driver step by step on their website and nothing. I did install it via Paralells onto Windows 7 but I do not want to have to do that if possible. But even then I have still not been able to get it to work except to the point of the Blue light but after that I am stuck and dont know what to do? So first will it work with Mavericks after that we can go from there.

Thanks

Rob
W5RBB

3110. Re: Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-05 00:30:44 UTC
From: Kevin G
Topic: 3109 Message: 3110

Hi Rob, I’m using it with OSX Mavericks, my only problem was the app was going to sleep with the computer. The remedy was to check the “prevent app nap” box in the DVAP info panel.

Kevin Gallagher

"And the years Are Gambled And Lost, Like Summer Wages" Ian Tyson

3111. Re: [DVAPDongle] Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-05 00:38:02 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3109 Message: 3111
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Rob

It works just fine with Native Mavericks. You do not need to go to Parallels, and the extra bother of running windows. A couple of things. First you need to load the VCP FTDI drivers from the web site. How to and links in the document are found here.

http://www.ftdichip.com/Support/Documents/InstallGuides/Mac_OS_X_Installation_Guide.pdf

Next you need to turn off Mavericks App Nap feature. I use a desktop so I don't care if it is on or not, but if the DVAP is idle long enough Maverick will put the App to sleep and that causes timeout problems for the DVAP. Here is a link to do that
http://www.cultofmac.com/253064/how-to-turn-app-nap-off-for-specific-apps-on-your-mac-os-x-tips/

Next you will have to program your ID31. Setup some memories in your ID31 using this link to download a sample file, and use your programming software to load it into your selected memories of the ID31. If you look at the 3 reflector links you can replicate them for all Reflectors and also for repeaters.... Depends how much you want to Hack a spreadsheet. The first three will give you the hint on how to set it up though.
http://dstarinfo.com/DVAP-Memories.aspx

DSTAR is a bit different than analog VHF/UHF so be prepared to go into learning mode. In the beginning, it can be a bit frustrating, however, the key to understanding DSTAR is learning to program your radio. When you understand the use of the MYCALL, URCALL, RPT1, & RPT2 fields + using gateways it all makes logical sense and becomes easy. Keep on working it and studying sample/example radio programming and you will get it. It really is the most enjoyable ham radio that I have used in years.
73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@...
K0BSB@arrl.net

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> Thanks
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> Rob
> W5RBB
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3112. RE: Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-05 14:25:53 UTC
From: <phoggberg@...>
Topic: 3109 Message: 3112

Rob

It works just fine with Native Mavericks. You do not need to go to Parallels, and the extra bother of running windows. A couple of things. First you need to load the VCP FTDI drivers from the web site. How to and links in the document are found here.

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http://www.cultofmac.com/253064/how-to-turn-app-nap-off-for-specific-apps-on-your-mac-os-x-tips/ http://www.cultofmac.com/253064/how-to-turn-app-nap-off-for-specific-apps-on-your-mac-os-x-tips/

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3113. Dongle Roadblock

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-06 18:08:51 UTC
From: <pmpastore@...>
Topic: 3113 Message: 3113

Hi
I just purchased the DVAP 70cm dongle. I had a problem downloading the driver , following the
instructions I finally got the dongle activated. I put in my Call Sign and frequency as instruction. I set
my radio on that frequency. The dongle shows the name and serial # so I do have contact. However
the MY: , UR , R! and R2 are not acitive I can not put any data in these fields yet I am connected
Any idea on whats going on ? Did I omit a crucial step . Please advise
73 KD2BAN
Peter

3114. RE: Dongle Roadblock

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-07 02:31:42 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3113 Message: 3114

Peter you didn't say what radio you were using not that it matters that much but if your using say a id51 or a id31 it might because of the DR mode. When your using a dvap to link the really only 2 fields that make a differences are the my call of course which is simple enough. As far the UR call field you would either using cqcqcq or the call sign or reflector your connecting to ex: ref030cl. If your in DR mode things are a little tricky at first but it's the same setup. Go into DR mode arrow down to the FROM and choose your dvap simplex frequency. Arrow up to the TO field and press the blue button and choose either the your call sign option and choose what reflector you want to link. operate the PTT and you should hear linked to whatever. after that go back into the TO filed and press the blue button and choose Local CQ. That will put cqcqcq into the TO field. that should do it.

As far as regular memories since you a re using simplex will limit what the your able to put in the different fields cause its smart enough to know you don't need it. Hope this helps a little

73
ke4qdc
ferrell

3115. RE: Dongle Roadblock

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-07 19:45:42 UTC
From: <n6gvg@...>
Topic: 3113 Message: 3115

You can't directly enter data to those fields, they are filled by your DVAP as it hears signals. Try connecting to your DVAP with your radio and watch as it inputs the data into those fields when it receives your radios signal. It only displays the data while receiving so it's only displayed briefly!

Ralph N6GVG

3116. Unlinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-08 14:10:32 UTC
From: <pmpastore@...>
Topic: 3116 Message: 3116

Hi
I have a id-51a When link on to a reflector on my list I know I have to unlink before I go to another
reflector . I have to toggle all the way to the beginning of my list of reflectors to reach the U to unlink before
my next linkup. My question is there a faster way to unlink a reflector on this radio
73

3117. Re: Unlinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-08 15:18:52 UTC
From: Kevin G
Topic: 3116 Message: 3117

Hi there, if you are using the icom software you can copy the contents of a channel (say #30 for the purpose of this discussion) and then paste it into a channel farther down the line. You could also do an insert anddrop the contents of the channel into the inserted spot.

Kevin Gallagher

"And the years Are Gambled And Lost, Like Summer Wages" Ian Tyson

3118. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unlinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-08 15:32:04 UTC
From: Stanley Hess
Topic: 3116 Message: 3118

You can program the unlink channel in every 10th memory location or so.
Not as far to click that way.

--Stan N3KDA

On Sat, Mar 8, 2014 at 9:10 AM, <pmpastore@...> wrote:

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> unlink before I go to another
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> reflectors to reach the U to unlink before
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> this radio
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3119. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unlinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-08 16:46:52 UTC
From: KI4TGI -Larry
Topic: 3116 Message: 3119

Yes on my "DVAP tool 1.04" there is a "forced disconenct" try that for quick service. Works good for me.
Larry E White
843-283-4295
KI4TGI
----- Original Message -----
From: pmpastore@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, March 08, 2014 9:10 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Unlinking

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reflector . I have to toggle all the way to the beginning of my list of reflectors to reach the U to unlink before
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3120. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unlinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-08 16:47:51 UTC
From: Tony Mac
Topic: 3116 Message: 3120

IF you linking via id 51a thru Raspberry PI and DVAP
just call up the next reflector and everything is auto'd from the old to
new.

Tony, Ke9ph

pmpastore@... wrote:
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> Hi
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3121. Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-08 23:40:56 UTC
From: Andrew Ireland
Topic: 3121 Message: 3121

Hi All,

I have the UHF version of the DVAP and need to calibrate the frequency as close to the factory setting as at all possible. I wonder if someone could explain the best method as I don't have any test equipment.

I have the DVAP Util V1.02 and the Freq Calibration is 0.

Any info would be appreciated.

Regards,

Andrew.

3122. Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 00:42:36 UTC
From: Lewis, William (lewiswa)
Topic: 3121 Message: 3122

That seems to be the problem with that utility. There is no directions on how to use it! When the program first opens it shows “0” as the frequency calibration, but this is the field that the user can set and not really being read from the DVAP. I think you need to look at the graph to find out what the factory setting is. If you change that “0” value in any way, it does change the DVAP and then you can never find out what the factory setting was. It does make the change “real time” and no way to back out what you just did. Nothing to save etc. I really messed up my DVAP using that utility. I know this doesn’t help you any, except nobody should use this utility until some directions are written for it.

Bill…….

From: Andrew Ireland <a.emaillists@...<mailto:a.emaillists@...>>
Organization: www.mb6sm.co.uk
Reply-To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>"
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>>
Date: Saturday, March 8, 2014 at 6:40 PM
To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>"
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Andrew.

3123. Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 00:59:41 UTC
From: lamarrsy
Topic: 3121 Message: 3123

Hi,
I also have a DVAPDongle, although the VHF version.

I have had a ton of VHF and UHF radios in the last 25 years, and never thought about calibrating (or *having* to do it) these modern pieces of equipment.

Question: why a calibration of the DVAPDongle would be necessary?

I thought only tube-type rigs or older generation of equipment needed calibration from time to time?

.... Just curious to know why and what for, the DVAPDongle would need it; maybe I am missing something important about the dongle.

Thanks to let me know!

-Sylvain, VE2LAM, via ☐ iPhone

> Le 2014-03-08 à 18:40, Andrew Ireland <a.emaillists@...> a écrit :
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3124. Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 01:55:24 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3121 Message: 3124

The utility shows the actual calibration value currently in the DVAP. If it is zero, you are either very lucky to have a unit that needed no calibration (very rare) or you ran software like the older version of DVAPnode which wiped out the calibration value.

To use the calibration feature, simply key up and center the spectrum display on the center frequency you picked. Use the up/down arrows to do it.

Note that, in general, you should never need to recalibrate your DVAP. If you are going to try, write down the calibration value before you start changing it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3125. RE: Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 01:56:51 UTC
From: <wlewis4@...>
Topic: 3121 Message: 3125

Some programs used for the RPI or BBB require the Frequency Calibration value of the DVAP be inserted into the program. They tell you to use the DVAP Utility to find that value. Before you know it, you're in trouble. One of these programs is FreeStar.

3126. Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 01:59:15 UTC
From: lamarrsy
Topic: 3121 Message: 3126

Robin,

Info is well noted; I'll take time to explore and understand this calibration and the utility.

Thanks!

-Sylvain, VE2LAM, via ☐ iPhone

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> Robin
> AA4RC
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3127. Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 02:26:33 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3121 Message: 3127

Hi Sylvain. You should not have to recalibrate your DVAP. It is done at the factory. Some folks have run the older version of DVAPnode software that wiped out the calibration value and therefor needed recalibration.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3128. RE: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-09 11:10:57 UTC
From: Andrew Ireland
Topic: 3121 Message: 3128

That’s exactly what I did, run an older version of DVAP Node!! My fault entirely for not checking.

Andrew.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of aa4rc@...
Sent: 09 March 2014 02:27
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Frequency calibration.

Hi Sylvain. You should not have to recalibrate your DVAP. It is done at the factory. Some folks have run the older version of DVAPnode software that wiped out the calibration value and therefor needed recalibration.

73,

Robin

AA4RC

3129. Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-11 18:34:42 UTC
From: <ae4jy@...>
Topic: 3129 Message: 3129

As DVAP designer(and the poor guy who has to repair blown up ones), we've been experiencing a lot of destroyed DVAPs due to a high current source being applied to the antenna ground of the DVAP. The symptom is an obliterated ferrite bead in the ground path in the DVAP that is getting abused with several amps passing through it. Several were reduced to a spherical blob of molten metal with blown pcb traces and all semiconductors destroyed. The only way that much current can pass through the bead is if the exposed antenna ground on the SMA connector or antenna is accidentally touched to a power source. Initially it was thought maybe a lightning strike while using an external antenna could be blamed but that is not the case.
These failures have only started in the last few months so is something new going on.
My best guess is that has something to do with using the Raspberry PI which has an open board and perhaps the DVAP is being touched to some power point on the raspberry pi setup.

Another possibility is the use of the D-HAP enclosure system. I don't have one to play with but from watching the setup video, it appears the 12V battery positive lead is brought out to a screw that is very close to the DVAP antenna and could be easily touched while assembling the unit and would be "hot" even if the power is off.

Is there anyone in this group with a D-HAP that could verify that that red wire and screw near the DVAP antenna side is indeed the battery terminal?

In the mean time just be very careful when using the DVAP around live power connections and don't touch the antenna ground to anything hot or your $250 DVAP may give its life to save your $35 Raspberry Pi :(

Thanks,
Moe Wheatley,AE4JY

3130. Issue that leaves me scratching my head

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 16:32:31 UTC
From: Jack Prindle
Topic: 3130 Message: 3130

I have two DVAPs, Raspberry Pis and have and Icom IC92AD and an Icom ID51. I have used them for several months with no issues.

The one DVAP which is using the PAPSYS Raspberry Pi OS Image is set up at home. The other DVAP which is installed into the DHAP, using the image OS that came with the DHAP, I have set up at work.

My routine is to use the ICOM IC92AD at work after setting up the DHAP and connecting to the network, I use the 92 to connect to my local repeater, K4CO, which is usually connected to REF030C. This has worked fine for some time until earlier this week when I give the command to connect to K4CO I get the response of "Remote System UNLINKED". If I connect to REF030C directly it links right up no issue. If I connect to K4CO directly using the ICOM IC92AD at home with the other DVAP attached to the other Raspberry Pi I get connection to K4CO with no issue.

I am scratching my head as to why I can no longer connect using the DHAP to K4CO directly. It worked fine for months. It works fine with same radio at home using different DVAP and Raspberry Pi under PAPASYS.

Any ideas???????

Loosing more hair over all this head scratching!

Thanks
73, de AB4WS,
Jack
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Jack
Sent from: MAC BOOK PRO RETINA

3131. Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 17:00:11 UTC
From: <hardenedpower@...>
Topic: 3129 Message: 3131

This is Bill Harrison (waving hello) this is my first post on this group.

The post above from Moe asks about the power connections on the DHAP and their proximity to the antenna ground on the DVAP.

I designed the DHAP, and my company, Hardened Power Systems, manufactures and sells the device.

The two exposed bolts in the DHAP do indeed connect to the 12v battery. However the bolt that is adjacent to the DVAP antenna is the negative.

I am very curious to explore this issue / concern further, as I obviously want to reassure users that the DHAP is not going to harm their Dongle. I am also more than happy to explore relocating the battery connections so they are even farther from the Dongle. This is an easy Engineering Change for us to incorporate, although it might make it a bit more involved for the user to swap the NiMH battery after it eventually needs replacement.

Thanks guys!

3132. Re: [DVAPDongle] Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 17:05:41 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 3129 Message: 3132

I just took one of my D-HAP boxes apart and yes, the black and red screw terminals are for the 12vdc battery and they are hot all of the time regardless of the power status of the D-HAP.

I'd noticed this issue when my first D-HAP arrived. I didn't test them but I did take them apart and installed a rubber boot over each one.

The black terminal is very close to the DVAP antenna connector. Use good caution, and there should not be an issue.

Bill
KI4BKF

On Tue, Mar 11, 2014 at 2:34 PM, <ae4jy@...> wrote:

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> Another possibility is the use of the D-HAP enclosure system. I don't
> have one to play with but from watching the setup video, it appears the 12V
> battery positive lead is brought out to a screw that is very close to the
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> would be "hot" even if the power is off.
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3133. Re: [DVAPDongle] Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 17:34:23 UTC
From: KD6AXQ-Dennis
Topic: 3129 Message: 3133

I opened my D-HAP to see how it is wired. The screw and wire adjacent to the DVAP antenna connection is the 12V battery ground lead. The positive if another 1/2 inch away from the DVAP antenna connection (About 1 inch away).

That lead would definitely be hot even with the power off since it is directly connected to the battery.

Dennis
KD6AXQ

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> we've been experiencing a lot of destroyed DVAPs due to a high current
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> reduced to a spherical blob of molten metal with blown pcb traces and
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> power connections and don't touch the antenna ground to anything hot
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> Thanks,
> Moe Wheatley,AE4JY
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3134. Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 18:27:16 UTC
From: <wa4tij@...>
Topic: 3129 Message: 3134

Hey Moe!
Thanks for the heads up as I am putting together my own kit (DVAP, RPi, cellphone battery pack) with a cellphone WIFI connection.
BTW, my UHF DVAP has worked flawlessly at home and in a mobile environment.

73,
Robert, WA4TIJ

3135. Re: [DVAPDongle] Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 17:54:06 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 3129 Message: 3135

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3136. Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-12 23:14:14 UTC
From: <ae4jy@...>
Topic: 3129 Message: 3136

Just a follow up to this thread,
I had a nice exchange with Bill the DHAP designer and he is going to look at some minor changes to the battery lead exposure. Please don't take this as something being wrong with the DHAP as it just a way to make it a little more worry free when installing the DVAP. The existing DHAPs are fine just be careful around the battery terminal or as others have suggested put a piece of tape over it and forget about it.
We've all got spoiled with low voltage circuits that you can touch without getting knocked across the room(yeah I'm old and from the tube(valve) days) but we forget that you still need to be aware of live powered things. Drop a wrench(spanner) across your car battery terminals and you will quickly see how "safe" low voltage things are.

73's
Moe Wheatley,AE4JY

3137. Re: Issue that leaves me scratching my head

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-13 23:12:01 UTC
From: <kc4yoz@...>
Topic: 3130 Message: 3137

One thought that comes to mind is to check the dashboard page at K4CO to see if there are any other appliances (DVAPs, DVDongles) connected when your connect fails. There is a limit to how many of these can connect to a gateway (usually 4, the admin can restrict it further), so we encourage DVAP owners to connect to reflectors instead of gateways whenever possible.

This may be your issue, otherwise we'll need to look at the log files from the DHAP software to determine where the exact problem lies.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3138. Re: Issue that leaves me scratching my head

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-14 15:22:52 UTC
From: <bitbucket2011@...>
Topic: 3130 Message: 3138

DStar assigns a unique 10.x.x.x ip to each call sign Terminal-ID combination. Is it possible that when the DVAP at work failed to link, the DVAP at home was still connected? If so, and you are using the same terminal ID, there would be an ip conflict and the system may not let you link. You could try setting up a second terminal-ID and use one for work and one for home. N3TEM (formerly KA3GYI) - Tom.

3139. Re: Issue that leaves me scratching my head

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-15 13:32:13 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3130 Message: 3139

The 10-net addresses are only used when using an ID-1 with DD high speed data mode so that would not apply here. You should only have to use a second terminal ID if you are using an ID-1.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3141. DVAP confusion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 03:52:41 UTC
From: Ted Iglehart
Topic: 3141 Message: 3141

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Ted/KF5END

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Ted Iglehart, ChFC®
Phone: (*512*)*-496-1497 | Ted.Iglehart@...
<Ted.Iglehart@...>*

3142. D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-18 22:03:14 UTC
From: Philip Prescott
Topic: 3142 Message: 3142

I have had my ID51a for a while. I can connect with it fine on the repeater when I'm in the big city. I just got my DVAP today and I have it setup correctly. I am getting the Receive only issue. Which as I have read that means I need to work on registering my call sign correctly. The repeater I registered with doesn't have a log in to check. I'm wondering if anyone can check and see if I'm registered and if so how many times?

KC9DHR

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Phil Prescott

3143. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 16:04:44 UTC
From: Stanley Hess
Topic: 3142 Message: 3143

Hi Phil,
You are not registered.
You can use a radio and talk through gateways with the "G" callsign in
RPT2. DVAP's and Dongles require registration.

root@localhost ~]# dstaruserfind KC9DHR
User callsign KC9DHR not found.

Best regards,

Stanley Hess N3KDA
K3PDR Gateway Admin

On Tue, Mar 18, 2014 at 6:03 PM, Philip Prescott <pep0973@...> wrote:

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> Phil Prescott
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3144. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 16:07:48 UTC
From: Lewis, William (lewiswa)
Topic: 3142 Message: 3144

Phil,

I don’t see you as being registered yet!

Bill …. W8WCL

From: Philip Prescott <pep0973@...<mailto:pep0973@...>>
Reply-To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>"
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>>
Date: Tuesday, March 18, 2014 at 6:03 PM
To: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>"
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

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Phil Prescott

3145. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 16:28:28 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3142 Message: 3145

Phil DHR wrote:

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> repeater I registered with doesn't have a log in to check. I'm wondering
> if anyone can check and see if I'm registered and if so how many times?

I went to this page http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php

and entered KC9DHR

The return indicates to me that you may not be registered.

If you would like to compare, you could enter my call sign and see what
that looks like.

Note: I don't have a DVAP or a DONGLE; those entries were made by someone
else. I have come to understand that (depending upon interpretation) the
first entry (callsign only) is all that is needed for you to be able to
successfully use D-STAR.

If I am not correct, I assume that someone will correct me. I hope that
will be done politely and in the spirit of helping one another.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

I monitor REF014C on WW6BAY DV repeater

3146. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 16:47:16 UTC
From: Fritz Bock
Topic: 3142 Message: 3146

Phil

The status page I use says you are not registered.

Fritz

On Tuesday, March 18, 2014, Philip Prescott <pep0973@...> wrote:

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Fritz Bock
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www.W9UVI.org
ARRL PIO, IL Section

3147. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 16:55:39 UTC
From: Tony Mac
Topic: 3142 Message: 3147

I did not find a registration for you anywhere.

ke9ph

Philip Prescott wrote:

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> Phil Prescott
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3148. DVAP Tool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 17:10:59 UTC
From: <w1glv@...>
Topic: 3148 Message: 3148

After installing the DVAP tool, I get a missing dnssb.dll squawk from Win 8.1.
How do we fix this?

Thanks,
Bob, W1GLV

3149. Re: D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 21:03:01 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3142 Message: 3149

Hi Phil. You can check your registration using:

http://dstar.info/query.html http://dstar.info/query.html

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3150. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-19 23:29:49 UTC
From: <w2gld@...>
Topic: 3142 Message: 3150

When you created your call sign on that server, how many terminals did you create?

You should have at least two, here's my example on the NJ2DG server:

Call Sign: Description:
W2GLD user
W2GLD A dvap-dongle

Then, setup your DVAP to use the "XYXXX A" callsign and then your radio for the user callsign and you'll be all set.

Good luck,

Jerry, W2GLD

3151. Re: DVAP Tool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-20 00:35:33 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3148 Message: 3151

Hi Bob. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com.
http://www.dvapdongle.com.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3152. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP confusion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-20 21:02:30 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3141 Message: 3152

You should never set the MY to anything but your call sign. Setting it to the repeater's callsign may cause significant problems with the network.

To connect to the K5TIT repeater, you should set the following

Your Call Sign

RPT1 Call Sign

RPT2 Call Sign

K5TIT BL

DVAP

DVAP G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Ted Iglehart
Sent: Tuesday, March 18, 2014 11:53 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP confusion

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3153. RE: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-20 01:04:25 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3142 Message: 3153
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I respectfully disagree with the statement that you should create at least two terminals when registering. You do not need a separate terminal to operate a Dongle or DVAP. Adding an extra terminal has been a source of confusion for new Dongle/DVAP users who don’t know what to put in the callsign field or put the wrong thing there.

For 99.999% of D-STAR users, only a “space” terminal is needed and can be used for multiple devices or radios. My advice is only add a “space” terminal (no suffix) and program only your callsign into all of your devices.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of w2gld@me.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 7:30 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR gateway issues

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Good luck,

Jerry, W2GLD

3154. MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-20 15:26:13 UTC
From: WA2DIY-MARK GOTTLIEB
Topic: 3154 Message: 3154

I was able to further identify that the DVAP tool will stop running for some reason suddenly. I restart the tool and it goes back to ³normal² for an indeterminate amount of time until it stops again. I have an iMac and I did load the FTDI serial driver. I have an iMac, at home, running Lion and have had no problems to date.

Thank-you for any suggestions that can be offered.

Mark H. Gottlieb

3155. Re: DVAP confusion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 01:10:08 UTC
From: Ted Iglehart
Topic: 3141 Message: 3155

Thanks Ed, I hadn't thought about that. I was so confused with receiving
while seeing no activity that I didn't think of the ramifications.

On Thursday, March 20, 2014, Woodrick, Ed <ewoodrick2@...> wrote:

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> K5TIT BL
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> DVAP
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> DVAP G
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> *Sent:* Tuesday, March 18, 2014 11:53 PM
> *To:*
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3156. Re: MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 01:31:39 UTC
From: <vspeeds@...>
Topic: 3154 Message: 3156

I too had this issue earlier this week on my new dvap and the mac and pc. It was discussed some time ago on this group. The power save function has to be disabled on the mac. Im telling you this from memory but from the desktop, right click on DVAP tool and open "get info". Then disable the "nap" function. Im not at my Mac computer right now but the info is on this group some time ago.

3157. Re: [DVAPDongle] MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 02:09:31 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 3154 Message: 3157

If you are running Mavericks, check and make sure you have disabled "app nap" for the DVAPTOOL app.

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Mar 20, 2014, at 11:26, WA2DIY-MARK GOTTLIEB <wa2diy@...> wrote:
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3158. Re: MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 03:46:27 UTC
From: <vspeeds@...>
Topic: 3154 Message: 3158

I too had this issue on my new DVap and the mac and pc. There is a sleep function that has to be disabled on the Mac. Im not at my mac computer but if memory serves correctly, right click on the DVAP Tools icon, then "get Info". next disable the sleep or nap function. If you need more info this issue was discussed earlier in this forum group some time ago.

3159. Re: [DVAPDongle] MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 11:24:18 UTC
From: Jeff Davis
Topic: 3154 Message: 3159

http://www.cultofmac.com/253064/how-to-turn-app-nap-off-for-specific-apps-on-your-mac-os-x-tips/

On Thu, Mar 20, 2014 at 11:26 AM, WA2DIY-MARK GOTTLIEB <wa2diy@...>wrote:

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3160. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP confusion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 04:33:06 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 3141 Message: 3160

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http://dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html
It is pretty clear. It is simplex -- thus RPT1 and RPT2 are not used.

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"REF001CL" in URCALL. To link to gateway W4DOC
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" U" (unlink from a linked gateway/reflector. Make sure the “U”
is in the eighth position of URCALL)

Note that, other than "CQCQCQ ", the commands above are processed locally
and not transmitted to a connected system.

You set the radio for DV simplex which means that the RPT1 and RPT2 is not used.

Hope that helps.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: ewoodrick2@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thu, 20 Mar 2014 21:02:30 +0000
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP confusion

You should never set the MY to anything but your call sign. Setting it to the repeater’s callsign may cause significant problems with the network.

To connect to the K5TIT repeater, you should set the following

Your Call Sign

RPT1 Call Sign

RPT2 Call Sign

K5TIT BL

DVAP

DVAP G

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
On Behalf Of Ted Iglehart

Sent: Tuesday, March 18, 2014 11:53 PM

To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP confusion

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3161. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 13:28:20 UTC
From: wa2diy@comcast.net
Topic: 3154 Message: 3161

Thank you. I will try this at my work I Mac. My home I Mac does not do this how ever. I just joined the group.
73's
WA2DIY

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WA2DIY
Mark Gottlieb

-------- Original message --------
From: vspeeds@me.com
Date:03/20/2014 11:46 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: MAC OS

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3162. Re: [DVAPDongle] MAC OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-21 19:58:13 UTC
From: Mark H. Gottlieb
Topic: 3154 Message: 3162

I am running Mavericks and, with all the other issues it has caused me with my other software, I wish I never downloaded it. The iMac at home, has not yet been upgraded to Mavericks and that explains why I am not having a problem with that one. There is no "app nap" setting on that version of the OS.

Thanks for the very helpful tip to all.

73's
Mark H. Gottlieb
WA2DIY

On Mar 20, 2014, at 10:09 PM, AB4WSNEWS wrote:

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3163. Re: DVAP confusion

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-22 03:54:44 UTC
From: Ted Iglehart
Topic: 3141 Message: 3163

This is working for me. Is there a way to perform a gateway call with the DVAP? I am now able to link directly to another repeater and the reflector option has always worked.

There is a note in the manual that says if the FROM does not have a gateway defined, then the gateway call option is not available. It looked like the DVAP node setup in my Raspberry Pi has the option to specify a gateway?

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> To:
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3164. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-24 11:03:49 UTC
From: Andrew Ireland
Topic: 3129 Message: 3164

Anyone had luck contacting Hardened Power Systems? Tried e-mailing to get a shipping quotation 3 times with no response.

Regards,

Andrew.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of hardenedpower@...
Sent: 12 March 2014 17:00
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Destroyed DVAPs

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The two exposed bolts in the DHAP do indeed connect to the 12v battery. However the bolt that is adjacent to the DVAP antenna is the negative.

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Thanks guys!

3165. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-24 15:20:31 UTC
From: Graham Saville
Topic: 3129 Message: 3165

Had similar response the only way I got hold of them in the end was via Facebook book chat!

Regards from
Graham Saville.

Sent from Samsung Mobile

-------- Original message --------
From: Andrew Ireland <a.emaillists@googlemail.com>
Date: 24/03/2014 11:03 (GMT+00:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Destroyed DVAPs

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Thanks guys!

3166. archos 101 internet tablet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-25 00:13:11 UTC
From: <ke3jp@...>
Topic: 3166 Message: 3166

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has anyone used a archos 101 with a dvap or know of any software the will
thanks mike ke3jp
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3167. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-24 15:29:55 UTC
From: Charles Carlon
Topic: 3129 Message: 3167

Try this address

mailto:bill@...

Sent from my iPad

> On Mar 24, 2014, at 7:03 AM, Andrew Ireland <a.emaillists@googlemail.com> wrote:
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3168. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-25 14:14:08 UTC
From: Michael Anderson
Topic: 3129 Message: 3168

They are bear cats to contact. I used either of the phone numbers.
931.637.2944 or 931.309.8535..
Hope this helps.
Regards

Sent via the Samsung GALAXY S®4, an AT&T 4G LTE smartphone

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-25 20:38:37 UTC
From: Andrew Ireland
Topic: 3129 Message: 3169

Many thanks for this, I got a reply very quicly.

Andrew.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Charles Carlon
Sent: 24 March 2014 15:30
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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3170. Raspberry Pi Image.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-29 21:58:33 UTC
From: Andrew Ireland
Topic: 3129 Message: 3170

Hi Folks,

I wonder if anyone has built a Raspberry Pi Image with the DVAP Tool and made it available for download?

Regards,

Andrew.

3171. RE: [DVAPDongle] Raspberry Pi Image.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-03-30 15:07:51 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3129 Message: 3171

Andrew,

There are a number of implementations available. Try Googling it and searching this forum.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Andrew Ireland
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2014 5:59 PM
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3172. Re: Destroyed DVAPs

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-01 20:59:48 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3129 Message: 3172

I have not had any trouble talking to them. They answer their phone and the customer service I've had so far has been fine. I called on their main line at about 4 pm CDT today and got right through, no worries.

They seem to be pretty responsive to me. Just my take. I am sure others may have different opinions.

FWIW, I have no interest in the company other than that I am waiting for a product to come from them.

Tony DeWItt
AD0DQ

3173. ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-02 13:36:20 UTC
From: Bill
Topic: 3173 Message: 3173

Is there anyone who can help in the setting up of a ic-7100 to a DVAP?

Thanks

3174. DVAP on a BeagleBone Black

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-02 14:35:56 UTC
From: <k2fredrick@...>
Topic: 3174 Message: 3174

Following most of the instructions for installation of the DVAP tool on a Raspberry Pi, I was able to get it running on a BeagleBone Black ("BBB") running Debian (Wheezy). However, in order to run the tool, I need to start a GUI. The procedures for the Raspberry Pi (such as "startx") do not work on the BBB.

Has anyone successfully found a way to start the DVAP tool in a headless automated fashion on the BBB? I would rather not use VNC to log in and start the tool in the GUI if at all possible. I'd rather simply turn on the BBB and have it automatically launch the tool. The procedures for the Raspberry Pi are not working on this board.

3175. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-02 16:52:00 UTC
From: Greg Wetzel
Topic: 3173 Message: 3175

Google DVAP installation. There are some good and simple instructions out there. If you have no luck, you can email me with specific questions.

Greg N3BRO

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bill
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:36 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

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3176. BeagleBone Black

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-02 18:56:20 UTC
From: <k2fredrick@...>
Topic: 3176 Message: 3176

Has anyone figured out how to start the DVAP tool in an automated, headless, fashion using the BeagleBone Black? I've copied most of the steps used for the Raspberry Pi, but I have not been able to auto-load the software on the BBB. For example, there is no "startx" command on the BBB.

3177. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-02 21:30:13 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 3173 Message: 3177

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3178. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-02 22:24:32 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3173 Message: 3178

Hopefully tomorrow I will know more
I will keep you updated

Sent from Samsung Note II
On 2 Apr 2014 23:15, "Don Nelson" <ddn@...> wrote:

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3179. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 00:09:07 UTC
From: WB5UGC
Topic: 3173 Message: 3179

Would not the 7100 like any other D-Star radio be set up the same. Use d-star calculator it will give you all the answers .

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 2, 2014, at 4:30 PM, Don Nelson <ddn@...> wrote:

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3180. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 00:26:01 UTC
From: NO9S Steve Butler
Topic: 3173 Message: 3180

It would depend on how your DVAP is set up.

What software are you using for it?

does it require RPT1 and RPT 2?

you will need to program the frequency as a duplex plus or minus but the split has to be 0.000 so that the UR: MY" and RPT1 and RPT2 fields can be utilized.

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3181. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 01:52:04 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 3173 Message: 3181

The RPT 1 and the RPT 2 are not used with a DVAP

On 4/2/2014 8:26 PM, NO9S Steve Butler wrote:
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3182. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 01:57:10 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 3173 Message: 3182

You do not use a repeater with a DVAP to link to another Repeater

On 4/2/2014 8:09 PM, WB5UGC wrote:
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3183. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 02:54:55 UTC
From: Brad NK8J
Topic: 3173 Message: 3183
Attachments: 5 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

DVAP Does not require RPT1 or RPT2 to be set. It should be left blank.

To connect to a repeater just place in the URCALL field the CALLSIGN Module Link

Ex: KG7ZMM BL

The module in the 7th character place and L for link in the 8th Character Place.

If you are linking thru a repeater then you want to set your frequency with the Duplex set for either - or + and the Offset to 0.000 then set RPT1 to the repeater Callsign and in the 8th digit to the module you will be using and then in RPT2 set it for the repeater call sign and in the 8th digit set it for G. this will give you gateway access.

Brad NK8J

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Don Nelson
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2014 6:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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3184. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 05:06:46 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 3173 Message: 3184
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Recently asked on this forum was a similar question with the 51a.
And it is likely that the same applies to your 7100.
A DVAP is not like a DStar repeater -- its commands are different.

If you go here:
http://dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html
It is pretty clear. It is simplex -- thus RPT1 and RPT2 are not used.

Program Your Radio

Enter your callsign into the MYCALL field of your radio.
Select DV mode and configure simplex operation, usually by holding
down the "DUP" key until there is no "dup+" or "dup-" on the radio
display. You do not need to enter RPT1 nor RPT2 since the radio
will place "DIRECT" in both when in simplex mode.

All commands are entered into the URCALL field as detailed below.

Radio Command Reference

Enter the following values in the URCALL field on your radio:
"DVAP I" (request voice ID from the DVAP)
"DVAP E" (key down and speak for echo test)
"CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system)
"xxxxxxmL" (to link, replace XXXXXX with the gateway or
reflector callsign making sure to use 6
characters filling the end with spaces as needed.
Replace the "m" in the 7th character with the module
to which you wish to link. Use "L" in the 8th
character to indicate the Link command. For
example, to link to Reflector 001 module C, use
"REF001CL" in URCALL. To link to gateway W4DOC
module A, use "W4DOC AL" in URCALL)
" U" (unlink from a linked gateway/reflector. Make sure the “U”
is in the eighth position of URCALL)

Note that, other than "CQCQCQ ", the commands above are processed locally
and not transmitted to a connected system.

You set the radio for DV simplex which means that the RPT1 and RPT2 is not used.

Hope that helps.

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: nk8j@...
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2014 19:54:55 -0700
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

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3185. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 07:22:23 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3173 Message: 3185
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Cheers Brad

Hopefully the Dvap will be with me today and I can give it a go.

I'm sure I will get my head around it and if the DVAP does its job and
works like I think it should I will be looking for a handy something like
the 92 or the 51

Regards

73 de Bill G4CFP

Sent from Samsung Note II
On 3 Apr 2014 04:03, "Brad NK8J" <nk8j@...> wrote:

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3186. ID-51A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 11:38:13 UTC
From: <tuandangvnn@...>
Topic: 3186 Message: 3186

need help setting up of a ID-51A to a DVAP?

Thanks

3187. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID-51A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 12:29:49 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 3186 Message: 3187

1) Put DVAP reflector/repeater desired connection in the “To” field of ID51
2) Put frequency of DVAP radio into “from” field
3) Key the ID51 to establish the link. You should see a scrolling message on the ID51
4) Change the “to” setting to “CQ CQ CQ”
5) enjoy
Monty K2DLJ

-You should really identify yourself in posts
From: tuandangvnn@...
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2014 7:38 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ID-51A

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Thanks

3188. Re: ID-51A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 13:59:37 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3186 Message: 3188

Go to dstarinfo.com and check out programming icom radios under the repeater tab. There is a menu selection for DVAP. It will get you started. After that it simply application.

73,
Barry - K0BSB

Sent from my iPhone

3189. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID-51A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 14:31:22 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3186 Message: 3189

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73 de Bill G4CFP

Sent from Samsung Note II
On 3 Apr 2014 14:53, "MontyS" <montys@...> wrote:

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3190. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 14:49:28 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3173 Message: 3190

Follow these instructions Step by Step Instructions for Importing Files<http://www.dstarinfo.com/Data/Sites/1/GalleryImages/WebImages/instructionsforimportingfilesintotheicomsoftware.pdf> and download the files from http://www.dstarinfo.com/DVAP-Memories.aspx

Ed WA4YIH

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3191. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID-51A

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 18:47:49 UTC
From: Greg Wetzel
Topic: 3186 Message: 3191

You have to get the DVAP frequency and the ID51 simplex frequency to match up. Either change the DVAP or program the ID51. Then set up the ID 51 for simplex on that freq. Put CQCQCQ in the TO, and that is all there is. If you want to connect to a repeater or reflector, put link to from repeater list to the repeater you want first, then transmit normally.

Greg

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3192. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-03 16:59:30 UTC
From: N1PQG
Topic: 3173 Message: 3192

Don't forget to dial down your power output on the 7100 to the lowest setting. 1% should do just fine.

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> Hopefully the Dvap will be with me today and I can give it a go.
>
> I'm sure I will get my head around it and if the DVAP does its job and works like I think it should I will be looking for a handy something like the 92 or the 51
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> Regards
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> 73 de Bill G4CFP
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> Sent from Samsung Note II
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>> On 3 Apr 2014 04:03, "Brad NK8J" <nk8j@...> wrote:
>>
>> DVAP Does not require RPT1 or RPT2 to be set. It should be left blank.
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>> To connect to a repeater just place in the URCALL field the CALLSIGN Module Link
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>> Ex: KG7ZMM BL
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>> The module in the 7th character place and L for link in the 8th Character Place.
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>> If you are linking thru a repeater then you want to set your frequency with the Duplex set for either - or + and the Offset to 0.000 then set RPT1 to the repeater Callsign and in the 8th digit to the module you will be using and then in RPT2 set it for the repeater call sign and in the 8th digit set it for G. this will give you gateway access.
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>> Brad NK8J
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>> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Don Nelson

>> Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2014 6:52 PM
>> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100
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>> The RPT 1 and the RPT 2 are not used with a DVAP
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>> On 4/2/2014 8:26 PM, NO9S Steve Butler wrote:
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>> It would depend on how your DVAP is set up.
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>> What software are you using for it?
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>> does it require RPT1 and RPT 2?
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>> you will need to program the frequency as a duplex plus or minus but the split has to be 0.000 so that the UR: MY" and RPT1 and RPT2 fields can be utilized.
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>> 73
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>> Steve
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>> NO9S
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>> Would not the 7100 like any other D-Star radio be set up the same. Use d-star calculator it will give you all the answers .
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>> Sent from my iPad
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>> On Apr 2, 2014, at 4:30 PM, Don Nelson <ddn@...> wrote:
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>> I have the same question. But not setting up a DVAP but using a DVAP in the IC-7100
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>> On 4/2/2014 12:52 PM, Greg Wetzel wrote:
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>> Google DVAP installation. There are some good and simple instructions out there. If you have no luck, you can email me with specific questions.
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>> Greg N3BRO
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>> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bill
>> Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:36 AM
>> To: DVAPDongle@...m
>> Subject: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100
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>> Is there anyone who can help in the setting up of a ic-7100 to a DVAP?
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>> Thanks
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>> _____
>> <image003.png><image004.jpg>
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>> _____
>> NetZero now offers 4G mobile broadband. Sign up now.
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3193. Re: BeagleBone Black

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-04 00:13:07 UTC
From: <phoggberg@...>
Topic: 3176 Message: 3193

The reason that startx doesn't show up on the BBB is that you don't have X11 installed. It is most likely that you don't have a desktop manager installed as well. The native Linux system for most BBB is Ubuntu which is good, but slightly different from what the Raspberry Pi runs which is Debian. If you don't have a preference, I would start over and flash Debian Wheezy onto the EMMC. That will make your BBB compatible with most of the documentation out there. Instructions on loading Wheezy are located here>
http://elinux.org/Beagleboard:Debian_On_BeagleBone_Black
http://elinux.org/Beagleboard:Debian_On_BeagleBone_Black

once you have it installed on the EMMC or the SD card (EMMC will run faster) make sure that your software is up to date. While running in root mode IS VERY Dangerous, in this case doing so much system stuff, I just get into root mode by entering (Note the # is the system response, you do not enter it)
sudo bash
Then I continue without having to enter sudo every time. Sudo is used to help keep you from destroying a system by making you enter it on every command, but inthis case you will be doing so much, might as well just do it and make life a bit easier on yourself.

Next make the system up to date by entering
apt-get update && apt-get upgrade -y
apt-get dist-upgrade -y
After all the shooting dies down
you need to install X11 and the desktop manager, I would use LXDE since that is what the Pi uses.
That is documented here
http://elinux.org/Beagleboard:Installing_LXDE
http://elinux.org/Beagleboard:Installing_LXDE at the bottom of the page.

While you said you want it headless, I would put in the mechanisms to run it from another computer for debugging and maintenance purposes. So I would while still in root mode enter
apt-get install tightvncserver xrdp -y
apt-get update && apt-get upgrade
reboot
Now you can access your system from your PC by starting Remote Desktop Client (in the accessories/communication entry) and entering the ip address of the BBB and the userid and password.
Now install the self starting version of the DVAPTOOL as documented and you are done.
Unless you are using a Ethernet connection you should use a powered USB hub so you can use a WiFi Dongle and the DVAP

73,
Barry, K0BSB

3194. D-STAR Class Returns to Dayton Hamvention 2014

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-04 19:31:28 UTC
From: <wb4qdx@...>
Topic: 3194 Message: 3194

The ultimate D-STAR training class, D-STARInfoCon 2014, returns to Dayton Hamvention for the third year to provide an introduction to D-STAR for new users getting on the air and more advanced information for experienced D-STAR users. The three-hour class will again be held at the Drury Inn at 6616 Miller Lane in the heart of hotel row near Hamvention. This year’s topics will include using DR Mode, using a Raspberry Pi with your DVAP, updating Repeater Lists for DR Mode, using D-RATS for data and much more. The new Icom ID-5100A will be demonstrated. All registered class participants are eligible to win an ID-51A dual-band D-STAR handheld to be given away during the class.
The cost of the class is $15.00 and includes all course material. Pre-registration is required and seating is limited. Registration and payment via PayPal can be found at www.dstarinfo.com http://www.dstarinfo.com/. For more info, send an email to info@dstarinfo.com mailto:info@dstarinfo.com?subject=InfoCon%202014%20info%20request.

3195. Dvap says not linked but I can still hear the reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-05 04:00:09 UTC
From: Ward Hill
Topic: 3195 Message: 3195

Hello all. N1IE, Ward here. I am new to all of this. I can get the DVAP to respond to my DVAP I and DVAP E commands but I will alway get a not linked message even though I have sent a link command to the DVAP and any U command is met with a not linked response. I cannot unlike once I am linked. Any ideas?

73,

Ward. N1IE

Sent from my iPhone

3196. Re: [DVAPDongle] ic-7100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-05 10:06:28 UTC
From: <whbones@...>
Topic: 3173 Message: 3196

Did think of that but thank for reminding me.

3197. Re: BeagleBone Black

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-05 16:05:33 UTC
From: <k2fredrick@...>
Topic: 3176 Message: 3197

I think I was actually already at this point. I had tightvnc installed, and was able to log into a desktop using a remote VNC viewer, and could start the DVAP tool from the desktop. What I want to do is to auto-start it when the BBB boots in Debian. I was also able to reproduce the instructions provided, but the only missing part is the auto-start.

3198. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: BeagleBone Black

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-06 04:21:39 UTC
From: Ken Boyle
Topic: 3176 Message: 3198

what desktop manager are you using?
On Saturday, April 5, 2014 12:05 PM, "k2fredrick@..." <k2fredrick@...> wrote:

I think I was actually already at this point. I had tightvnc installed, and was able to log into a desktop using a remote VNC viewer, and could start the DVAP tool from the desktop. What I want to do is to auto-start it when the BBB boots in Debian. I was also able to reproduce the instructions provided, but the only missing part is the auto-start.

3199. Re: Dvap says not linked but I can still hear the reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-06 11:57:16 UTC
From: <nk8j@...>
Topic: 3195 Message: 3199

Make sure your RPT1 and RPT2 fields are blank and theat youe are using the following command to link.
REF001CL
7 8
7 is the band module
8 is the Link command.

3200. Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-07 16:57:01 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3200

I can watch the DVAP TOOL screen and watch my commands as the DVAP receives them from my ID-51.

I can ECHO with the DAVAP. It works.
CQCQCQ returns "ignoring transmit while not connected". I receive a "beep" on release of the PTT.

A "DVAP I" command returns "DV access point dongle" audio.

A "RF001CL" returns "starting link request (REF0001CL)
RES (-61)
RES (-56)
Local Stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF001C
Squelch closed, device rss (-71) min (-67) max (-53)

I can now hear stations on RFL001c

I now send "CQCQCQ". The DVAP TOOL now returns " "ignoring transmit while not connected"

" U" returns "Not currently linked" but I still hear REF001C

Yet, I can see hear REF001C but I cannot transmit because the DVAP thinks I am not connected.

HELP! What am I doing wrong?

Ward, N1IE

3201. RE: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-08 10:06:36 UTC
From: Greg Wetzel
Topic: 3200 Message: 3201

After you issue your link command, what does the "Connected to:' field on the DVAPTool show?

Greg N3BRO

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of searchin1@...
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2014 12:57 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

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CQCQCQ returns "ignoring transmit while not connected". I receive a "beep" on release of the PTT.

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RES (-56)

Local Stream end

Connect requested

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HELP! What am I doing wrong?

Ward, N1IE

3202. RE: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-08 10:34:06 UTC
From: Greg Wetzel
Topic: 3200 Message: 3202

Have you registered your call sign in the DStar system?

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of searchin1@...
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2014 12:57 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

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RES (-56)

Local Stream end

Connect requested

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HELP! What am I doing wrong?

Ward, N1IE

3203. RE: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-08 13:36:15 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3200 Message: 3203

My guess is that you’ve got some port blockage problems somewhere. I suggest trying from a different Internet connection.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of searchin1@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 7, 2014 12:57 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

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HELP! What am I doing wrong?

Ward, N1IE

3204. DVAP Receive Only on W9BIL and W9YR only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-08 11:19:26 UTC
From: Ralph Zancha
Topic: 3204 Message: 3204

Hi everyone I have a strange one.

I am the administator for the W9BIL repeater and am registered through the W9YR repeaters. When I try to connnect to either of those repeaters I get linked receive only. Works fine on the reflectors and other repeaters.

Also I have noticed that when I try to send commands to link and so forth to the W9BIL machine it just ignores them. I tried a freinds call in my ht and everything works fine.

Any ideas?

Thanks
Ralph Zancha
<<WC9V>>

3205. DVAP firmware.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-10 02:15:05 UTC
From: Arnold Ruiz
Topic: 3205 Message: 3205

I installed the DVAP firmware version 1.04 on my WinVista desktop! Using DVrptr and ircddbgateway software i was able to get into the DStar reflectors. As soon as I rebooted the DVAP would not work anymore, no transmit. I checked device driver and i saw the yellow error triangle. I tried to install ver 1.05 and now have all leds on DVAP blinking at the same time and no transmit or receive from DVAP. What am i doing wrong!

N2YDV

Arnold Ruiz
917 514-1482
n2ydc_1@...

FCC Lic. N2YDC
FCC Lic. WQQN428
Grid Square FN30ar
APRS ~ N2YDC-7
N2YDC@W2LI-4 packet

3206. Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-08 14:06:25 UTC
From: <vspeeds@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3206

I don't have an answer but I'll share my similar experience. My DVAP has been up and running for several weeks with no problem until this past Sunday when I attempted to connect to Reflector 1C for the International Dstar Net. I had the same issues you are having. After relinking 1/2 hour later I was able to finally link. The net controller was aware that a lot of people could not link up. He mentioned it might be the reflector was too busy.
It happened to me again this past Monday trying to link to Reflector 26 for the raspberry pi net. This time I couldn't link at all nor was I able to hear the net in progress like I was for Reflector 1...but I was able to connect to other reflectors.

Try connecting to other reflectors and your DVAP may work. One thing to note is I heard on Reflector 12's Tech Net that the last DStar upgrade for the repeaters have given some repeater owners problems with the upgraded system. So it may be the reflectors and not your DVAP that has the issues.

3207. Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-08 18:09:52 UTC
From: <mick@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3207

I had exactly the same problem across 4 different computers on the same network. In my case it turned out to be the router i was using a Billion Bipac 7800N. If i connected via my phone or another router then the program worked as it should on all the systems i tried. I ended up connecting the dvap to the raspberry pi and even though it was still going through the same router it was fine. G0UEX

3208. Re: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-10 15:15:17 UTC
From: KI4TGI -Larry
Topic: 3200 Message: 3208

It tell's me what Refector i'm connected to. Such as Ref001c or Ref030c
Larry E White
843-283-4295
KI4TGI
----- Original Message -----
From: Greg Wetzel
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2014 6:06 AM
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

After you issue your link command, what does the “Connected to:’ field on the DVAPTool show?

Greg N3BRO

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of searchin1@...
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2014 12:57 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

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HELP! What am I doing wrong?

Ward, N1IE

3209. Re: DVAP Receive Only on W9BIL and W9YR only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-10 15:19:42 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3204 Message: 3209

Hi Ralph. Neither W9BIL nor W9YR have been updated to the latest dplus (that has been out for a while now). That is your issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3210. Re: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 04:30:54 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3210

The connected to field shows nothing until a station comes through and then it displays the link info. It then goes blank as the station's PTT is released.

Ward N1IE

3211. Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 04:35:15 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3211

Yes, I am registered. I have checked to make sure.

Ward N1IE

3212. Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 04:44:58 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3212

It is beginning to look like the only fix is to get a Rasberry PI

Ward N1IE

3213. RE: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 13:03:49 UTC
From: Greg Wetzel
Topic: 3200 Message: 3213

The connected to field should continuously display the reflector you are linked to, regardless of whether or not a station is transmitting. If it doesn't, you don't have a link established. You must establish the link using the REF001BL command in UR first of all. Then, after the link is established, you can transmit voice using the UR command CQCQCQ.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of searchin1@...
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2014 12:31 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Still having "issues" with DVAP

The connected to field shows nothing until a station comes through and then it displays the link info. It then goes blank as the station's PTT is released.

Ward N1IE

3214. Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 05:20:11 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3214

Tomorrow I am going to try all my USB ports as well as a reboot of my wireless/router.

If I new this was going to be this difficult, I would have never started.

Ward N1IE

3215. Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 16:32:16 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3215

I AM ACTUALLY LINKED!!!!!
Corrective action taken:
Fresh load of Bonjour. I have o idea why this works but, I have a link for the first time since I have had the DVAP.

Ward N1IE

3216. Application failed to start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 15:47:27 UTC
From: Jerry Brock
Topic: 3216 Message: 3216

I installed the DVAP per the webpage on 2 different laptops.
Windows XP and Windows Vista.
Got the DVAP icon and message "application failed to start"
"dnssd.dll not Found..
Turned off both firewalls, my dsl modem has been opened so
I can access Echolink xmit and recv.

What do I do?? These laptops are both pre 2009 vintage.
Do I buy a windows 8.1 laptop???
Any suggestions will be appreciated..
Jerry-KN6JK

3217. Re: Application failed to start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 20:26:42 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3216 Message: 3217

Hi Jerry. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3218. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 21:32:19 UTC
From: martin hennessey
Topic: 3200 Message: 3218

Welcome to dstar well done !

Sent from iPhone

> On 11 Apr 2014, at 21:26, searchin1@yahoo.com wrote:
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> I AM ACTUALLY LINKED!!!!!
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> Corrective action taken:
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> Fresh load of Bonjour. I have o idea why this works but, I have a link for the first time since I have had the DVAP.
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> Ward N1IE
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3219. Re: [DVAPDongle] Application failed to start

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-11 21:46:33 UTC
From: doug decherd
Topic: 3216 Message: 3219

Did you uninstall iTunes? If so reinstall iTunes. Had the same issue.
Fortunately a friend also had the problem before me
KC9HGP
On Apr 11, 2014 3:26 PM, "Jerry Brock" <kn6jk@...> wrote:

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> I installed the DVAP per the webpage on 2 different laptops.
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> "dnssd.dll not Found..
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> Jerry-KN6JK
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3220. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-12 02:56:58 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3220

I spoke too soon. Problem still exists. Never give up, Never surrender.

Ward N1IE

3221. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Still having "issues" with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-12 03:02:59 UTC
From: <searchin1@...>
Topic: 3200 Message: 3221

I still cannot link. I have tried restarting my routed, Restarted my DSL modem. Reloaded the FT232R USB UART driver.

I am running out of options.

Anyone want to buy a slightly...and I mean slightly used UHF DVAP?

Ward N1IE

3222. External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-17 23:47:01 UTC
From: <edmontonfireradio@...>
Topic: 3222 Message: 3222

I am playing around with the DVAP and connected it to a through glass antenna which is on my 16th floor balcony. When I mentioned this on another forum, someone said that they heard that it is not suggested to use an external antenna with the DVAP due to the potential of damaging the DVAP itself.

Has anyone run into an issue with using an external antenna with the DVAP? I wanted to double check before running into potential problems with the device.

73 - Jeff VE6EFR

3223. Re: [DVAPDongle] External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-18 00:56:24 UTC
From: kb5wb@...
Topic: 3222 Message: 3223

no, works great

kb5wb@... David

-----Original Message-----
From: edmontonfireradio <edmontonfireradio@...>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thu, Apr 17, 2014 7:52 pm
Subject: [DVAPDongle] External Antenna

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73 - Jeff VE6EFR

3224. Re: [DVAPDongle] External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-18 01:40:17 UTC
From: Larry Bowman
Topic: 3222 Message: 3224

I have mine on a outside antenna. Get 2 miles coverage
On Apr 17, 2014 7:52 PM, <edmontonfireradio@...> wrote:

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> I am playing around with the DVAP and connected it to a through glass
> antenna which is on my 16th floor balcony. When I mentioned this on another
> forum, someone said that they heard that it is not suggested to use an
> external antenna with the DVAP due to the potential of damaging the DVAP
> itself.
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> Has anyone run into an issue with using an external antenna with the DVAP?
> I wanted to double check before running into potential problems with the
> device.
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> 73 - Jeff VE6EFR
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3225. RE: [DVAPDongle] External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-18 04:00:38 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3222 Message: 3225

There is little to no protection built into the DVAP. Static discharges can build up and take it out, and since it is connected to a computer, there is some susceptibility there as well.

Ed Woodrick

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of edmontonfireradio@gmail.com
Sent: Thursday, April 17, 2014 7:47 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] External Antenna

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73 - Jeff VE6EFR

3226. Re: [DVAPDongle] External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-18 05:27:53 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 3222 Message: 3226

Jeff

I've used my DVAP for over two years with a mag-mount antenna with excellent results. I have no experience with the "connected through glass" configuration that you are planning so I'm not sure whether that would introduce any issues. I get about 1/2 mile range with the antenna mounted on a cookie sheet on the floor (hidden from the XYL's aesthetic gaze).

73,
Dana
K6BRR

On Apr 17, 2014, at 4:47 PM, <edmontonfireradio@...> wrote:

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3227. Re: External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-18 11:51:09 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 3222 Message: 3227

I have heard of DVAPs being damaged by arc over during lightning storms. I don't think the risk is greater than to any other radio. I use a gas discharge device on my antenna lead.

Sent from my iPhone

3228. Re: DVAP firmware.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-21 08:26:44 UTC
From: <paul@...>
Topic: 3205 Message: 3228

It sounds like you have bricked your DVAP
and it will need to be sent back to have the
firmware re mapped !

Paul G0HWC
http://www.g0hwc.com http://www.g0hwc.com

3229. A Follow Up on the Hardened Power DHAP unit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-22 14:48:02 UTC
From: <aldewitt@...>
Topic: 3229 Message: 3229

Recently I ordered a DHAP unit from Hardened Power after learning about them here. I received my unit and it worked exactly as advertised. However, I think it is important to note that the design of the unit I got is markedly different from the one shown in their video. The one shown in the video has two screws up near the battery terminals. In the version I received these are absent and the wires simply run beneath the area where the DVAP Dongle sits. If anyone wants I can take pictures and post them.

If there was a concern for the antenna touching the power connections, it would appear that this new design obviates that issue.

I had to wait a little bit longer for my D-HAP than was originally projected, and I suspect it was because of this re-design. The wait was very well worth it.

Just my two cents worth (and probably overvalued by 50%).

AD0DQ

3230. Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 03:00:41 UTC
From: <gchapel@...>
Topic: 3230 Message: 3230

I bought a new DVAP Dongle about 1 1/2 months ago.

Initially I was running DVAPTool under OS X Mountain Lion but upgraded about 2 weeks ago to Mavericks.

Since the up grade, I have noticed that my DVAP now constantly loses it's connection after about 10 minutes of operation. The main window still shows it connected and the text shows that a call sign is talking but I get no audio out to the radio.

When I try to unlink from the repeater the DVAP dongle no longer responds to commands. I can see it flash as if it gets signal but it just doesn't respond.

If I force disconnect and force quit the DVAP Tool app and restart it, all is well for about another 5 minutes or so then a disconnect again.

I am going to try with another computer running OSX Mountain Lion but and see if it really is Mavericks or if my dongle went bad.

I would think it would last longer than 2 months. If it is bad do you think HRO will exchange it!

3231. Re: Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 03:11:07 UTC
From: <gchapel@...>
Topic: 3109 Message: 3231

I am having the same problem of DVAPTool dying and then needing to be force quit and restarted to work again.

Where exactly is the DVAP info panel?

I am running version 1.04 and I can't find any such option.

Thanks,
K0GGC

3232. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 04:36:05 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 3230 Message: 3232

Disable AppNap in Mavericks for DVTools and you are all set.

On Wed, Apr 23, 2014 at 11:00 PM, <gchapel@...> wrote:

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3233. Re: Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 05:31:48 UTC
From: <vspeeds@...>
Topic: 3230 Message: 3233

This may solve your issue. From the desktop right click the dvap tool icon. Then scroll down to info. In the dvap tool info window check the box Prevent App Nap

3234. RE: [DVAPDongle] Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 06:32:31 UTC
From: Greg Wetzel
Topic: 3230 Message: 3234
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

HRO will only exchange within 10 days of purchase.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of gchapel@...t
Sent: Wednesday, April 23, 2014 11:01 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

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3235. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 03:46:48 UTC
From: Jim Laseter
Topic: 3230 Message: 3235

See if this link will solve your problem:
http://www.cultofmac.com/253064/how-to-turn-app-nap-off-for-specific-apps-on-your-mac-os-x-tips/

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3236. Re: Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 06:56:38 UTC
From: Kresmor
Topic: 3230 Message: 3236

I am also getting the same problem. I bought my Dongle about 3 weeks ago and run a desktop computer running vista, although I have tried it on my work pc that runs Windows 8.

I get the same issue with it disconnecting and some times I get it to struggle to connect in the first place! I also get the same issues of the correct messages on the radio but no audio. It just appears that the radio and the dongle fail to speak to each other.

I am going to contact my supplier again today.

Regards
Andy M0ZCM

Sent from my iPad

3237. Re: [DVAPDongle] Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 10:07:25 UTC
From: Kevin G
Topic: 3109 Message: 3237

Howdy, the same thing happened to me :) You need to open the applications folder by right clicking on it, then right click on the DVAP app, select “get info” and check the “prevent app nap” box

Kevin Gallagher

"And on the brave and crazy wings of youth
They went flying around in the rain
And their feathers, once so fine, grew torn and tattered
And in the end they traded their tired wings
For the resignation that living brings'

Before The Deluge by Jackson Browne

On Apr 23, 2014, at 11:11 PM, gchapel@... wrote:

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> Thanks,
> K0GGC
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3238. Re: Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 12:44:29 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 3109 Message: 3238

You’ll probably get about a dozen answers to this. It has come up on this group before. But anyhow, in Mavericks, right click on DVAP Tool in the finder screen; then click on Get Info. Turn off app nap. That should fix the problem.

3239. Re: Problems with DVAP connection drop out on OSX Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 14:08:16 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3230 Message: 3239

Your problem is that you have not disabled the “app nap” feature in Mavericks. Right click on the DVAPTool software, go to properties, and uncheck the “app nap” box. Problem solved.

AD0DQ

3240. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Will DVAP Dongle work with Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-24 08:05:05 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3109 Message: 3240

I'm not an Apple user, but if you look back at previous posts you will find other users have had the same problem.

The solution seems to be to prevent an 'app nap' on your o/s see previous posts for detail.

73

David
2E0DCE

On 24 Apr 2014, at 04:11, <gchapel@...> wrote:

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3241. Non-Mavericks OSX 10.8 Mac DVAP is Napping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-04-30 19:50:11 UTC
From: <markgottlieb335@...>
Topic: 3241 Message: 3241

I have a MAC but refused the Mavericks upgrade. I learned to stay away from that upgrade. Too many other bugs and glitches to waste time with. Anyway...I know that canceling App Nap, in Mavericks, prevents the DVAP from shutting down but I seem to be getting the same situation on this Mac which has not been upgraded to Mavericks. I looked for a control in "Get Info" but in this version there is no "App Nap" selection. Is there another control in Preferences that does the same thing? Thanks WA2DIY.

3242. Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-02 13:56:56 UTC
From: <chipmckcmo@...>
Topic: 3242 Message: 3242

I just received my DVAP yesterday. I am having issues finding the correct files for the dongle. I did find and follow the installation instructions but unsuccessfully. Also, tried to download and load the DVAP Tool and came up with the message regarding the missing dnssd.dll file. When I originally plugged the dongle into my Windows 8.1 laptop it did load something but it appeared to be only a Windows update. I never was shown the screens as shown on the install instructions. I am starting to feel a bit inadequate. Any help appreciated. It can't be this hard or can it? Thanks in advance
Chip
WB0LBZ

3243. IC92AD Programming for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-02 17:24:56 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3243 Message: 3243

I have been messing with the DVAP and the IC-92AD for about 12 hours now and am getting frustrated. Might it be possible for someone to share a working RT Systems file with me. My 92AD works great on my local repeater but not so much on the DVAP. I have had no success so far. I used the FAQ from the DVAP site and tried to match up with the 92AD information but my old eyes might have missed something.

As far as the DVAP goes, I never got all the screens shown in the installation document but the green LED is slowly flashing. Is there a way to tell if it is actually working or not?

The DVAP Tool is working.

ANy suggestions appreciated.

Chip
WB0LBZ

3244. Re: Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-02 19:14:48 UTC
From: <aa4rc@...>
Topic: 3242 Message: 3244

Hi Chip. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at
http://www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com.

http://www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com

View on www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com
Preview by Yahoo

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3245. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-02 19:29:39 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3242 Message: 3245

Robin,
I did just that and the DVAP Tool now works. I have now been able to open the tool session and get some communications between the IC92AD and the DVAP. I have not been able to link to a reflector yet. When I key the HT while on the CQCQCQ channel I do get a message that tells me that the DVAP is not linked. When I dial up a reflector in the 92AD and key up I get no message back oral or otherwise. That is where I stand right now. Seems that I am getting closer but I have hit a wall for the moment.
Chip
WB0LBZ

In a message dated 5/2/2014 2:15:10 P.M. Central Daylight Time, aa4rc@interlabs.com writes:

Hi Chip. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at _http://www.dvapdongle.com_ (http://www.dvapdongle.com./)

_http://www.dvapdongle.com _ (http://www.dvapdongle.com/)

_View on www.dvapdongle.com _ (http://www.dvapdongle.com/)

Preview by Yahoo

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3246. Re: IC92AD Programming for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-02 22:11:15 UTC
From: <chipmckcmo@...>
Topic: 3243 Message: 3246

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <chipmckcmo@...> wrote :

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Chip
WB0LBZ

3247. DVAP Dongle has stopped

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-02 20:51:30 UTC
From: <r.lyman@...>
Topic: 3247 Message: 3247

I am using the DVAP Dongle with Win 8.1

Plugging the device into the computer, I notice the lights operate properly, screen display shows
Name: DVAP Dongle, Serial # yyyyyyy
I am concerned about the lack of Serial #

92 Settings
UR: CQCQCQ
R1: rptr B
R2: rptr G
My: my call

Display Screen
UR:CQCQCQ
R1: Direct
R2: Direct

No network response from repeater I am trying to connect to.

I am looking for a manufacture service department.

Any ideas ?
Tnx/73
Robert/ki6ft

r.lyman@yahoo.com

3248. Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-03 12:31:35 UTC
From: doug decherd
Topic: 3242 Message: 3248

I had a similar issue. Did you unload iTunes? By loading iTunes the missing

file returns I do not know why.
On May 2, 2014 2:13 PM, <chipmckcmo@aol.com> wrote:

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> I just received my DVAP yesterday. I am having issues finding the correct
> files for the dongle. I did find and follow the installation instructions
> but unsuccessfully. Also, tried to download and load the DVAP Tool and came
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> Chip
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> WB0LBZ
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3249. Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-03 15:35:56 UTC
From: KI4TGI -Larry
Topic: 3242 Message: 3249

DVAP don't think it work's yet for Window's 8.1 but all older it say OK
Larry E White
843-283-4295
KI4TGI
----- Original Message -----
From: doug decherd
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, May 03, 2014 8:31 AM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbe Question

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Chip

WB0LBZ

3250. Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-03 22:48:11 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3242 Message: 3250

Apparently I did whatever I did without knowing what I did. Sounds funny
but once I got the U for unlink into the correct (8th) position all is well.
I do not think I could do the exact same thing again and have it work.

Right now it is working fine. Thanks for the reply, I appreciate your input.
Chip

In a message dated 5/3/2014 5:17:34 P.M. Central Daylight Time,
decherd.doug@... writes:

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3251. icom ic-2820h for sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-03 23:32:52 UTC
From: <ab8wl@...>
Topic: 3251 Message: 3251

hello group

I am selling my barely used mostly receive only icon ic-2820h dual band fm transceiver. the closest d-star repeater to me is almost too far away to enjoy this rig. i have since bought a handheld and dvap and decided to go that route for my d-star fun. included in the auction are: all original packaging and manual, ic-2820h with optional ut-123 d-star board installed, gps antenna, all original accessories (hand mic, mounting brackets, power cable, remote head extension cable) the power cable has anderson power poles installed on the end, nifty mini-manual, nifty e-z guide to d-star operation second edition book, and rt systems programming software version 4 on cd and orange programming cable (usb-rts05 the one that connects to the data jack). purchased on 5/20/2012 serial # 0507017, item is in excellent condition only ever used indoors as a base station in a non-smoking environment. item is sold used as-is, no returns no refunds, only shipped to continental united states address, payment must be via paypal. SHIPPING IS FREE!! thank you for viewing my listing!!

please copy/paste this link to view my ebay auction
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=261471010506
or search for item #261471010506

73 ab8wl

3252. Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbe Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-04 02:17:48 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3242 Message: 3252

Larry,
I found my issue and it appears to be working fine on Windows 8.1. I can't tell you where I saw it but I did finally find mention of Windows 8 in an install document. My issue seems to have been the placement of characters, especially in the Unlink field. Once I found and fixed that it started working. Go figure.
Chip

In a message dated 5/3/2014 9:13:00 P.M. Central Daylight Time, lewhite@... writes:

☐
DVAP don't think it work's yet for Window's 8.1 but all older it say OK
Larry E White
843-283-4295
KI4TGI

----- Original Message -----
From: _doug decherd_ (mailto:decherd.doug@...)
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3253. Re: DVAP Dongle has stopped

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-05 22:14:17 UTC
From: <chipmckcmo@...>
Topic: 3247 Message: 3253

Robert, did you get the dvap working? I would also be concerned about the serial number. I can send you what I used in my 92ad. It is different than what you described. My issue was the U (unlink) has to be in column 8 in order to work. All is well on mine.

3254. DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-06 12:59:36 UTC
From: <ke4qdc@...>
Topic: 3254 Message: 3254

On the road with a new WIN 8.1 laptop and the DVAP continues to unlink itself every few minutes. I am in a hotel on wifi as I type this so I got a connection. I have running in the background the dvap software and surfing the web and the radio just comes on and says "unlinked" . In order to get it back I have to send the unlink command from the radio to let it know it actually is not linked then I can send the link command again but it only stays about 5 minutes before it drops. I have different reflectors just to see but it doesn't make any difference. I guess when I get home I can see if it does it there. I just got this pc so haven't had time to try it out before getting on the road

ke4qdc
ferrell

3255. D-STAR at Hamvention

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-06 18:36:22 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3255 Message: 3255
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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Thursday, May 15, 7-9PM - Pre-Hamvention Meet, Greet, and Eyeball QSO
Marion's Piazza
1320 N Fairfield Rd
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Friday, May 16, 8-11AM - D-STAR InfoCon at Hamvention 2014
Drury Inn Ballroom
6616 Miller Lane
Dayton OH
DSTARInfo.com<http://www.dstarinfo.com/InfoCon2014.aspx> for information and registration

Friday, May 16, 12:45-2:15PM - D-STAR Forum

Forum Room 1
Dayton Hamvention

Friday, May 16, 6:30-8:30PM - D-STAR Update
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Dayton OH
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Dayton D-STAR Repeaters
W8RTL C

147.1050+

W8RTL B

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Icom - Booths HA0008-HA0010, HA0033-HA0037
Hardened Power Systems - HA0075
Internet Labs - HA0028-HA0029
RT Systems - NH-247-NH0248

If there are any corrections or additions, please drop us a note at
info@...<mailto:info@DSTARInfo.com>

3256. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-06 21:25:02 UTC
From: lamarrsy
Topic: 3254 Message: 3256

Hi,
Does the PC goes into a sleep mode after X minutes of no keyboard activity?
This could cause the Loss of Wifi connectivity.

.. Just a guess,

Let us know!

-Sylvain, VE2LAM

> Le 2014-05-06 à 08:59, <ke4qdc@yahoo.com> a écrit :
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3257. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-06 18:50:07 UTC
From: Bob Snyder
Topic: 3254 Message: 3257

On Tue, May 6, 2014 at 8:59 AM, <ke4qdc@...> wrote:

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> if it does it there. I just got this pc so haven't had time to try it out
> before getting on the road
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Is it an active reflector? If I was to guess, I'd say you're running afoul
of the hotel's firewall dropping the connection from the DVAP software to
the reflector after not seeing any packets for 5 minutes.

73,
Bob N2KGO

3258. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-06 21:16:49 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3254 Message: 3258

I’d assume that the hotel Internet connection just ain’t cutting it. All it takes for some hotels is a couple of guys watching movies to completely saturate their connection.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ke4qdc@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 6, 2014 9:00 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

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ke4qdc

ferrell

3259. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-07 17:08:21 UTC
From: <gchapel@...>
Topic: 3254 Message: 3259

I have the same problem but with Mac OS X Mavericks.

There is an option in OS X Mavericks for "App Nap". I toggled it off so that the App would not sleep to help the battery life. It helped but did not solve the problem. My DVAP Dongle is still loosing it's connection with the radio. I can transmit but the dongle won't see the transmission.

If I close the DVAP Tool app and restart, all is well again until it looses it's connection.

Before I toggled the App Nap option off, my DVAP Tool would lose connection every few minutes. Now it seems to be a random time frame.

Never had the problem before with OS X Mountain Lion.

3260. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-07 13:42:55 UTC
From: Bob Snyder
Topic: 3254 Message: 3260

Or probably more likely, the reflector is quiet and the firewall/router the hotel is using has aggressive timeouts for connections. If it’s almost always 5 minutes from launch it drops and the reflector is quiet I’d suspect the hotel has a connection timeout of 5 minutes. I don’t think there’s any traffic flowing when the reflector is quiet though I haven’t done a packet capture or anything to verify.

TCP Keepalives with an aggressive timer might be a solution for this, but would take modification of the DVAPtool or reflector code to turn the option on (although even with the option turned on the Windows default timer of 2 hours still wouldn’t help in this case.)

Bob N2KGO

On May 6, 2014, at 5:16 PM, Woodrick, Ed <ewoodrick@...> wrote:

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3261. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP unlinking itself

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-08 11:39:30 UTC
From: Bob Snyder
Topic: 3254 Message: 3261

On May 7, 2014, at 1:08 PM, gchapel@... wrote:

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> I have the same problem but with Mac OS X Mavericks.
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I did as well, but the original poster explicitly said Windows and I don’t think it’s the same thing. With the Mavericks App Nap problem you don’t get the “unlinked” problem (or at least I don’t recall so with mine); with App Nap the software loses connectivity to the hardware without realizing it and wouldn’t be able to transmit “unlinked."

Bob N2KGO

3262. Dvap Tool v 1.04 Greyed out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-09 13:46:20 UTC
From: xray294@...
Topic: 3262 Message: 3262

Hello
I have purchased DVAP but I am having some real problems.

My computer did not recognise my new software and so would not let me download it. I found a site that I could download manually however it kept telling me that MINGWN10.DLL was missing. I then found another site called Bonjour where I downloaded and after downloading that allowed me to download Dvap version 1.04 on my computer.

This is my problem.
The grey box is greyed out. I can not open the Dvap device as it is greyed out. This means I cant input the frequency that I am going to use.

Hellllllpppppp

3263. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Tool v 1.04 Greyed out

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-09 15:48:10 UTC
From: Mark Gottlieb
Topic: 3262 Message: 3263

It sounds like you have not downloaded the driver which must go along with the software for the DVAP itself.

Here is the link: http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm

73'S WA2DIY

From: "xray294@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Reply-To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date: 09 May 2014 06:46:20 -0700
To: <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Tool v 1.04 Greyed out

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3264. DVAP in Recieve Only mode on Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-12 17:46:59 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3264 Message: 3264

Hey Guys,

First and formost, I'm registered to use DSTAR and have been for a few years. So, I know that I can use repeaters around me that are DSTAR. The problem that I am having is that no matter what reflector or repeater that I link to via my 70 cm DVAP Dongle comes up as recieve only. My current laptop is running Fedora 20 32bit (I have also tried 64 bit just in case with the same results) and I've also tried this with Windows xp, vista, 7, and 8 with the same results. Ubuntu seems to do the same thing as well. Any help would be appreciated.

73's
Ray
kb8ild

3265. Re: DVAP in Recieve Only mode on Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-12 19:28:50 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3264 Message: 3265

Hi Ray.

You have registered an "M" and "P" terminal on the WX8GRR gateway. You are using a space in the 8th character of mycall. You either need to register a "space" terminal as shown at http://www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org or place an "M" or "P" in the 8th character of mycall (and in DVAPTool).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3266. Linux and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-13 21:47:13 UTC
From: atlasgriffin@...
Topic: 3266 Message: 3266

I just loaded Linux Mint 16 on a netbook and installed DVAP Tool 1.04 for Linux. I followed the tips on the DVAP page and disabled Modem Manager and removed brltty. DVAP Tool will not open. I just get the DVAP window and the message in red "opening device"

I've been using the DVAP on an I-Mac and XP machines for quite a while but would really like to get this going on Linux. I'm new to Linux but have been using d-star for quite a while.

Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated.

Ben
KJ4DEM

3267. Re: DVAP in Recieve Only mode on Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-14 09:19:48 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3264 Message: 3267

Hi Robin,

If I'm hearing you correctly, if I remove the M and/or P from my registration on WX8GRR, I should have full access to the DSTAR system? I'm going to give what I stated above a try to see if that works.

Thanks for the info,
73's
Ray
kb8ild

3268. Re: DVAP in Recieve Only mode on Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-14 10:23:23 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3264 Message: 3268

Hi Robin,

The info you had given has worked on at least on a repeater that I trying to get into. Now onto a reflector that I was trying to get into. My guess is that it will take a few minutes/hours/ or even a day for the new modified registration of my call to filter throughout the system.

Thank you for the help you have given,
Ray
kb8ild

3269. dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-14 19:23:52 UTC
From: kresmor@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3269

Hi all
I have been pulling my hair out with this one for weeks with no success! I have two laptops, one running Vista and the other is a brand new Dell running Windows 8.1. I cannot get the Dongle to work on either of them.

I have installed the software as directed, but when I click on the icon, I get a message telingl me that the device cannot open as a dnssd.dll file is missing. The green light is pulsing on the dongle but thats it.

I tried my office desktop, that runs vista, and everything works as it should there, but try as I might, I cannot seem o resolve the issue on the Laptops.

I am sure that someone with more brain cells than me might be able to offer a solution before I take a hammer to the bloody dongle!!!

Help

Andy
M0ZCM

3270. Re: [DVAPDongle] dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-15 22:31:27 UTC
From: Brian Tucker
Topic: 3269 Message: 3270

I think the answer is here on the list somewhere. You must install bonjour from Apple I think.

Brian
WD4DX

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 14, 2014, at 3:23 PM, "kresmor@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3271. Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-15 21:49:57 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3271

Hi Andy. This one has been answered here in the last week. :)

Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com
http://www.dvapdongle.com

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3272. Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-15 22:07:54 UTC
From: lkellar@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3272

install apple bonjour for windows and it will install this .dll file

3273. Re: [DVAPDongle] dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-15 22:44:31 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3273

Try step 9 of the install instructions
http://www.dvapdongle.com

-----Original Message-----
From: kresmor@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thu, May 15, 2014 4:38 pm
Subject: [DVAPDongle] dnssd.dll missing

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Andy
M0ZCM

3274. Re: [DVAPDongle] dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-16 15:04:08 UTC
From: kb5wb@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3274

kb5wb@... David

-----Original Message-----
From: Brian Tucker wd4dx@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thu, May 15, 2014 7:57 pm
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] dnssd.dll missing

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Brian
WD4DX

Sent from my iPhone

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Help

Andy
M0ZCM

3275. DVAP not responding after connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-16 19:11:36 UTC
From: brad.luhrsen@...
Topic: 3275 Message: 3275

I'm having trouble with my DVAP responding to my radio after connection with reflector or repeater has been established. It seems to work at first but then locks up and with not allow me to transmit or unlink after having been connected for a bit. I've tried several computers and get the same issue with each. I end up having to force disconnect. Any help appreciated! Thanks

3276. Re: IC92AD Programming for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-17 15:46:48 UTC
From: ted.freitas@...
Topic: 3243 Message: 3276

Hi Chip,

Saw your post and can relate to being frustrated, I just found myself in your situation. Are you still having an issue or did you get it figured out? I'm not sure what "screens" you were expecting to see, but you can see the attached main screen is all you really see. If you want to test the system the quickest way is the just do an echo test.

For the echo test just setup your radio in the following fashion.

UR: DVAP___E
R1: NOT USED
R2: NOT USED
MY: <YOUR CALL>

Key up and then do an echo test and you should hear yourself come back.

Another test you can do is

UR: DVAP___I
R1: NOT USED
R2: NOT USED
MY: <YOUR CALL>

this should kick back your dvap status

Hope this helps!

73's
de/KE6YJC

3277. Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-17 20:54:06 UTC
From: hoblet76@...
Topic: 3277 Message: 3277

Hi all
Can't seem to use the wifi hotspot function on my iPhone 5s to connect to pi and dvap can on my htc desire connects easily
Anyone had this or the solution ? Be great thank you

Martin
2EOSPG

3278. Configuration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-17 01:27:20 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3278 Message: 3278

I am looking for any instructions that might be available for programming the IC 92-AD in a mobile configuration with a DVAP and a Raspberry PI. I have the DVAP working with a Raspberry PI and the 92-AD at home but now I would like to use my Sprint Galaxy4 operating as a hotspot in my car. I have not been able to find any information that helps with the mobile particulars. One final thing, if it might matter, I use RT Systems software generally to program the 92-AD. Any suggestions?
Chip
WB0LBZ

3279. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP not responding after connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-19 14:39:17 UTC
From: Dennisweyer
Topic: 3275 Message: 3279

Hi Brad,
First and foremost Are you using Robin 'a DV Tools software? If not I'm told it is more reliable. Second trying resetting your WiFi box. I do not use any repeater to access a Gateway.
This may sound obvious , but program your DV Dongle to say 145.750
(do not use any dismal points)
Ex. 14575000
If 440 MHz same applies.
This will be a direct connection.
Negating a repeater to use Gateway.
As My Call sign is still forbar.
Still use K1LSU for switching when linking. Hope this helps.
Den

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 16, 2014, at 14:11, "brad.luhrsen@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3280. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP not responding after connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-20 15:33:37 UTC
From: brad.luhrsen@...
Topic: 3275 Message: 3280

Yes I'm using DVAP Tool. Frequency is without any decimal points. I almost always connect straight to a reflector, direct.

The thing is it works for a while (varies). I'm able to connect to a reflector and transmit right away but after some time the dvap stops responding to my radios. I am still connected and can here any activity but the dvap is not picking up my transmission, don't get any lights on the dvap indicating that it is receiving my radio's signal. Software is up to date and everything works right for a bit so I'm led to believe its a hardware problem but I'm at a loss. I've tried it on other wifi networks with the same results so again I don't think its my internet connection.

Brad K9BSL

3281. Re: DVAP not responding after connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-20 14:15:28 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3275 Message: 3281

I have had this happen to me upon occasion with two different DVAPs. In most cases I have had to take the computer down to an unpowered state (in other words, shut down and restart, not just restart) in order to make the problem go away. I suspect its a voltage transient or something that causes it. In my case when this happens the DVAP stops responding both to RF transmissions (quick key to link or unlink) as well as to commands sent from the DVAPTool software. I cannot close the DVAP. So I exit the software and shut down, then turn the PC back on. This has happened twice on one DVAP (in 4 months) and once on the other (over 2 months). It has not become an issue for me.

I suspect that if you exited the program, removed the DVAP, and then reattached the DVAP and restarted the program that would probably work to clear the DVAP, but I've not done that because the PC gets all huffy about the disconnect. It was easier just to shut down and restart.

I doubt if there is anything seriously wrong with your DVAP, however, if you're running your DVAP and Raspberry Pi from the same USB-based adapter, that could produce the kind of transients. I have a DHAP and it has a voltage monitor on the outside so you can see what the Raspberry Pi/DVAP is getting. I have tried multiple different USB power supplies and about the best I can get is 4 watts when both are running. Every now and then it drops down to 3.9 and when that starts happening I go back on the 12 volt power source. But I suspect that when I have had the lock-up problem on the DVAP attached to the Pi, that this was the culprit.

Just my two cents, and probably overvalued by half.

AD0DQ
Tony

3282. Re: Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-21 05:17:18 UTC
From: mark@...
Topic: 3277 Message: 3282

Hi,

Not sure what your issue is here with the Rasp Pi and DVAP and iPhone 5s?

You need to make sure your Rasp Pi's Wireless Dongle is setup correctly with the password, etc... set in your 5S. You should be able to test all of this, with a screen or monitor.

I have used all of this in my setup here with an ICOM ID-880H and it works great.

I suspect your issue is that the setup is not done correctly therefore the Pi and 5S aren't taking to each other to make the connection.

Mark ZL2UFI

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <hoblet76@...> wrote :

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Martin
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3283. Re: [DVAPDongle] Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-21 12:58:50 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3277 Message: 3283

Have you paid the extra to enable the data usage as as standard the hot spot will not work on an iPhone

73 de Bill G4CFP

Sent from Samsung Note II
On 19 May 2014 15:34, "hoblet76@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hi all
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> pi and dvap can on my htc desire connects easily
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> Anyone had this or the solution ? Be great thank you
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3284. Re: Configuration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-21 14:43:03 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3278 Message: 3284

Chip:

If you have the 92 programmed to work with the DVAP, then it should work just as well in the car as it does at home. Are you asking how to program the Pi to work with the Galaxy's modem?

AD0DQ
Tony

3285. Re: [DVAPDongle] "Remote system linked. Receive only" - Ripping my hair out!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-21 20:51:38 UTC
From: kj6omw@...
Topic: 3012 Message: 3285

Just had this issue with a new DVAP, read this thread and didn't see my solution, so I thought I'd share...

Configuration on my end. I have my call sign registered on the local gateway, my 440 node also registered as "B", then added the DVAP to my registration as "D".

In the DVAP Tool, I entered the Station Callsign as "K6PMG D". This resulted in the "connected, receive only" message after linking. I reconfigured the DVAP Tool by dropping the "D" suffix from the station call sign field and the "problem" was solved.

3286. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Configuration Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-22 13:09:52 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3278 Message: 3286

Tony,
I got myself confused by reading to much. I have the 92AD done but have yet to go down the Galaxy road. So, yes making the PI talk to the Galaxy in the next and last step.
Chip

In a message dated 5/22/2014 8:07:03 A.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

Chip:

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AD0DQ
Tony

3287. Re: Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-22 14:35:06 UTC
From: Ernie Bauer
Topic: 3277 Message: 3287

Make sure there are no punctuation or spaces in the name of your iPhone. An underscore is ok. That solved it for me.
73s. Ernie -N1AEW

Sent from my iPhone
Cell: 978 399 3183

3288. Re: [DVAPDongle] Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-22 15:37:47 UTC
From: martin hennessey
Topic: 3277 Message: 3288

Hi Bill

All sorted now this initial connection to pi seemed to require the home router to be turned off
Nothing else on around after that all ok sorted .

The hotspot was fun with O2 i data bolt on was required took a while for them to get the requirement ?? It's a free add on with O2 though .

Thanks for reply

Martin
2E0SPG

> On 22 May 2014, at 16:07, "Bill Bones whbones@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3289. Re: [DVAPDongle] Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-23 09:02:18 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3277 Message: 3289

Hi Martin
Great news and even better with the free data add on from O2. I use a
Note 2 which has the hit spot built in as part of the phone.
I have used my Dvap and Raspberry pi way from home a few times away from
fro home I have 2 wifi setting one for the main wifi at home and the second
on for the phone hot spot and works brilliantly.
Happy hunting
73 de Bill G4CFP

Sent from Samsung Note II
On 22 May 2014 22:30, "martin hennessey hoblet76@hotmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hi Bill

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3290. Re: [DVAPDongle] Wifi hotspot with iPhone and pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-23 14:09:13 UTC
From: phoggberg@...
Topic: 3277 Message: 3290

Martin,
It is interesting that your Pi did not see a WifFi source lsuch as the iPhone, which would have been strong because it was close. Two things to make it better, update the firmware, and/or switch to a BT Connection to the iPhone. I haven't tried the latter, maybe I will I have a BT Dongle for experimenting, that I bought at a big box computer store for $10 so I might try that. I know that Apple really prefers the BT between the iPhone as a hotspot vs wifi. At least that is my interpretation of the text in the hotspot page on my iPhone5S.

My RASPI was purchased about a year ago, and who knows how long it sat upon the shelf before that. My DVAP acted inconsistently so I thought I would update the firmware, yes there is firmware updating on the Pi and you need to do this to get camera updates. Well I did that, and the DVAP has been running without any hiccups. It may not solve anything, or even make your system run worse so I am giving notice that YMMV! In order to make sure that your PI is running the latest software you need to do all of this not just run the firmware update program.

Please before you start read this entire post. I have tried to cover any problems you might encounter, but with LINUX this could be a whole book itself. You will be using some commands that are not in the usualy Pi vocabulary, so please read carefully. If you mess this up it is remotely possible you could brick your PI! if you do you are on your own, do so at your own risk! This worked for me, I can not guarantee that it will work for you.

Here is the sequence to upgrade the firmware on your Pi

sudo bash # get into administrator mode. # apt-get update # Do this as many times as it takes to not down load any files. If you get an error message saying some are not found run it again until it gets clean # apt-get upgrade -y # Do this until no additional software is updated/replaced # apt-get dist-upgrade -y # Do this until nothing else needs to be updated. # apt-get install ntp ntpdate curl -y # Just to make sure everything is tickyboo (see below) # ntpdate -s pool.ntp.org http://pool.ntp.org/ # this will sync your clock to NISTs Master Clock # date # Ensure that Date & time are correct before the next steps. Problems? refer to notes. # apt-get install ca-certificates # If you get a message about being manually installed, will be handled in next step # update-ca-certificates # This will ensure that your certs for https are up to date (this is a required step) # rpi-update # This will update the firmware. # reboot # this will set the firmware in your pi

Notes:
If you are in graphical mode you will need to open a console to enter the above commands in the menu under "other" you will find LXTERMINAL and if you look further down you will find ROOT Terminal if you pick LXTERMINAL you will have to enter sudo in front of many of the commands, unless you do a sudo bash or su -. -- See comments below Pick the root terminal. If you do you can skip entering step one, you are in system administration mode when you open it up. The Hash sign in front of the commands represent the operating system signaling its ready for another command. DO NOT enter the hash sign in front of the commands I just started using using a 7 inch HDMI Monitor hooked to the PI. Unfortunately the screen is almost unreadable. Increase the font size as follows for USA (Change settings as

appropriate for you): sudo dpkg-reconfigure console-setup use UTF-8 encoding Guess Optimal Character set use TerminusBold (Terminal US Bold) I use 14x28 (framebuffer only) use what suits you It starts booting with almost unreadable type but someplace in the boot sequence changes and is very readable for me. You are going to be entering a lot of commands that require privileged access. Typing sudo in front of each one is a pain. When I have some heavy maintenance I just get into root access mode for the maintenance period. The easy way to do that is type sudo bash[Enter] or su - (the latter require root password which probably is not set on the pi) If you choose not to do that just put sudo in front of all the commands above. rpi-update errored with: rpi-update: line 36: curl: command not found There is a problem with the latest release of wget and rpi-update so it uses curl the simple solution is install curl on your system (step 5) then rpi-update will also update itself If for some reason you don't want curl on your system we need to tell rpi-update not to try and get itself. Change line 10 to read # UPDATE_SELF=0 rpi-update which is why the UPDATE_SELF environment variable is set. for some reason my ntpd server was missing. For this process to work you need the pi to have the correct time. Test if you do by typing # date if the correct date/time does not appear enter run rpi-config and make sure the Timezone is set correctly in internationalization options If you change this reboot the pi and check the time again if the correct time still does not appear ps -aux | grep ntp and look for /usr/sbin/ntpd in the output if ntpd is running force an update with (I am using the North American Time servers, find a pool server nearest you sudo ntpdate -s pool.ntp.org if you get an program not found error load ntpdate with sudo apt-get install ntpdate -y if ntpd is not listed in the output load the software with sudo apt-get install ntp ntpdate -y Then reboot the clock on the Pi is notorious for drifting. If you power it up every time you use it, that is not a problem. If you leave it running, you may want to make a crontab entry using the ntpdate command once each day.
NOTEBENE:
If you encounter a problem with this procedure check my notes above to see if it is addressed there. If it is not addressed by my notes and you have a solution, by all means post it to this group! If it is not do not post the solve my error to this group do not email me. The realm of errors that can crop up on an infinitely configureable LINUX System is vast and deep, and depends on how you have set yours pi up. DONT BE LAZY. If you don't know something about the Pi not directly connected with the DVAP or DSTAR and encounter an error there are groups to address this. This is not one of them! Google the error message with Raspberry Pi or Raspian or Debian in the search string to find solutions. I ran into some problems but they are addressed above so you shouldn't encounter any.

This worked for me, You can try it, but realize it is not a mandatory fix. You take full responsibility and liability for using it.
73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@me.com mailto:phoggberg@me.com
K0BSB@arrl.net mailto:K0BSB@arrl.net

3291. Direct Entry

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-24 05:59:32 UTC
From: Bill Little
Topic: 3291 Message: 3291

I've had my 2m DVAP for several years it runs on my MAC with RT Software. No problems.
I am considering upgrading to an ID-51. A fellow ham with an 51 asked me how can I enter a D-STAR address without resorting to up dating the RT program and downloading it to the radio.
I there a quick and hopefully not dirty way to do this?
thanks
Bill VA7ZBL

3292. DVAP RX Power?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-26 19:54:38 UTC
From: vspeeds@...
Topic: 3292 Message: 3292

I originally purchased the DVAP to work with my ID51 handheld and raspberry pi hotspot and I set the HT to the lowest transmit power setting. This set up works great. I since bought the new ID5100.

My question is would the lowest transmit power setting of 5 watts on the ID5100 damage the DVAP? And even more so, if I forget to adjust the transmitting power on the ID5100 and transmit to the DVAP in either the 15, or 50 watt settings, would these settings damage the DVAP? The distance between both antennas would vary from 5 feet to 50 feet.

Thanks in advance for your replies.

3293. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP RX Power?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-27 14:59:43 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3292 Message: 3293

It shouldn’t damage it. Many people have used their 50 watt mobiles to talk 5 ft to the DVAP on the inside of the vehicle.

I suspect that the biggest issue would be how the PI reacts to 50 watts of RF floating around it.
Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, May 26, 2014 3:55 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP RX Power?

I originally purchased the DVAP to work with my ID51 handheld and raspberry pi hotspot and I set the HT to the lowest transmit power setting. This set up works great. I since bought the new ID5100.

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Thanks in advance for your replies.

3294. RE: [DVAPDongle] Direct Entry

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-27 14:57:04 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3291 Message: 3294

Bill,

It’s pretty easy, and a bunch of different ways to do it. Regrettably, “read the manual” is probably the best answer.

Turn to VFO mode, change frequency with dials, set DV
Dependent upon some settings, just transmit, the repeater should respond and with some of the auto functions turned on, will set the RPT1, RPT2, and UR fields. If not, try the RX-CS button, and if all else fails, just go into the Callsign section and enter/change what’s in there for the repeater.

I’ve done it a number of times, it generally takes less time to do than to explain.
Practice is your friend.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, May 24, 2014 2:00 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Direct Entry

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I there a quick and hopefully not dirty way to do this?
thanks
Bill VA7ZBL

3295. Re: Can't get software to run in Ubuntu 14.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-05-28 03:43:36 UTC
From: Donald Karon
Topic: 3295 Message: 3295

I had the DVAP running fine on this computer. It was initially installed under 12.04. The computer was upgraded to 14.04 and it still ran w/o problems. Over the weekend I had to re-install 14.04, this time as a fresh install, not an upgrade.

I re-installed the DVAP software but it won't run. One potential source of problem: the package ia32-libs no longer exists, it's been dropped from Ubuntu 14.04.

Checking permissions I think all is well there but either the software simply does not start or I am told that the file does not exist, even though it does.

Anyone have advice about this?

Don KC6D

On Tue, May 27, 2014 at 7:58 PM, Donald Karon <don.karon@...> wrote:

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> under 12.04. The computer was upgraded to 14.04 and it still ran w/o
> problems. Over the weekend I had to re-install 14.04, this time as a fresh
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3296. DVAP Doogle will not link?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-01 03:59:30 UTC
From: anbjr58@...
Topic: 3296 Message: 3296

My DVAP Dongle will not link. I hit icon button and the software turns on showing the run screen and the screen with the dongle info. I push the PTT button and the MSG: not linked. Icom ID-51A...help.
Thanks

3297. dvap serial number lost after update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-01 09:46:42 UTC
From: johnburns@...
Topic: 3297 Message: 3297

I have a dvap, when I installed the 1.07 firmware the serial number is now AP&&&&& they look like ascii hearts or something. However the serial number on the plastic box reads AP0311xx. I am leaving the last two digits out for security, how do I fix this?

3298. Re: dvap serial number lost after update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-02 13:22:14 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3297 Message: 3298

Hi (didn't get your name).

As I've mentioned here before, you should NEVER try to upgrade the firmware unless told to do so. The firmware has not been in the downloads section for a while so you must have downloaded it from another site. That is also something you should NEVER do.

If you send a direct email, I'll give you instructions for returning your unit for repair.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3299. Re: DVAP Doogle will not link?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-02 14:50:11 UTC
From: don.karon@...
Topic: 3296 Message: 3299

I had something similar occur. It turned out that there were power-saving settings on my laptop that shut down idle USB ports. The laptop saw the USB connected to the DVAP as idle and closed the port. I had to edit a configuration file (the laptop runs Ubuntu) to fix this. I believe there is something similar in Windows.

Hope this helps.

3300. Will DVAP transmit DPRS data?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-05 13:50:18 UTC
From: aldewitt@...
Topic: 3300 Message: 3300

Yesterday I drove from Jefferson City, MO to Auburn, AL. There are repeaters in St. Louis, Tupelo, Birmingham and Auburn. The rest of the time I worked through a DVAP/WI-Fi hotspot combo with generally good audio results so long as the Sprint company provided a decent Wi-Fi signal. FWIW, the Tupelo repeaters are still down from the storm apparently.

During contacts with other users who were using either 880s or 5100s, I got the quick pop up on my radio with the GPS information and distance to their radio. But when I checked today during the entire time that I was on the DVAP I did not get an APRS track, in spite of having multiple QSOs during this eight hour window.

So, I am wondering, will the DVAP transmit the DPRS data?

I usually go to 30C when I am on the road because I can always count on talking to people. Since I do that, I am just wondering if I am eliminating my APRS data by going through the repeater, and if I would be better off linking directly to a repeater via DVAP.

I know that somewhere on this list is someone who knows the answer to this. I'd really appreciate a heads up.

AD0DQ -- Tony

3301. Re: Will DVAP transmit DPRS data?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-06 13:57:14 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3300 Message: 3301

Hi Tony. It is on the enhancement list. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3302. Re: [DVAPDongle] Will DVAP transmit DPRS data?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-06 14:14:11 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3300 Message: 3302

Hi Tony

What radio where you using on your trip and did you have the gps enabled?

73 de Bill G4CFP

Sent from Samsung Note II
On 6 Jun 2014 14:56, "aldewitt@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> repeaters in St. Louis, Tupelo, Birmingham and Auburn. The rest of the
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3303. Re: Will DVAP transmit DPRS data?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-06 19:29:48 UTC
From: wheelerdh@...
Topic: 3300 Message: 3303

It does with my DVAP Pi and ID-31

3304. DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-08 17:54:43 UTC
From: rds@...
Topic: 3304 Message: 3304

Hi,

I'm new here in this group. My name is Rolf / DO1ZZ and I'm new with D-Star too.
Hopefully I'm right here with my problem.

I got few weeks ago a new ICOM IC 7100 for the car mainly working mobile on 10m and 15m.
In the meantime I can also work with D-Star with this transceiver.

2 or 3 weeks ago I bought a used ICOM ID51 together with a red (2m) DVAP Dongle.
I tought it would be a good idea to build with the Raspberry, the dongle, a mobile powerbank
and with my Iphone a mobile or portable access point for D-Star for the areas where no repeater is available.

Reading a lot of articles out of the Internet actually I'm more confused than at the beginning.

The actual situation is, that I downloaded the file from westerndstar.co.uk, expanded the file and wrote it with image writer to a new SD card. The systems boots - so no problem at all.

I found a nice article from Mark Simon - WD9JEN in the Internet, together with this article and the screenshots it tried to setup my Raspberry and the dongle and the ID51 as well.

Unfortunately the program version seems to be actually different as of the date of the guide (dec. 2012) with additional fields etc.

It believe that I make some mistakes with my settings so I have no chance to connect. I can see on the monitor that something happened pressing the mic buttom at the ID51 but it seems it is wrong.

Perhaps someone can provide me with an actual step by step setup or a link to an actual step by step guide or whatever.

I'm registered at D-Star, the wlan works without any problem, the Raspberry is running without any problem, the program starts, I can see the 2 screens with the respective information etc. - there is "only" a wrong setting.

I have worked on this now 2 days with a lot of effort but unfortunately with no result.

So any comment could be helpful and is much appreciated.

Many thanks in advance.

73
Rolf/DO1ZZ
http://www.westerndstar.co.uk

3305. Re: Will DVAP transmit DPRS data?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 01:11:25 UTC
From: aldewitt@...
Topic: 3300 Message: 3305

Thanks Robin. Now I understand the issue.

The DVAP married to a Pi is the very best product for someone like me who has so few repeaters to use. No complaints here.

3306. KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 00:18:02 UTC
From: satguruboy@...
Topic: 3306 Message: 3306

I have tried everything. Really. I would appreciate some help here. Otherwise the dongle is being returned for credit.

Screen shots for the gateway registration available.

This seems to defy logic. How long do you try the same thing excepting different results?

3307. Re: DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 14:05:55 UTC
From: Graham Saville
Topic: 3304 Message: 3307

Hi you maybe better to google "dstar 101" or look on the western dstar web page both have step by step guids
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Regards from Graham Saville
Sent from my Android phone.

3308. Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 14:41:55 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3306 Message: 3308

You have registered an "A" terminal during your registration process. As a result, you need to use an "A" in the 8th character of the mycall field in order to transmit. If you'd like to just use a space there, you will need to follow the instructions as shown at http://www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org for adding a space terminal.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3309. DVAP dongle and raspberry

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 12:06:14 UTC
From: rds@...
Topic: 3309 Message: 3309

Hi,

my name is Rolf and I'm new here in this group.

Yesterday I wrote a new post but it seems it was not published. So I will try it again and will make it a little bit shorter.

I will use the red dongle (2m) with my raspberry as a mobile access point for D-Star. Downloaded from westerndstar.co.uk the software, expanded it and wrote an image file on the SD Card. The rasp will boot without any problems and I can see the 2 programs at the monitor.

Unfortunately I can't connect. Wlan works very well, software and raspberry runs, ID51 is ok, registered at D-Star several weeks ago and can work from my car with IC-7100 without any problem.

I downloaded the guide from Mark Simon - WD9JEN and tried to do the setting step by step he explained within his quide. It seems that I have a newer software version because there are few additional fields actually.

I tried it a whole day without any success. I'm very sure that it is a mistake in my settings at the ID51 or in the software but in don't know where. I can see on the monitor hitting the transmit buttom of the ID51 that something will happened but as explained I will get no return etc.

Perhaps anyone can help me with a link to a guide for a step by step setup with the actual software version or whatever to solve my problems. I have read elsewhere that there is a problem with the DVAP dongle and ircDDBGateways due to some limitations of the programmer and the rights holder. Maybe this is a additional problem too.

Every input is very much appreciated.

Many thanks in advance.

73

Rolf, DO1ZZ

3310. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 14:38:13 UTC
From: martin hennessey
Topic: 3304 Message: 3310

Hi Rolf

Try this video on you tube got me sorted go through all the settings follow in order and exactly how it says
Take a look at this video on YouTube:

http://youtu.be/9Iws5D-eES8

Sent from iPhone

> On 9 Jun 2014, at 13:06, "rds@stegemannpartner.de [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi,
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> I'm new here in this group. My name is Rolf / DO1ZZ and I'm new with D-Star too.
> Hopefully I'm right here with my problem.
>
> I got few weeks ago a new ICOM IC 7100 for the car mainly working mobile on 10m and 15m.
> In the meantime I can also work with D-Star with this transceiver.
>
> 2 or 3 weeks ago I bought a used ICOM ID51 together with a red (2m) DVAP Dongle.
> I tought it would be a good idea to build with the Raspberry, the dongle, a mobile powerbank
> and with my Iphone a mobile or portable access point for D-Star for the areas where no repeater is available.
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> Reading a lot of articles out of the Internet actually I'm more confused than at the beginning.
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> The actual situation is, that I downloaded the file from westerndstar.co.uk, expanded the file and wrote it with image writer to a new SD card. The systems boots - so no problem at all.
>
> I found a nice article from Mark Simon - WD9JEN in the Internet, together with this article and the screenshots it tried to setup my Raspberry and the dongle and the ID51 as well.
>
> Unfortunately the program version seems to be actually different as of the date of the guide (dec. 2012) with additional fields etc.
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> It believe that I make some mistakes with my settings so I have no chance to connect. I can see on the monitor that something happened pressing the mic buttom at the ID51 but it seems it is wrong.
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> Perhaps someone can provide me with an actual step by step setup or a link to an actual

step by step guide or whatever.
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> I'm registered at D-Star, the wlan works without any problem, the Raspberry is running without any problem, the program starts, I can see the 2 screens with the respective information etc. - there is "only" a wrong setting.
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> I have worked on this now 2 days with a lot of effort but unfortunately with no result.
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> So any comment could be helpful and is much appreciated.
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> Many thanks in advance.
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> 73
> Rolf/DO1ZZ
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3311. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 14:55:25 UTC
From: John Dalnes
Topic: 3306 Message: 3311

The A in the callsign is per the instructions on your website. I'm pretty sure I had the A in my call but I will try again. This is not my equipment and my friend lives about 20 miles from me. He's not a computer professional and requires assistance in these matters. I am a DBA for a financial company with 25 years IT experience

On Mon, Jun 9, 2014 at 10:41 AM, aa4rc@interlabs.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3312. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 17:22:13 UTC
From: John Dalnes
Topic: 3306 Message: 3312

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On Mon, Jun 9, 2014 at 11:18 AM, John Dalnes <satguruboy@...> wrote:

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3313. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-09 15:18:24 UTC
From: John Dalnes
Topic: 3306 Message: 3313

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3314. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-10 13:21:17 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3306 Message: 3314
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

If it didn’t work with just the callsign, you need to follow Robin’s instructions and register your callsign without a suffix by adding a “space” terminal to your existing registration. Thousands of Dongles are working just fine.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, June 09, 2014 11:18 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

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3315. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-10 13:57:42 UTC
From: WB5UGC
Topic: 3306 Message: 3315

Robin thanks for adding you commet

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 9, 2014, at 12:22 PM, "John Dalnes satguruboy@... [DVAPDongle]"<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3316. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-10 13:03:59 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3306 Message: 3316

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John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, June 09, 2014 1:22 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

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3317. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-10 14:39:13 UTC
From: John Dalnes
Topic: 3306 Message: 3317

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3318. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-10 21:43:42 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3306 Message: 3318

First, registration is not required to use a D-STAR radio. It's very possible that you could have been talking through a repeater for years and never had (or never had a correct) terminal registered.

Registration is only needed if you are trying to link a repeater, call sign route, or to connect to D-STAR via the Internet. While there was mention in the past of the utility of having an "A" terminal, it's only for specific situations and not generally recommended, specifically for the problem that you are having.

If you have registered only an "A" terminal, then to perform any of the functions that require linking, you must include the A in the 7th position of your call sign. If you have the space registered as a terminal (as per Robin's document at the link that he provided) then you do not need to put anything but your call sign in the call sign field.

As a professional, you should have done a search on the forum and found that this issue has been covered many times in the past. Many times. The "fix" is simple, add an "A" to the call sign or add a space terminal.

It's definitely not worth a dozen email and all of the irritation that it seems to have caused.

Ed WA4YIH

Sent with Outlook Web App

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3319. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-10 22:21:36 UTC
From: martin hennessey
Topic: 3306 Message: 3319

Hi john
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Yeah the A confused me a bit on gateway registration I just deleted and hit the space bar voila sorted .

Regarding the dvap it's an amazing bit of kit I can connect via PC at home or mobile using pi and id51 mobile it's a totally new world of friendly people and very helpful as well .

Basis commands and I am no expert 8 symbol in memory u unlink, repeater calling plus node c 2 metre or b 70 cm them L 8th position there's even ccs calls dtmf that allow direct connection to another amateur it's pretty cool stuff .

Robin has a good bit of kit here that allows many people from anywhere with internet connection either wifi and 3 g or 4 g to chat away keep plodding away asking questions we are here to help ! I asked people and many kind people gave me advice emails files examples even icf files that you can edit and use on your radio .DSTAR is probably the most chatty and friendly experience I have had on amateur radio so far .

Regards 2E0SPG

Sent from iPhone

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3320. Re: Can't get software to run in Ubuntu 14.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-11 05:03:13 UTC
From: don.karon@...
Topic: 3295 Message: 3320

More about this problem of mine: I checked all the file permissions (from another computer that successfully runs DVAPTool), file names, file sizes, dates, etc., and they were correct.

I am pretty certain DVAPTool doesn't run in 14.04 because of missing 32 bit libraries. The old package that handled this has been “deprecated”, i.e., is no longer available.

Supposedly, for 14.04 the new way to install 32 bit support is to run these three commands in a terminal session:

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sudo dpkg --add-architecture i386
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install libc6:i386 libncurses5:i386 libstdc++6:i386
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I ran them, rebooted, but still get this error message when I try to run DVAPTool:

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./DVAPTool: error while loading shared libraries: libgthread-2.0.so.0: cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory
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The problem is not solved. I think it traces back to incomplete 32 bit support in the newest version of Ubuntu 14.04 64 bit. I am continuing to work on this, will post again if I solve it.

KC6D

3321. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-11 12:23:45 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3306 Message: 3321

You do need to register if using a Dongle or DVAP.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, June 10, 2014 5:44 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

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It's definitely not worth a dozen email and all of the irritation that it seems to have caused.

Ed WA4YIH
Sent with Outlook Web App

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Robin
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3322. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-11 20:10:28 UTC
From: rds@...
Topic: 3304 Message: 3322

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Nice to see nothing on the screen.

Anyway, many thanks again for your assistance.

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Rolf, DO1ZZ

3323. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: KK4QKL link receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-11 18:08:16 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3306 Message: 3323

Well said Martin, I couldn't agree more.

Dave
2E0DCE

> On 10 Jun 2014, at 23:21, "martin hennessey hoblet76@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3324. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-12 07:18:58 UTC
From: martin hennessey
Topic: 3304 Message: 3324

Hi Rolf that's a pain I just went with the explanation off the programming I suppose is a bit tough to capture on screen .
I found the most crucial bit was the call sign and gateway both with callsign in caps and the node letter for 2 metre dongle and c for 70 cm B .
Tell him to keep plodding away ,one word of advice when he does get it going make a second image with back up card just in case .

Regards

Sent from iPhone

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-12 13:12:42 UTC
From: WB5UGC
Topic: 3306 Message: 3325

Eight years ago the one thing I remember s to forget every thing you know about networking. Its was the D-star 101 class in about 2005 or 2006. At that time the USA had only three dstar repeaters in operation.

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 10, 2014, at 4:43 PM, "'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle]"<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3327. Dongle gone deaf & dumb

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-20 19:51:57 UTC
From: adamc1999@...
Topic: 3327 Message: 3327

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I then decided to use it on my Mac ruining Mavericks

I followed the driver installation instruction, and installed the dvtool app as well as selected the no-nap option for the app.

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Is there something that perhaps needs to be reset?

Adam

KF5SLN

3328. Re: Dongle gone deaf & dumb

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-22 12:47:14 UTC
From: Don Wilbanks
Topic: 3327 Message: 3328

The problem is App Nap in Mavericks. Here's how to turn it off...

http://www.cultofmac.com/253064/how-to-turn-app-nap-off-for-specific-apps-on-your-mac-os-x-tips/

73,

Don

AE5DW

3329. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-21 21:33:31 UTC
From: markhg1161@...
Topic: 3304 Message: 3329

This is a little bit out of left field but...all of a sudden my DVAP will not stay linked for more than 2 minutes after I link to a reflector using the Pi. I have connected it to my iMac and there are no problems. Once I link it stays linked to a reflector. Any thoughts on this from anyone?

73's Mark
WA2DIY

3330. Re: DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-22 14:37:28 UTC
From: mathurasai@...
Topic: 3304 Message: 3330

http://youtu.be/1wnmBOW0gcU http://youtu.be/1wnmBOW0gcU
Really good step by step tutorial here! There are 3-4 sections.

3331. RE: [DVAPDongle] Dongle gone deaf & dumb

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-25 14:00:13 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3327 Message: 3331

I know it sounds like a dumb response, but I have to ask. Are they on the same frequency and are you sure that the HT is transmitting (i.e. simplex) on the same frequency?

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, June 20, 2014 3:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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3332. FS: 70cm DVAP Dongle, New

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-26 18:45:35 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3332 Message: 3332

I have a new condition DVAP Dongle for sale. It is in new condition with all cables etc., exactly like a new one. From the website: The DV Access Point (DVAP) Dongle 70CM connects to your PC or Intel based Mac via a USB port and provides a 70 cm Access Point for use with a D-STAR radio, such as the IC-92AD, ID51 or ID31. Using an Internet connection, a user may connect to and communicate with D-STAR gateways and reflectors around the world.
$255 shipped CONUS

Drop me an email to n9aa at arrl dot net

73,
Scott, N9AA

3333. FS: New Condition 70cm DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-26 20:47:04 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3333 Message: 3333

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3334. Dvap Dongle and Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-25 21:56:09 UTC
From: Bill Little
Topic: 3334 Message: 3334

I have run my Dvap and iMac (2007) for several years with great success. Upgraded to Mavericks, the Dvap quits and locks up my Mac desktop. Apply have checked and found my pc in great shape. They removed app nap just in case. Problem persists. All other programs working well.
Suggest solution lies with Robin and Apple.
73 bill VA7ZBL

3335. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-26 21:36:11 UTC
From: hexbeam1@...
Topic: 3304 Message: 3335

Hi I was wondering if any1 can help me plz to setup my id5100 to dvap Looking how to setup I have the dv tool all setup it's just the radio setting Tnx kev 2m0onw

3336. Re: DVAP RX Power?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-26 22:08:35 UTC
From: hexbeam1@...
Topic: 3292 Message: 3336

Hi there I was wondering can you help me with my id5100 for the dvap I'm in scotland I have the dvap tool running on my pc It's the filling in the parts on id5100 I don't know Regards kev 2m0onw

3337. Re: DVAP won't connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-27 03:44:11 UTC
From: wheelerdh@...
Topic: 6 Message: 3337

Is this currently a factor? I'm getting the same thing now, but it had been working fine. Curious.

3338. DVAP Links ok but I am not being heard.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-27 18:08:04 UTC
From: n3fqg@...
Topic: 3338 Message: 3338

My DVAP connects to reflectors ok, but no one can hear me. Was working yesterday but I ma a entry to my registration for the DVAP and now it wont talk, but once again it says remote system linked.

3339. DVAP and 92 AD connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-28 03:00:45 UTC
From: alabastrxbeb@...
Topic: 3339 Message: 3339

Hello to all,

I cannot seem to get the Icom 92 AD to talk to the DVAP and the computer.

I believe I have all settings on the 92 are correct. Could someone advise?

Thank you.

Ben, W1VM

3340. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and 92 AD connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-29 00:48:25 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3339 Message: 3340

Ben,
I remember having an issue with the repeater 2 field and in which column the G was placed. As I remember the G needs to be in column 8. I use RT Systems software, I could send you a file that I use if you by chance use RT Systems.
Chip
WB0LBZ

In a message dated 6/28/2014 6:11:43 P.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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Thank you.

Ben, W1VM

3341. Re: DVAP Links ok but I am not being heard.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-29 11:00:48 UTC
From: Kelly McGuire
Topic: 3338 Message: 3341

Seems to have fixed it's self some how. Perhaps it was with the system ?

3342. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and 92 AD connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-29 15:01:31 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 3339 Message: 3342

If I am not mistaken, you do not put anything in rpt1 or rpt2. Also try using dup- or + with a zero offset. And also try just simplex.

--Fran

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3343. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and 92 AD connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-29 19:51:15 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3339 Message: 3343

You are correct, I was looking at the normal repeater connections. Sorry for any confusion.

In a message dated 6/29/2014 2:38:14 P.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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3344. Re: FS: New Condition 70cm DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-30 14:55:43 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3333 Message: 3344

Price drop on this: $225 shipped, CONUS.

73,
Scott, N9AA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <scott.manthe@...> wrote :

I have a new condition DVAP Dongle for sale. It is in new condition with all cables etc., exactly like a new one. From the website: The DV Access Point (DVAP) Dongle 70CM connects to your PC or Intel based Mac via a USB port and provides a 70 cm Access Point for use with a D-STAR radio, such as the IC-92AD, ID51 or ID31. Using an Internet connection, a user may connect to and communicate with D-STAR gateways and reflectors around the world. $250 shipped CONUS

Drop me an email to n9aa at arrl dot net

73,
Scott, N9AA

3345. Re: FS: New Condition 70cm DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-01 05:56:24 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3333 Message: 3345

The DVAP dongle has been sold!

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Drop me an email to n9aa at arrl dot net

73,
Scott, N9AA

3346. Re: DVAP Dongle and Raspberry PI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-06-30 15:26:41 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3304 Message: 3346

I would get the RT Systems software and use it to program your 5100.

The RT Systems software has a specific tool in the D-Star calculator that sets up the 5100 for a DVAP and allows you to program a host of repeaters and reflectors.

Others may have different advice, but that’s what I do.

AD0DQ
Tony

3347. DVAP "RECEIVE ONLY"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-06 19:51:30 UTC
From: youha@...
Topic: 3347 Message: 3347

When I acquired a DVAP a few years ago, both 2 meter and 70cm it worked perfectly. I was under the registration of K6MDD which has since gone black. I am re-registered via W6CX, following the latest instructions, and with a lot of playing around with registration update, I am still in a receive only status. I tried with the A...no A following the call sign on the DVAP app...no difference. I entered the required info in that chart section of the registration process as well. I guess it is correct. I have a screen capture of my registration page if need to assist to find out what is going on.

Dave WA6UHA

3348. DVAP to DVAP connections

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-06 23:11:55 UTC
From: gabrielknight00us@...
Topic: 3348 Message: 3348

This might be a stupid question but is there anyway to connect DVAP to DVAP therefore bypassing repeaters and reflectors? Is that possible? When I try, for example, K5XXX--L I get "gateway unknown" but I know the other station is using a DVAP. As you can tell with this question I'm new to D-Star and my knowledge is rudimentary at best. Thanks.

3349. Re: DVAP "RECEIVE ONLY"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-08 12:56:29 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3347 Message: 3349

Hi Dave. I looked on REF030 and the logs showed that you connected with your dvap yesterday and had a conversation there. Your registration looks good:

USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[WA6UHA] [W6CX]

TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
[WA6UHA] [KJ4PXY A]

Where are you having issues?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3350. Re: DVAP to DVAP connections

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-08 12:56:53 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3348 Message: 3350

That's on the todo list...

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3351. Error Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-10 11:21:01 UTC
From: les-g0jnt@...
Topic: 3351 Message: 3351

I cannot get the dvap software to work on my laptop.
I get an error message,.....The ordinal 80 could not be located in the dynamic link library FTD2XX.dll.
My OS is Vista 32 bit.
Any help would be welcome.
Thank you.
Regards,
Les G0JNT.

3352. Re: Error Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-10 23:05:25 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3351 Message: 3352

Hi Les. You are running an old version of the FTDI drivers. Go to FTDI Chip Home Page http://www.ftdichip.com

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View on www.ftdichip.com http://www.ftdichip.com
Preview by Yahoo

and download the latest VCP drivers for your platform and install them.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3353. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Error Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-11 12:34:10 UTC
From: Les G0JNT
Topic: 3351 Message: 3353

Hi Robin, the problem has now been resolved, thanks for your help.
73,
Les
G0JNT.

----- Original Message -----
From: aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle]
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, July 11, 2014 12:05 AM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Error Message

Hi Les. You are running an old version of the FTDI drivers. Go to FTDI Chip Home Page

FTDI Chip Home Page USB RS232 - FTDI designs and supplies USB semiconductor devices with Legacy support including royalty-free drivers. Application areas include USB RS232,...
View on www.ftdichip.com Preview by Yahoo

and download the latest VCP drivers for your platform and install them.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3354. Serial Number apparently corrupted after firmware upgrade

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-11 14:47:46 UTC
From: wb4ult@...
Topic: 3354 Message: 3354

I was trying to do a firmware upgrade to my DVAP and it appears I corrupted the serial number. The dialog box says "It looks like the USB is connected to a device other than a DVAP" and the serial number field does not start with "AP" as my other one does. If I try a "connect" it says "gateway unknown"

Is there a fix? I can send some screen shots of the dialog boxes if needed.

Rick WB4ULT

3355. Re: dvap serial number lost after update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-12 11:47:36 UTC
From: wb4ult@...
Topic: 3297 Message: 3355

Robin,

Would you send me your email address so I can get instructions to send my DVAP back for repair?

Rick Harrelson
WB4ULT@hotmail.com

3356. Re: Serial Number apparently corrupted after firmware upgrade

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-12 22:16:56 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3354 Message: 3356

Hi Rick. You should NEVER update the firmware without being told to do so. You should NEVER use firmware that isn't on the official site.

Also, you should ALWAYS check this forum before doing something like that. It has been discussed here several times before.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3357. Re: dvap serial number lost after update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-12 22:18:53 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3297 Message: 3357

If you go back to the version you were running before the update, it should fix the problem.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3358. Re: Non-Mavericks OSX 10.8 Mac DVAP is Napping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-19 16:06:55 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 3241 Message: 3358

As far as I know, there is not an App Nap feature on any release prior to Mavericks. You might check your Energy Saver settings in system preferences. It could be that the computer is going to sleep. Prior to Mavericks, I moved my computer sleep settings to Never.

Also, I have now been running Mavericks since the day it was released. Other than figuring out the "App Nap" setting for the DVAP, I have not experienced any problems attributed to Mavericks. The company I work for does almost all of their software development on Mac. All of them are running on Mavericks and I have not heard any complaints. So, it's been out for a while now, it might be safe to upgrade now if you have any desire to do so. If not, there certainly nothing wrong with what you are running.

73,
WB5SLA

3359. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Non-Mavericks OSX 10.8 Mac DVAP is Napping

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-20 16:02:56 UTC
From: PE1KZU
Topic: 3241 Message: 3359

Hi,

To prevent your Mac from falling into sleep you may also want to have a look at this,
http://lightheadsw.com/caffeine/

73,
Bert

-kzu-

markn@... [DVAPDongle] schreef op 7/19/14 6:06 PM:

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WB5SLA

3360. Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-27 18:17:32 UTC
From: joe_hankins@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3360

I'm brand new user of Dvap and Dstar, which makes makes my rank "Moron, Jr Grade. IT would be helpful if there was a list of good places to connect to in order to listen and learn.

3361. Re: [DVAPDongle] Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-27 23:16:18 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3360 Message: 3361

Try REF030C or REF001C. Both are fairly busy reflectors and give you
someone to talk with.

73 - Jeff VE6EFR

On 14-07-27 12:17 PM, joe_hankins@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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3362. RE: [DVAPDongle] Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-27 23:36:34 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3362

The busiest reflectors are REF030C and REF01C. There is a complete listing of reflectors with content at www.dstarinfo.com<http://www.dstarinfo.com>. There is also a list of nets that you might want to check into.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, July 27, 2014 2:18 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Active Dstar places to listen to

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3363. Re: [DVAPDongle] Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-28 03:49:08 UTC
From: AN
Topic: 3360 Message: 3363

Lots of good information here, connect to REF012A.

PAPART PAPA D-STAR Round Table Net Thu 20:00:00 Pacific
Daylight Time 03:00:00 REF012A

http://www.dstarinfo.com/nets.aspx

Have fun,

Andy

On Sun, 27 Jul 2014, joe_hankins@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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3364. Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-28 11:38:16 UTC
From: k4whe@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3364

DPLUS Usage Monitor http://nj6n.com/dplusmon/

DPLUS Usage Monitor http://nj6n.com/dplusmon/

View on nj6n.com http://nj6n.com/dplusmon/
Preview by Yahoo

You can see where people are (on DPlus) in real time.

3365. Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-28 14:53:15 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3360 Message: 3365

I would second the information on the D-Star Roundtable. I have found it to be very helpful. The Papa System is probably one of the more advanced D-Star systems, and there is lots of good information on Reflector 12A on Thursday nights. I would urge you to listen in.

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3366. Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-28 22:27:47 UTC
From: kc9ony@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3366

You are not a moron. There is a learning curve for both the DVAP and D-STAR. The others posted good places to listen to. I have been around D-STAR for a while, but just bought a used DVAP on impulse. So, there are things I would need to learn as well
I would prefer the term "Newbie, Jr. Grade" instead of moron.

73,
Tom KC9ONY

3367. Re: Dongle gone deaf & dumb

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-29 13:05:31 UTC
From: k4ygd@...
Topic: 3327 Message: 3367

Did you ever find a solution to your problem? I had my dvap do the same thing. It will open but not respond to commands.

Russ, K4YGD

3368. Re: Dongle gone deaf & dumb

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-29 13:34:47 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3327 Message: 3368

Your DVAP may be slightly off frequency. Try changing your radio up/down 5/10 kHz while keeping the frequency in DVAPTool unchanged. Then key up and see if it notices your commands. If so, there is a simple utility in the downloads section (DVAP Util) that you can use to adjust the frequency.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3369. Re: Dongle gone deaf & dumb

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-30 02:00:12 UTC
From: Russell Pierce
Topic: 3327 Message: 3369

This worked in my case. I just started DVAP Utilities and keyed up my ID-31A and used the utilities to adjust the frequency to center. DVAP then started taking connect commands just fine. Thanks for a timely and accurate fix.

Russ, K4YGD

3370. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-30 01:52:52 UTC
From: kb5wb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3370

Amen ! it does take a bit to learn d-star

kb5wb@... David

-----Original Message-----
From: kc9ony@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Tue, Jul 29, 2014 7:11 pm
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

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73,
Tom KC9ONY

3371. Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 03:21:39 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3371

Just got the ID-51A programmed with RT Systems software and cable, using the D-STAR Calc.

Included and selected REF030C and can hear stations, but apparently I am not being heard. I tried the recording function, so I believe the DVAP is passing audio. I have called CQ and called stations I heard after they cleared from QSO's, but am getting nowhere.

I also loaded a bunch of D-STAR repeaters, and am hearing no "tail" after I un-key the mic after calling CQ.

Is there something simple that I am missing? Any ideas and help for this newbie are very much appreciated.

73,

Jerry
W2TXB

3372. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 05:44:47 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3372

Jerry TXB wrote:

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> but apparently I am not being heard. I tried the
> recording function, so I believe the DVAP is passing
> audio. I have called CQ and called stations I heard
> after they cleared from QSO's, but am getting nowhere.

Are you sure that you are registered correctly?

I am not an expert, but I went to this page

http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php

put in your call sign and do not see any terminals registered.

You could also go here: http://ref030.dstargateway.org/

while you're operating and see if your call sign shows up.

I could be wrong, and if so, someone will surely correct me.

Good luck to you in getting everything working smoothly.

Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

3373. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 07:55:48 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3360 Message: 3373

Hi Jerry,

When you log on to a reflector I think you are in receive only mode.

If you check your D-Star registration you will see you need to complete the registration process.

Go back to K2BWK and follow the screen prompts to complete.

Good luck

Dave 2E0DCE

> On 31 Jul 2014, at 04:21, "w2txb@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> 73,
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> Jerry
> W2TXB
>

3374. Re: [DVAPDongle] Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 10:19:21 UTC
From: Larry White
Topic: 3360 Message: 3374

REF001C, an REF030C 2 of most talked on Reflector

KI4TGI
lewhite@sccoast.net
On Jul 27, 2014 5:02 PM, "joe_hankins@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3375. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 12:05:28 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3375

I cannot find which screen prompts need to be completed.

3376. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 12:36:00 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3376

I transmitted on the REF030C and the DVAP said, "remote system linked receive only"; when I transmitted again, it said, "link currently established."

3377. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 13:12:46 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3377

This not a tail that you will hear. If you watch the signal meter, you may or may not see a see a carrier stays up for a second after your transmission. What you usually see is the repeater ID on the data line of your radio after you unkey. In some cases, you may hear a beep on your radio after a transmission. This is not a courtest tone from the repeater, but one generated by your radio. You maynot hear a tone with every transmission.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, July 30, 2014 11:22 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Just got the ID-51A programmed with RT Systems software and cable, using the D-STAR Calc.

Included and selected REF030C and can hear stations, but apparently I am not being heard. I tried the recording function, so I believe the DVAP is passing audio. I have called CQ and called stations I heard after they cleared from QSO's, but am getting nowhere.

I also loaded a bunch of D-STAR repeaters, and am hearing no "tail" after I un-key the mic after calling CQ.

Is there something simple that I am missing? Any ideas and help for this newbie are very much appreciated.

73,

Jerry
W2TXB

3378. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 13:18:33 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3378

Log back into the repeater where you registered and add a “space” terminal according to the instructions on the document at www.dstargateway.org<http://www.dstargateway.org>. Until you add a terminal, your registration is not complete. Also, make sure your callsign is entered into the MY or MYCALL field in your radio.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2014 8:05 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

I cannot find which screen prompts need to be completed.

3379. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 13:20:23 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3379

That’s definitely an incomplete registration issue. I checked your callsign and you do not have any terminals added. The document I sent earlier details how to complete the registration process.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2014 8:36 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

I transmitted on the REF030C and the DVAP said, "remote system linked receive only"; when I transmitted again, it said, "link currently established."

3380. Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 14:11:40 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3380

John,

I logged back into the registration page and added the "space" in the box provided; seems I missed that earlier... when I scrolled through the box, there was not even a "space". I then entered "w2txb-dvap" into the longer "pcname" field on the right and then selected "Update".

Now to try it out.

By the way, thanks to you and the rest of the group for the assistance. I am (obviously) brand new to this, and have a lot of learning to do.

73,
Jerry

3381. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 14:20:04 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3381

John,

I added the space and filled in the pcname field as directed, then saved /updated it. This should work, but all I am geting on REF030C are the same voice messages and repeatedly hearing the call sign of KE5BSB.

3382. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 14:24:22 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3382

I checked the ref030 page and my call is not listed there; maybe there is a long delay (similar to that of Yahoo! Groups) before it will appear. I completed the registration (added the space in the box and added the pcname (cw2txb-dvap), then saved it. The registration site showed that it was confirmed. Still not working, unless there is a substantial delay between completion of registration and when it actually allows connections.

3383. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 15:36:25 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3360 Message: 3383

Since my last post your call is now registered ok. It does take a little while for your call to populate.

When you no longer get the receive only mode message you will be good to go, and will see your call on the system.

Don't forget to switch your rpt2 (to field) to cqcqcq after connecting to the reflector otherwise you will get the message that you are already connected.

Sorry if this post crosses with other answers

Enjoy

Dave
2E0DCE

> On 31 Jul 2014, at 15:24, "w2txb@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> I checked the ref030 page and my call is not listed there; maybe there is a long delay (similar to that of Yahoo! Groups) before it will appear. I completed the registration (added the space in the box and added the pcname (cw2txb-dvap), then saved it. The registration site showed that it was confirmed. Still not working, unless there is a substantial delay between completion of registration and when it actually allows connections.
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3384. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 16:12:51 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3384

I see you added a terminal. By “space”, it means to just hit the space bar to add a space in that box. You entered a valid PC-name. If you entered something else in the box for the space, delete that terminal and add one with just the “space”. Then enter you callsign with no extra characters in the DVAP software. That should get you going. It may take a couple of hours to sync with gateways around the world, but you should be good then.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2014 10:24 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

I checked the ref030 page and my call is not listed there; maybe there is a long delay (similar to that of Yahoo! Groups) before it will appear. I completed the registration (added the space in the box and added the pcname (cw2txb-dvap), then saved it. The registration site showed that it was confirmed. Still not working, unless there is a substantial delay between completion of registration and when it actually allows connections.

3385. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-07-31 22:42:20 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3385

The "space" in entered was with the spacebar, so that should be OK. I will check it again to see if it is good on the server.

If not, then I will be back with more questions and frustration. I keep telling myself, "this will work, one way or the other."

Thanks again,

Jerry

3386. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-01 00:52:09 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3386

Dave,

Now I need to find out how to change that RPT2 setting to CQCQCQ. Once I find it, should that always be left at CQCQCQ?

Jerry

3387. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-01 02:38:03 UTC
From: w9hpx.4@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3387

Dave,

Whoever told you to put CQCQCQ in the RPT2 field was wrong. CQCQCQ belongs in the UR field. Since you are using an ID-51 and assuming you have your DVAP frequency in either the VFO or a memory, do a long press on the CS key. This will show you what is currently in UR, R1, R2 and MY. W2TXB should be in MY. If CQCQCQ is not already in UR, short press CS to bring up a list you can select to put into UR. CQCQCQ should be first on the list. Press the blue enter button to select it. You will go back to the previous screen and CQCQCQ should now show in UR. You can key up and it should work.

73 Roland W9HPX

3388. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-01 03:32:49 UTC
From: w2txb@...
Topic: 3360 Message: 3388

Roland,

Thank you for the assist here as well. This site is a great source of information, especially for those of use who are learning a new mode. Much of this time I thought the problem was in the DVAP and its programming, but it turned out to be in the programming of the radio to properly Link and Unlink and then Talk.

You were my second D-Star QSO on Ref030C, and sounded great, as did Rick (K3RIC). Now that I am seeing how this works, it all makes more sense... there definitely is a method to the madness. ;)

Many thanks again to all here for the help with getting me on the air.

73,

Jerry - W2TXB

3389. Rasberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-01 19:25:36 UTC
From: bborch@...
Topic: 3389 Message: 3389

Unable to connect to to Rasberry LAN port to configure DVAP. I only get red led on Rasberry, not sure if software is running on Pi. I have tried different disk images, but I am wondering if they are only for the B board and not the B+. Anxious to get going and definitiley not a Linux guru. Anyone else experiencing B+ issues? Any patches or configs to B+ to resolve my issue?

Thanks..... Burl, AJ9Q

3390. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-01 13:42:16 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3390

Jery:
What radio do you have? It’s the UR you change to CQCQCQ. I vaguely remember you have an ID-51A. Go to www.dstarinfo.com<http://www.dstarinfo.com> and there is a quick guide to the ID-51A.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2014 8:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Dave,

Now I need to find out how to change that RPT2 setting to CQCQCQ. Once I find it, should that always be left at CQCQCQ?

Jerry

3391. Re: Rasberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-01 22:11:21 UTC
From: n8gy@...
Topic: 3389 Message: 3391

I have a Pi B+ and if you are only getting the red power light then the image is not booting. I have found my image works fine in the Pi B but when I took the micro card out of its holder and stuck it in the B+ it would not boot. I put it back in its holder and it booter on the B Pi.

I burned another image to another card and it booted on the B and B+ pi.

Seems that the B+ is a little tempermental. Both cards were new Sandisk Ultra 16GB class 10 cards

Regards,

Tom, n8gy

3392. Re: Rasberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-02 13:37:42 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3389 Message: 3392

The Model B+ has a new chip handling the ethernet and USB ports, so you need a recent kernel and some updated firmware.

Perform "apt-get update" and "apt-get upgrade" and you should be good to go with the B+. Might want to back up the SD card first.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3393. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-02 15:03:10 UTC
From: Burl Borcherding
Topic: 3393 Message: 3393

Hi Ken

I am not familiar with these commands/Linux. Is there a location or script that will provide instructions?

Thanks….. Burl AJ9Q

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, August 02, 2014 9:38 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Rasberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

The Model B+ has a new chip handling the ethernet and USB ports, so you need a recent kernel and some updated firmware.

Perform "apt-get update" and "apt-get upgrade" and you should be good to go with the B+. Might want to back up the SD card first.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3394. Re: Rasberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-02 19:33:40 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3389 Message: 3394

My latest image supports the B and B+ models. Based on G4KLX.

Here is the image:
https://www.dropbox.com/s/979wr6xye5otssn/yoz-rpi-dvap-single-0602.zip
https://www.dropbox.com/s/979wr6xye5otssn/yoz-rpi-dvap-single-0602.zip

Here is the doc:
KC4YOZ DVAP Node Setup http://www.metro-uhf.org/kc4yoz/dvap/yoz-setup-instructions.html

http://www.metro-uhf.org/kc4yoz/dvap/yoz-setup-instructions.html

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DVAP Node Setup Instructions

View on www.metro-uhf.org http://www.metro-uhf.org/kc4yoz/dvap/yoz-setup-instructions.html
Preview by Yahoo

Ken - KC4YOZ

3395. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-03 10:54:01 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3360 Message: 3395

Hi Jerry,

Sounds like you have it all figured out now. So to recap in the 'to' field just hook up to the reflector of your choice first, then change to cqcqcq for the rest of the session. Then 'U' to unlink when your finally all done.

If your using the ID-51 the Rpt2 field is the 'To' field not the 'from' and all the basic settings are in the memory already.

73

Dave
2E0DCE

> On 1 Aug 2014, at 01:52, "w2txb@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Dave,
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> Now I need to find out how to change that RPT2 setting to CQCQCQ. Once I find it, should that always be left at CQCQCQ?
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> Jerry
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3396. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry PI B Plus image file for DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-03 13:41:06 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3393 Message: 3396

This is perhaps the best write up I've seen so far on the B+

What does/doesn't work anymore | Introducing the Raspberry Pi Model B+ | Adafruit Learning System https://learn.adafruit.com/introducing-the-raspberry-pi-model-b-plus-plus-differences-vs-model-b/what-doesnt-work-anymore

https://learn.adafruit.com/introducing-the-raspberry-pi-model-b-plus-plus-differences-vs-model-b/what-doesnt-work-anymore

What does/doesn't work anymore | Introducing the ... https://learn.adafruit.com/introducing-the-raspberry-pi-model-b-plus-plus-differences-vs-model-b/what-doesnt-work-anymore What does work! Just about all our Pi plates work fine (except for the Wolfson Audio plates, see below!) They just may overhang the USB/Ethernet port side by 1/2cm

View on learn.adafruit.com https://learn.adafruit.com/introducing-the-raspberry-pi-model-b-plus-plus-differences-vs-model-b/what-doesnt-work-anymore
Preview by Yahoo

Pay particular attention to the "What doesn't work" section. There are a lot of articles on Linux on the web... Google it.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3397. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-03 13:50:00 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3360 Message: 3397

There seems to be some confusion. The UR field is the TO field on the 31/51/5100/7100. The FROM field is a combination of the RPT1and RPT2. You can see this in the programming software.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, August 03, 2014 6:54 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Hi Jerry,

Sounds like you have it all figured out now. So to recap in the 'to' field just hook up to the reflector of your choice first, then change to cqcqcq for the rest of the session. Then 'U' to unlink when your finally all done.

If your using the ID-51 the Rpt2 field is the 'To' field not the 'from' and all the basic settings are in the memory already.

73

Dave
2E0DCE

On 1 Aug 2014, at 01:52, "w2txb@yahoo.com<mailto:w2txb@yahoo.com> [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:

Dave,

Now I need to find out how to change that RPT2 setting to CQCQCQ. Once I find it, should that always be left at CQCQCQ?

Jerry

3398. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Active Dstar places to listen to

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-03 21:37:53 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3360 Message: 3398

Thanks for the correction John, my mistake.

Jerry, the cqcqcq or reflector choice will be in the UR field when you program the 'To' field with your memory content on the ID-51.

Holding down the 'CS' button for a second or two will show your settings.

Dave 2E0DCE

> On 3 Aug 2014, at 14:50, "John Davis wb4qdx@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> There seems to be some confusion. The UR field is the TO field on the 31/51/5100/7100. The FROM field is a combination of the RPT1and RPT2. You can see this in the programming software.
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> John WB4QDX
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> Jerry
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3399. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-04 15:20:52 UTC
From: pedro_y_pinacolada@...
Topic: 1533 Message: 3399

Hello,

I have the same issue on MAC OSX last vervions and DVAPTOOL V1.04.

I've changed the cable but nothing more than the same message.

Any help ?

3400. TX is good at first, then becomes unreadable...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-06 17:01:07 UTC
From: isa.dxb@...
Topic: 3400 Message: 3400

Hi.

New user here. Got my DVAP red accesspoint all setup. I can link, talk, and listen. Problem is as above - after a while (5-10 sec) they tell me i get unreadable, from being fully clear in the beginning of the QSO.

Tried on two diff pc´s with same result. Have good internet connection.

Anyone?

Brgds/

3401. DVAP with Verizon DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-06 22:35:26 UTC
From: n3fqg@...
Topic: 3401 Message: 3401

Will a DVAP work with Verizon DSL service ? Some have said that Echolink will not so I am wondering if a DVAP will.

3402. Re: TX is good at first, then becomes unreadable...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-07 12:17:11 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3400 Message: 3402

Hi. Try doing an echo test for 30 or more seconds ("DVAP___E" in urcall where there are 3 spaces between DVAP and E). That will tell you if the issue is with the DVAP or not.

Make sure you are on the lowest power setting on your radio.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3403. Re: [DVAPDongle] TX is good at first, then becomes unreadable...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-07 12:54:13 UTC
From: G4VPD
Topic: 3400 Message: 3403

Similar problems here with 70cm dvap.
Still havnt found a cure
Mike g4vpd

Mikes iPhone

> On 6 Aug 2014, at 18:01, "isa.dxb@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi.
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> New user here. Got my DVAP red accesspoint all setup. I can link, talk, and listen. Problem is as above - after a while (5-10 sec) they tell me i get unreadable, from being fully clear in the beginning of the QSO.
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> Tried on two diff pc´s with same result. Have good internet connection.
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> Anyone?
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> Brgds/
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3404. Re: DVAP with Verizon DSL

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-08 13:21:31 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 3401 Message: 3404

My DVAP/Macbook combination works well at home and at vacation QTH, both of which have cable service, but when I take the same equipment to our summer house which has Fairpoint DSL, it doesn’t work. Fairpoint took over from Verizon in this part of the country. What is really puzzling is that it will work sometimes, but rarely.

73 ~ Paul K1CGZ

3405. ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 01:17:15 UTC
From: herrinb@...
Topic: 3405 Message: 3405

I have run into a problem with an ID 51A that has several experts scratching their heads. Long story short - two different ID 51As. One works well in all functions, including manipulating, listening to and talking over a DVAP. Another from a different purchase does all the above but won't talk over the DVAP. Two identical radios, both set up exactly the same way (I used RT Systems software to make both radios identical).. I also used two different DVAPS, one 2M and the other 70 cm. Same issue. Has anyone experienced this? Anyone have any solutions?I did a full reset on the questionable radio before programming it to match my original radio.Software operating the DVAP is unlocked (not exclusive to the call sign entered into the software).I'm scratching my head!Thanks!BobKE4JLL

3406. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 07:27:21 UTC
From: Bill Bones
Topic: 3405 Message: 3406

Hi Bob

Have you tried to reset the offending radio and starting again but not using the RT software by just programing your hot spot and a single reflector?

73 de Bill G4CFP
Sent from Samsung Note II
On 13 Aug 2014 04:13, "herrinb@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I have run into a problem with an ID 51A that has several experts
> scratching their heads. Long story short - two different ID 51As. One works
> well in all functions, including manipulating, listening to and talking
> over a DVAP. Another from a different purchase does all the above but won't

> talk over the DVAP. Two identical radios, both set up exactly the same way
> (I used RT Systems software to make both radios identical).. I also used
> two different DVAPS, one 2M and the other 70 cm. Same issue. Has anyone
> experienced this? Anyone have any solutions?I did a full reset on the
> questionable radio before programming it to match my original
> radio.Software operating the DVAP is unlocked (not exclusive to the call
> sign entered into the software).I'm scratching my head!Thanks!BobKE4JLL
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3407. DVAP via computer only.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 03:44:15 UTC
From: w4dui@...
Topic: 3407 Message: 3407

If I install a DVAP, can it be used like the DV Dongle via the computer without a radio also?

3408. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 11:44:35 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 3405 Message: 3408

Have not tried that, but it's worth a try.

> On Aug 13, 2014, at 3:27 AM, "Bill Bones whbones@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi Bob
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> Have you tried to reset the offending radio and starting again but not using the RT software by just programing your hot spot and a single reflector?
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> 73 de Bill G4CFP
> Sent from Samsung Note II
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3409. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP via computer only.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 12:28:36 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 3407 Message: 3409

Sorry, no

--Fran

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On Tue, Aug 12, 2014 at 11:44 PM, w4dui@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> If I install a DVAP, can it be used like the DV Dongle via the computer
> without a radio also?
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3410. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 12:40:51 UTC
From: Barry
Topic: 3405 Message: 3410

Hi,

I programmed my ID-31A with the RT Software and it communicates fine with my DVAP dongle and hotspot.

Make sure you have your callsign, RPT1 and RPt2 values correct.

Cheers,

Barry VK6SP.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, 13 August 2014 7:45 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

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73 de Bill G4CFP
Sent from Samsung Note II

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3411. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP via computer only.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 12:42:45 UTC
From: Barry
Topic: 3407 Message: 3411

Hi,

I’m sure you can’t do that. The whole point of the DVAP is to provide a connection between your computer and the d-star radio.

Cheers,

Barry VK6SP.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, 13 August 2014 11:44 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP via computer only.

If I install a DVAP, can it be used like the DV Dongle via the computer without a radio also?

3412. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP via computer only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 14:36:40 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3407 Message: 3412

A DVAP serves as an interface between the RF of a D-STAR radio and the internet.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ
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> Posted by: "Barry" <barrysymone@...>

3413. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-13 17:48:13 UTC
From: Joe Hankins
Topic: 3405 Message: 3413

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hanks,

Joe KN4JH

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> Internal Virus Database is out of date.
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3414. Re: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-14 14:54:55 UTC
From: <jblake8061@...>
Topic: 3405 Message: 3414

Make sure you have a _ _ (space) in your call sign on your DVAP software. Check your gateway and make sure it is the same. I had the same problem with my IC-5100/ID-7100 (kinda went crazy and got both radios), after I added the space in my call on the DV tools screen all was well.

Jack/AI4LL

Sent from Windows Mail

From: Joe Hankins joe_hankins@lexcominc.net [DVAPDongle]
Sent: □Wednesday□, □August□ □13□, □2014 □1□:□48□ □PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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Sent from Samsung Note II

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3415. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP via computer only.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-14 15:01:43 UTC
From: <jblake8061@...>
Topic: 3407 Message: 3415

No it will not work. I try it just for _ _ _ _ s and giggles. No luck. Must have a D-Star radio. If you buy the blue dongle don’t need a radio. I would suggest using the DVAP, (red dongle) and picking up a little Icom HT that has D-Star. I think they have a special on one of those now as a close out.

73’s and good luck

Jack/AI4LL

Sent from Windows Mail

From: w4dui@att.net [DVAPDongle]
Sent: ☐Tuesday☐, ☐August☐ ☐12☐, ☐2014 ☐11☐:☐44☐ ☐PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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3416. 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 04:31:59 UTC
From: wd6fox@...
Topic: 3416 Message: 3416

I just bought the DHAP, but having trouble setting the UHF DVAP, so I uninstalled and hooked it up to my computer... It will not allow me to change the freq to what I want? For Example.. 441.00 It says invalid Freq.Can Anyone please help?

Thanks,
Sean
WD6FOX at Gmail.com

3417. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 13:15:39 UTC
From: Stanley Hess
Topic: 3416 Message: 3417

I think it requires entering all of the trailing zeros.

Stanley Hess N3KDA

On Fri, Aug 15, 2014 at 12:31 AM, wd6fox@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Thanks,
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> Sean
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3418. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 13:15:45 UTC
From: <jblake8061@...>
Topic: 3416 Message: 3418

What is a DHAP? If you are using the DVAP (Red Dongle), when you hit the “Close Button” on the software, the frequency window should be highlighted and you should be able to change it to what you want. I am using 441.0000 which was the simplex frequency programed into my 7100/5100 radios. Since it only puts out 10mw, I just use that frequency. Are you using DV_Tool 1.04?

Good Luck

73, Jack AI4LL

Sent from Windows Mail

From: wd6fox@aol.com [DVAPDongle]
Sent: ☐Friday☐, ☐August☐ ☐15☐, ☐2014 ☐12☐:☐31☐ ☐AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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Thanks,

Sean

WD6FOX at Gmail.com

3419. Re: 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 13:20:51 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3416 Message: 3419

Hi Sean. Please read the DVAP usage instructions Using the DVAP http://www.dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html where is shows the frequency should be entered in Hz. Your example would be 441000000.
73,
Robin
AA4RC

Using the DVAP http://www.dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html Enter the following values in the URCALL field on your radio: "DVAP I" (request voice ID from the DVAP) "DVAP E" (key down and speak for echo test)

View on www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com/Using_the_DVAP.html
Preview by Yahoo

3420. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 13:21:54 UTC
From: N6gvg
Topic: 3416 Message: 3420

Stupid question time for me, are you sure it's a UHF DVAP and not a VHF DVAP? Just wondering, I have both and mixed them up once and got the invalid freq response.

Ralph N6GVG

Sent from my Samsung Epic™ 4G

"wd6fox@aol.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Sean

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3421. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 12:23:33 UTC
From: AN
Topic: 3416 Message: 3421

Try adding a few more 0 (zeroes) at the end. For example, 441.00000, there should be 5 zeroes after the dot.

HTH

On Fri, 14 Aug 2014, wd6fox@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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3422. RE: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 15:18:21 UTC
From: Murray Baughman
Topic: 3416 Message: 3422

NO DECIMAL
441000000

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, August 15, 2014 9:16 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

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Sean

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This email is free from viruses and malware because avast! Antivirus protection is active.
http://www.avast.com

3423. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 18:04:26 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3416 Message: 3423

I don't believe that a decimal point should be used in this field.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

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3424. RE: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-15 18:23:32 UTC
From: Dave Billeci
Topic: 3416 Message: 3424

Sean,

When you enter the frequency, do not enter the decimal, (eg. 441000000).

Have fun,

Dave WA6UHA

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, August 14, 2014 9:32 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] 70cm DVAP Prob Pls Help!

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3425. RE: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-16 02:17:59 UTC
From: Barry
Topic: 3405 Message: 3425

Hi Joe,

I’ve used two different methods, both of which work.

In the RPT1 field you need to type the callsign of your DVAP.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, 14 August 2014 1:48 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] ID 51A and DVAP communication problem

I'm having the same problem with my 51A. Just to be sure, what are the correct values? There is nothing in my RPT1 or RPT2.

hanks,Remember, your entry must have 8 characters. Your callsign KN4JH has 5 characters. Therefore, enter your callsign, then two spaces, and then type either “b” if you have a UHF dongle or “c” if you have a 2 metres dongle. In the Rpt2 field, do the same, except type a “G” instead of the “B” or “C”. Of course don’t type the quotation marks.

I have also got mine working in each of the fields, instead of my callsign, typing DVAP followed by 3 spaces and then the 8th character just the same as my previous examples. So if you have a 440 mhz dongle, you could type dvap b and dvap g.

The final character must go in the 8th place otherwise it won’t work.

I hope this helps.

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Internal Virus Database is out of date.

3426. FOR SALE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-19 13:01:53 UTC
From: benybarr@...
Topic: 2713 Message: 3426

ICOM 880 brand new with power supply and mag mount antenna $300 take it all.
please contact me off list at 516-732-5411
Thank you Ben KC2RXV

3427. Re: Dropping audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-21 17:08:56 UTC
From: konrad.kubit@...
Topic: 2616 Message: 3427

Hello Robin,Thanks for pointing that out. I have been having that issue ever sice i got the id51a.
Thank you for your great software.
73
Konrad Kubit kc9nuw

3428. Proper DVAP Commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-24 00:13:29 UTC
From: wd6fox@...
Topic: 3428 Message: 3428

Hello All!
I need some clarification for my DVAP's (UHF & VHF) that I have mounted in my DHAP, and the proper way to program my ICOM IC-92AD

For the Reflectors I have (3) Memories fir each reflector;
1) REF012AL - Used to link to the reflector - In the "Your Callsign" I have REF012AL and DIRECT in the RPT-& RPT-2
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I see other commands in other code plugs, is that correct?

Also if I want to connect to a D-star repeater, does it have to be gateway compatable to connect?

Thank & 73's
Sean Fox
WD6FOX

3429. Re: Proper DVAP Commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-24 01:57:25 UTC
From: digitaljem@...
Topic: 3428 Message: 3429

You don't need #2... you only need one memory with U in the 8th position. This will act as a "universal" unlink command for whatever it is being sent to. This way you only "need" to have memories for the link commands, and the Unlink is universal.
When dealing with a dvap, all RPT fields are DIRECT

I do believe any repeater you connect to via the DVAP will need to be gateway compatible, since you're connecting directly to it via the internet (through the DVAP).

3430. Re: Proper DVAP Commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-24 03:09:39 UTC
From: wd6fox@...
Topic: 3428 Message: 3430

Thanks for the reply... 73's Sean

3431. RE: [DVAPDongle] Proper DVAP Commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-24 12:00:08 UTC
From: Brad Kellison
Topic: 3428 Message: 3431

#1 is correct

#2 is not correct. The correct way to UNLINK is to only put the letter U in the 8th character spot. No other characters in the unlink line but the letter U.

The rest is correct/

To connect to a repeater it as to have a gateway or internet connection to connect with the DVAP unless you are close enough to it to connect with the radio itself

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, August 23, 2014 8:13 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Proper DVAP Commands

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3432. Re: Dvap Dongle and Mavericks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-24 21:12:38 UTC
From: dkwolfe@...
Topic: 3334 Message: 3432

On the MAC DVAP "Get Info" window add a check mark to General/"Prevent App Nap" check box.
This will cause a problem like you describe.
David
KG1H

3433. for sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-25 17:34:30 UTC
From: benybarr@...
Topic: 3433 Message: 3433

92AD with desk charger,DVAP 2 meters , raspberry pi with a card. all in mint condition
$600 take it all plus shipping !!!
Please call 516-732-5411
Ben Barr KC2RXV

3434. Strange R2D2 !

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-26 20:26:19 UTC
From: ki6nhy@...
Topic: 3434 Message: 3434

Hi Robin , I have a problem that you may be able to help me with ! I have 7 parrots that live with me . They stay in a room downstairs at my home . Lately late at night when I am upstairs in my shack , I hear from downstairs your voice saying " Not Currently Linked " followed by much laughter , chuckling , and R2D2 sounds . My question to you sir is – Should I be worried ? Best Regards to you and the group , George / W6GTT

3435. OT - DVAP on ebay

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-27 02:04:14 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3435 Message: 3435

Internet Labs VHF DVAP DSTAR Hotspot 2 meter
http://www.ebay.com/itm/301292596006?ssPageName=STRK:MESELX:IT&_trksid=p3984.m1555.l2649

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Very nice Internet Labs 2m DVAP in perfect working order. No box included, just DVAP and original USB cable. What you see is what you get. Instructions fo...

View on www.ebay.com
http://www.ebay.com/itm/301292596006?ssPageName=STRK:MESELX:IT&_trksid=p3984.m1555.l2649
Preview by Yahoo

3436. Re: Strange R2D2 !

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-08-27 20:20:33 UTC
From: Terrence R. Redding
Topic: 3434 Message: 3436

Hmm, I have one African Grey, and have a similar problem, less the laughter.

My suggestion, stopp laughing at the birds.

Smiles….

Terry - W6LMJ

Terrence R. Redding, Ph.D.
Redding South Observatory
Supported by OLT Research Institute
AAVSO, IOTA, RTN

Hi Robin , I have a problem that you may be able to help me with ! I have 7 parrots that live with me . They stay in a room downstairs at my home . Lately late at night when I am upstairs in my shack , I hear from downstairs your voice saying " Not Currently Linked " followed by much laughter , chuckling , and R2D2 sounds . My question to you sir is – Should I be worried ? Best Regards to you and the group , George / W6GTT

3437. DVAPTool Scrolling Log on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-03 05:38:32 UTC
From: rdquaife@...
Topic: 3437 Message: 3437

HI,

Sorry if this has already been addressed but I searched and could not find a specific command.

How do you open DVAPTool in the Terminal on a Mac in order to be able to see the scrolling log? I have used the open DVAPTool.app command but it simply opens the program. I do not see the log running in the Terminal.

Thanks in advance for the assist!

Ron
K0RDQ

3438. Re: DVAPTool Scrolling Log on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-04 11:31:29 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3437 Message: 3438

Hi Ron. From your terminal window, type DVAPTool.app/Contents/MacOS/DVAPTool to start the app manually.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3439. DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-06 14:42:32 UTC
From: wy7btb@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3439

I have a 70cm DVAP connected to a Windows 8 laptop. The driver seemed to install correctly and the DVTool shows that it hears the RF. But it doesn't respond to any of the commands or even the CQ. I have tried everything including reinstalling the driver and even running it on a mac. All of the system logs seem ok, I don't get any error messages. As far as the radio it is an ID51 my call is set correctly and I am in simplex DV with the same frequency as the DVAP. All I'm getting on the DVAP is a slow blinking blue light when it is open and I get a slow green light when it isn't.

Thanks,
Bill WY7BTB

3440. Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-06 23:55:46 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3440

Hi Bill.

Your DVAP may be slightly off frequency. Try changing the frequency of your ID51 up 1 kHz at a time (while keeping your DVAPTool frequency fixed on the original frequency). If it doesn't start responding by 5 kHz up, try going down 1 kHz at a time from the original frequency until it starts responding.

If you find the frequency high or low, you can use the DVAP Utility from the downloads page on www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com to re-center your DVAP. When it is running and you have connected and started, key up your radio to see the spectrum on the display. Then use the calibration arrows to move the frequency until it is centered.

If you have problems with it, send an email to support@dvapdongle.com and I'll walk you through it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3441. Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-07 11:46:12 UTC
From: wy7btb@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3441

Robin, Thanks for your help! It took a little trial and error with the Utility Tool but I got her dialed in.

Bill WY7BTB

3442. disabling app nap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-11 17:15:23 UTC
From: atlasgriffin@...
Topic: 3442 Message: 3442

i have an older i-mac that i upgraded to OS X 10.9 (bad idea). the dvap froze after a few minutes. after some research i found that i had to disable app nap by the get info function in reference to the dvap.

fast forward, i just bought a mac book pro, same problem. however.....when i use get info to disable app nap, there is no disable app nap block in the get info box. the i-mac and the mac book pro are both running 10.9.4 but yet i have no disable app nap on the mac book pro, i guess it might be because it is a laptop and apple wants to insure long battery life. i have read in a forum where there is a temporary fix via a command text entry but you have to do it after every re-boot.

bottom line, does anyone know how to permanently disable app nap on a mac book pro when running the dvap?

many thanks,

ben

3443. Re: disabling app nap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-12 15:02:12 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 3442 Message: 3443

I have a MacBook Pro running Mavericks. The app nap toggle is in get info. The DVAP runs fine. You must be overlooking something.

73 ~ Paul

Sent from my iPhone

3444. For Sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-12 23:31:10 UTC
From: benybarr@...
Topic: 3444 Message: 3444

DVAP 2 Meters + ICOM 92ad +desk charger + Raspberry PI.
$500 takes all. i will ship any where in the lower 48
Please contact me off list 516-732-5411 Call or text
Ben Barr KC2RXV 73's

3445. Re: disabling app nap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-14 21:11:09 UTC
From: atlasgriffin@...
Topic: 3442 Message: 3445

Paul -

thanks for your comments, i purchased the mac book a couple of weeks ago, i don't know if the fact it is a new model has anything to do with my problem. i select the dvap and get info and find no box for the app nap. on my older i-mac (same os) i do the same commands and there is a box in the get info menu for disabling app nap.

as you said i'm probably just missing something.

thanks again for your post.

73

ben

3446. New file uploaded to DVAPDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-15 23:15:54 UTC
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 3446 Message: 3446

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the DVAPDongle
group.

File : /Memory Programming for a DVAP.pdf
Uploaded by : wb4qdx <wb4qdx@...>
Description : Setting up memories for a DVAP

You can access this file at the URL:
https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/files/Memory%20Programming%20for%20a%20DVAP
.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
https://help.yahoo.com/kb/index?page=content&y=PROD_GRPS&locale=en_US&id=SLN15398

Regards,

wb4qdx <wb4qdx@...>

3447. Untested Version of Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-15 14:47:53 UTC
From: aldewitt@...
Topic: 3447 Message: 3447

Recently I noticed when my DVAP software fires up, the first line says something about an untested version of Windows. Is this something I need to worry about, or is an update coming that addresses the issue?

3448. Re: Proper DVAP Commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-15 14:52:12 UTC
From: aldewitt@...
Topic: 3428 Message: 3448

I am sitting here kicking myself in the head!

I have an unlink for every repeater. And yet, if I had simply analyzed it, I would have recognized as you so eloquently put it, that the unlink command is universal and will unlink anything.

Thanks for pointing out what I had been way too stupid to see!

t
AD0DQ

3449. ZUsing a DVAP with the 51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-15 23:15:18 UTC
From: wb4qdx@...
Topic: 3449 Message: 3449

I see questions constantly from new ID31/51 owners about programming for a DVAP. I decided to prepare a document that shows a couple of ways to setup your handheld to use a DVAP. The document is Memory Programming for a DVAP.pdf in the Files section.

John WB4QDX

3450. Re: Untested Version of Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-17 18:48:01 UTC
From: loren@...
Topic: 3447 Message: 3450

What version of Windows are you running?

3451. Re: disabling app nap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-20 00:58:17 UTC
From: liber214@...
Topic: 3442 Message: 3451

I just got my DVAP and am using it with my iMac, running Mavericks. I have no problems, but I don't understand what you are calling APP NAP and on what file and where are you doing a get info? Am I missing something?

Tony
wa2lnc

3452. New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-20 02:09:51 UTC
From: vk6jkr@...
Topic: 174 Message: 3452

Greetings All from Perth, Australia

I have just purchased a DVAP dongle and have just finished setting it up.
Thought I would just pop my head in and say hello.

I have been doing some reading on this group and a big thank you to those who contribute.
Reading some of the conversations have made the setting up process an easy one.

I look forward to contributing where I can.

One question I do wish to ask:

Does anyone know how to set up an IC2820 into cross band repeater mode on DV??

I assume it is possible and as I have bought the DVAP to create a hotspot for Perth D-Star users using the UHF DVAP unit I have here and using the 2820 to cross band repeat out on 2m.
I hope it is possible. Any hints would be greatly appreciated.

regards

Jeff
VK6JKR
Perth Australia

3453. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-20 15:20:18 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 174 Message: 3453

Hi Jeff,

Give this a try:

IC-2820H Setup

1. Set the Left Side to 2 Meter and Right Side to 440MHz

2. Under DV SET MODE in the menu, set Digital Monitor to AUTO

3. Set the repeater frequency up with the proper offset on the appropriate band side and select that as MAIN

4. Set the non-MAIN band to a simplex channel

5. To enable Crossband Repeat, perform the following:

1. Set both bands’ mode to FM

2. Hold both band knobs then push and hold F key until the radio beeps.

(Push AND Hold Both RIGHT and LEFT Band Knobs until you hear a BEEP

WHILE STILL HOLDING KNOBS, Press the "F" button (between the right vol/sql knob and band knob)

until it BEEPS and you see the "Skeleton Key" Icon Flash on the upper right side of the display)

3. The Lock symbol will flash to indicate crossband mode.

4. To exit crossband mode, push and hold the F key until the radio beeps and/or key icon

(in upper right corner of display) disappear

Other Radio (or Handheld) Setup

1. Set the radio to the 2820's non-MAIN frequency

2. Turn on DUP mode (can be either + or -) and set the offset to 0.000 MHz.

The radio will transmit and receive but stay on the same frequency.

3. Set the radio to DV mode

4. Set up the D-STAR callsign parameters as though it were a regular repeater.

(UR=CQCQCQ, RPT1={RepeaterPortB}, RPT2={RepeaterPortG},MY={Your Call Sign}

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, September 19, 2014 10:10 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User

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No virus found in this message.

Checked by AVG - www.avg.com <http://www.avg.com>
Version: 2015.0.5315 / Virus Database: 4158/8232 - Release Date: 09/18/14

3454. Re: New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-20 18:04:57 UTC
From: kc9ony@...
Topic: 174 Message: 3454

Jeff,
I haven't tried it, but check out this posting on the IC-2820H Yahoo Group:

Icom IC-2820H https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/Icom_IC-2820H/conversations/topics/1840

There were some that said it couldn't be done, but others said it worked.
You can probably search the conversations within that group for more.

Also check out:
D-Star Cross Band Repeater
http://ki6mpa.wordpress.com/2011/04/14/d-star-cross-band-repeater/
and
Cross Band http://ak6ak.net/Info/CrossBand.html

See if any of those sites help at all.
I had saved these links, but again haven't tried them out.

73,
Tom KC9ONY

3455. Re: disabling app nap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-20 22:04:48 UTC
From: liber214@...
Topic: 3442 Message: 3455

Never mind...I figured out what you guys were talking about.

Tony
wa2lnc

3456. Error: No DV AP Dongle Found!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-21 18:08:01 UTC
From: k4swl@...
Topic: 3456 Message: 3456
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi, Group,

I hope someone can help:
I re-installed Win 7 on my shack PC a couple months ago. Before the install, my DVAP Tool worked flawlessly.

I repeated the same steps to re-install the DVAP tool as I did initially, but this time I kept getting an error window in the DVAP tool stating that the DVAP couldn't be found.

The green light on the DVAP was flashing properly and the Windows device control panel showed the DVAP with updated drivers and working.

After trying to troubleshoot for a day, I decided just to completely re-install Win 7 as I loved using the DVAP.

After formatting and re-installing the OS a second time, I did all of the steps to re-install the DVAP tool as well.

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I've attached a screen grab from the DVAP tool and dialog window. Does anyone have any ideas how to remedy this? I miss my D-Star! :)

Cheers,
Thomas

3457. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-22 09:33:46 UTC
From: vk6jkr@...
Topic: 174 Message: 3457

Hi Ted,

It's it easy once you know how !!
Thanks for the info.

Strange the 2820 doesn't cross band repeat in DV mode !!

7'3 and thanks

de
Jeff
VK6JKR

3458. Re: New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-22 09:35:21 UTC
From: vk6jkr@...
Topic: 174 Message: 3458

Hi Tony,

Thanks for links. Got the instructions and got it going first time.

Thanks and regards

de
Jeff
VK6JKR

3459. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-22 11:26:00 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 174 Message: 3459

Hi Jeff,

As I understand it doing DV crossband would require two DVSI AMBE chips, or maybe a duplex version of the chip.

Anyway, glad it is working.

73
Ted
W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, September 22, 2014 5:34 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP User

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3460. Re: [DVAPDongle] Error: No DV AP Dongle Found! [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-22 11:58:59 UTC
From: Tom Witherspoon
Topic: 3456 Message: 3460

As means of an update (I actually posted the message yesterday, but it must

have been held in moderation) it is now working for the most part. I
changed one Windows setting which allowed for auto (not manual) updates.
After that, the DVAP loaded and actually connected.

The DVAP tool doesn't always understand the command to disconnect from a
reflector and there are other quirks, but at least it's workable now. I can
manually close the port if it doesn't disconnect.

Cheers,
Thomas

http://QRPer.com
"Less is more!"

On Sun, Sep 21, 2014 at 6:08 PM, k4swl@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Thomas
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3461. Re: DVAP Dongle w/DVAPTool 1.04 and the ID51a -- Programming DR memory Issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-23 19:41:15 UTC
From: 7k1bib@...
Topic: 2698 Message: 3461

Luther and all,

I created the same DR settings as yours for my DVAP and it works fine in order to access reflectors.

However, it didn't work well with repeaters. I tried to put a repeater in the "To" field but I cannot select the "Gateway CQ" menu.

Any suggestions will be appreciated.

Best,

Taka 7K1BIB

3462. iPad and DVAP Donglr

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-29 01:01:54 UTC
From: liber214@...
Topic: 3462 Message: 3462

Does anyone know if anybody is working on a DVAP dongle that would work with an iPad?

Tony
wa2lnc

3463. Re: iPad and DVAP Donglr

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-09-29 15:49:30 UTC
From: Anthony L. DeWitt
Topic: 3462 Message: 3463

I heard Robin talk about this at Dayton, I think, and what he said was that Apple wants a piece of anything you put on the iPad or iPhone, and for that reason, that it was both unprofitable and unworkable to design for that operating system. That’s why I got a Galaxy tablet (I use it for nothing else but my 5100) because I believe the time may come when the DVAP will work with the Galaxy and Android systems, but that it is unlikely given Apple’s “engulf and devour” strategy that an app will come out that marries the DVAP and the IPAD.

Sad, but greed has a price.

Tony
AD0DQ

3464. Not connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-03 10:54:57 UTC
From: kb3ayy33@...
Topic: 3464 Message: 3464

Ok I can't seem to get my Dvap up and running.
I have my Radio set Mycall= kb3ayy/ID51
UR=CQCQCQCQ
R1=DIRECT
R2=DIRECT
DONGLE
STATION CALL=KB3AYY C Lock Callsign is locked
FREQ=147555000
DVAP DEVICE=COM3

In Dvap tool says
Ignoring transmit while not connected<cqcqcq >
Not sure why I am not connected any answers would be great.
Thx Ed

3465. Re: DVAP via computer only.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-05 03:30:41 UTC
From: va2dbj@...
Topic: 3407 Message: 3465

If you have the (blue) DVAP gusted the computer if you have the DVAP (red) you need a radio d-star

73 from Robert Brosseau va2dbj

3466. Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-05 15:47:48 UTC
From: pu2tkl@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3466

Dear,
I have the same problem, can not connect the radio to DVAP Tools. Already used the DVaputil, but could not solve ..

Can you help me?

Gilvan

3467. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 02:24:11 UTC
From: jimbo
Topic: 3439 Message: 3467

http://www.dvapdongle.com/Home.html
On 10/5/2014 8:47 AM, pu2tkl@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
> Dear,
> I have the same problem, can not connect the radio to DVAP Tools.
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> Gilvan
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3468. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 02:26:57 UTC
From: jimbo
Topic: 3439 Message: 3468

1.

8. Download the DVAPTool application file using a web browser by enteringhttp://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPToolInstaller.exeand run it to start the install wizard.

1.

‣9. You are ready to go to the Using the DVAP page listed at the top of this page. If you receive a missing library notification when you run DVAPTool, download the Bonjour installer from

http://support.apple.com/kb/DL999

Installing on Mac OS X Leopard or later

1.

‣The DVTool application will only run on an Intel based Mac running Leopard or later. Install FTDI drivers fromhttp://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htmprior to connecting the DV Access Point Dongle. Once installed, plug in the DV Access Point Dongle and download the DVAPTool archive athttp://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-mac.dmgand open the file. Drag the DVAPTool application to your desktop or Applications folder. You can then proceed to the Using the DV Access Point Dongle page listed at the top of this page.

Installing on Linux

1.

‣Drivers for the FTDI USB chip used by the DV Access Point Dongle are included in most Linux distributions. Plug in the DV Access Point Dongle and download the DVAPTool archive athttp://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-linux.tgzand extract to your Desktop. You can then proceed to the Using the DV Access Point Dongle page listed at the top of this page. Note that some distributions like Ubuntu include an accessibility package called brltty that must be uninstalled before DV Dongle use. Newer versions of Ubuntu may require disabling the Modem Manager.

DV Access Point Dongle Installation

On 10/5/2014 8:47 AM, pu2tkl@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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3469. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-04 01:37:35 UTC
From: Robert Brosseau
Topic: 171 Message: 3469

Hello to all;

I aver a DVAP dongle (red) my laptop conform is ok the software DVAPTools 1.04 vr.
1-Station Callsing: VA2DBJ A
2-Lock callsing; the X is on
3-Frequency
(HX) 146.500 simplex
4-DVAP
Device; Com9 the laptop conform is ok no errors.
The green
light is plinking softer.
I click on
OPEN on the software the name; DVAP dongle come on and the serial number
The power;
is set 10 dBm and the squelch is set -84
dBms
PS; The blue
light is on/off faster
The radio
IC-92 I ave.
1-The frequency
is set at 145.000 MHz simplex DV-A
2-I click
menu I go the CALL SIGN (5)
IN
UR;CQCQCQ 6 LETTE ONLY
IN R1;
DIRECT
IN R2; DIRECT
MY; VA2DBJ /
ID92
I test from
the radio transmit both the DVAP non respace please help me thank you.
73 from va2dbj Robert Brosseau

3470. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 05:17:05 UTC
From: Tony Mac
Topic: 171 Message: 3470

1 ... The DVAP and 92AD shud be on the same freq, according to your info
they are not.
2 ... All DV shud be on the "B" band and not the "A" band of the 92
3 ... You may need to put your call sign into RPT1 andRPT2 with a "C"
and "G" in the 8th pos.

Tony

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> The green light is plinking softer.
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> I click on OPEN on the software the name; DVAP dongle come on and the
> serial number
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> The power; is set 10 dBmand the squelch is set -84 dBms
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> PS; The blue light is on/off faster
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> 1-The frequency is set at 145.000 MHz simplex DV-A
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> 2-I click menu I go the CALL SIGN (5)
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> IN UR;CQCQCQ6 LETTE ONLY
> IN R1; DIRECT
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> IN R2; DIRECT
> MY; VA2DBJ / ID92

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> I test from the radio transmit both the DVAP non respace please help
> me thank you.
> 73 from va2dbj Robert Brosseau
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3471. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 10:13:00 UTC
From: tom.w1tg@...
Topic: 171 Message: 3471

Hi Robert,

Match the frequency on the radio to the frequency on the Dvap.

73

Tom - W1TG

3472. Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 13:27:41 UTC
From: pu2tkl@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3472

Dear,

thanks for the messages but still with the problem as I comment below:

a) My DVAP is red
b) Frequency UHF - 70 cm
c) Radio IC 92ad

I have done all the settings using the frequency 438.000 MHZ DV mode
My settings:

URL: REF018BL
RP1: NOT
RP2: NOT
MY: PU2TKL / ID92AD

Ic 92ad:
I can not connect the DVAP tools.

Pressing the PTT to sweep below grows to the maximum squelch, but does not connect with the DVAP.

Already used the DVAPutil and have not had success.

I have a radio ic 880H with the same settings and usually connects to DVAP Tools.

Anyone ever had this same problem and managed to solve ??

I appreciate any help.

gilvan

3473. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 14:37:49 UTC
From: Kevin Morgan
Topic: 3439 Message: 3473

Make sure your "MYCALL" is just your callsign. E.g. "AB2ZI" not "AB2ZI
B" Unless you have your call WITH the B or C registered with your
gateway separately.

That was stopping mine from working (transmit) initially.

73, Kevin AB2ZI

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Kevin J. Morgan AB2ZI <kmorgan6@...>
Blog: http://ab2zi.blogspot.com/
Photos <http://www.flickr.com/photos/44030661@N03/>

3474. Re: [DVAPDongle] Not connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 08:15:23 UTC
From: Kevin Morgan
Topic: 3464 Message: 3474

I had a similar problem. It was the registration on the gateway. In the MY callsign field just enter your call without any additional letters. Don't use the "C" (or "B" if you're using the uhf DVAP).

That's what did it for me.

Kevin J Morgan AB2ZI kmorgan6@...

> On Oct 3, 2014, at 6:54 AM, kb3ayy33@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Ok I can't seem to get my Dvap up and running.
>
> I have my Radio set Mycall= kb3ayy/ID51
>
> UR=CQCQCQCQ
>
> R1=DIRECT
>
> R2=DIRECT

>
> DONGLE
>
> STATION CALL=KB3AYY C Lock Callsign is locked
>
> FREQ=147555000
>
> DVAP DEVICE=COM3
>
>
>
> In Dvap tool says
>
> Ignoring transmit while not connected<cqcqcq >
>
> Not sure why I am not connected any answers would be great.
>
> Thx Ed
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>

3475. Re: [DVAPDongle] Not connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 15:50:38 UTC
From: pu2tkl@...
Topic: 3464 Message: 3475

Kelvin,

Thanks!!

Exacty mycall = PU2TKL and not PU2TKL B ou C (8.position)

I have done everything I reset the radio 02 times, and nothing.

has some configuration in the radio MODE SET dv ??

Gilvan

3476. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 16:10:07 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 3439 Message: 3476

E*_nter the entire frequency in Hz_* (e.g. 146550000

On 10/6/2014 9:27 AM, pu2tkl@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
> Dear,
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> thanks for the messages but still with the problem as I comment below:
>
> a) My DVAP is red
> b) Frequency UHF - 70 cm
> c) Radio IC 92ad
>
> I have done all the settings using the frequency 438.000 MHZ DV mode
> My settings:
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> URL: REF018BL
> RP1: NOT
> RP2: NOT
> MY: PU2TKL / ID92AD
>
> Ic 92ad:
> I can not connect the DVAP tools.
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> Pressing the PTT to sweep below grows to the maximum squelch, but does
> not connect with the DVAP.
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> Already used the DVAPutil and have not had success.
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> DVAP Tools.
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> Anyone ever had this same problem and managed to solve ??
>
> I appreciate any help.
>
> gilvan
>

3477. Re: Not connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-06 20:49:37 UTC
From: kb3ayy33@...
Topic: 3464 Message: 3477

Thanks Kevin for the info but that didn't change anything. Could it be a firewall on my computer?

3478. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-07 00:36:22 UTC
From: jimbo
Topic: 171 Message: 3478

hello there i have the 92ad radio are you sure you have the setting right on that radio the 92ad is a real pain in the ass to config that is why i use the the rt systems software if you miss i setting on that radio all the rest of your stuff well not work at all
On 10/5/2014 10:17 PM, Tony Mac ke9ph@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> 1 ... The DVAP and 92AD shud be on the same freq, according to your
> info they are not.
> 2 ... All DV shud be on the "B" band and not the "A" band of the 92
> 3 ... You may need to put your call sign into RPT1 andRPT2 with a
> "C" and "G" in the 8th pos.
>
> Tony
>
>
> Robert Brosseau va2dbj@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>> Hello to all;
>>
>>
>> I aver a *DVAP dongle (red)* my laptop conform is ok the software
>> DVAPTools 1.04 vr.
>>
>> 1-Station Callsing:VA2DBJA
>>
>> 2-Lock callsing; the X is on
>>
>> 3-Frequency (HX)146.500 simplex
>>
>> 4-DVAP Device; Com9 the laptop conform is ok no errors.
>>
>> The green light is plinking softer.
>>
>> I click on OPEN on the software the name; DVAP dongle come on and the
>> serial number
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>> The power; is set 10 dBmand the squelch is set -84 dBms
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3479. Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-07 00:49:28 UTC
From: va2dbj@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3479

Hello Bill
Watt windows are you operated

73 Robert va2dbj
va2dbj@yahoo.com

3480. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-07 01:35:52 UTC
From: Steven Brichta
Topic: 171 Message: 3480

Your radio My Call needs to have the A after your call sign. Mine is WB9ZNL A. If registered you will have access to Transmit.
Steve

3481. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-07 08:37:29 UTC
From: pu2tkl@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3481

Nelson,

It,s ok

Frequency on DVAP is 438000000

Problem is real

3482. Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-07 10:40:38 UTC
From: townler@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3482

Hi Don,

I'm fairly new to D-Star myself but your problem maybe due to:

"MY: PU2TKL / ID92AD" - I believe that you can only have 4 alphanumeric tag. (i.e. MY: PU2TKL / ID92)

I use an Icom ID-51E and it only lets me enter 4 characters were I see have 6?!

Hope this helps.

Regards
Rich (2E0RHD)

3484. RE: [DVAPDongle] Canne not call out rodion to dvap (red)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-08 01:10:55 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3483 Message: 3484

Robert,

Seeing that you just finished your registration last night, I suspect that your information may not have been replicated to all of the systems yet. Since you are getting a “Receive only” response, that a pretty good indication that the repeater doesn’t know who you are yet.

But after looking at the last heard page it looks as if you might have been successful earlier today.

Welcome to D-STAR!

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, October 7, 2014 9:56 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Canne not call out rodion to dvap (red)

Good morning;

I have programme the radio and the dvap on the same frequency.

On the radio id92 I programme

1-UR; VA2REXBL for the repeater I won't to be on.

2-R1; DIRECT

3-R2; DIRECT

4-MY; VA2DBJ /ID92

5-press the PTT and the dvap conforms is connecter to the system remote system link receive only

I press on 0 hone my ic92, to the CQCQCQ shone on the displays I prise on the PTT to call out not a response on my IC2820. but I cane hire all transmition coming in the radioic92 but I CANNOT CALL OUT.

Please I am close to final step to transmit, Thank-you

73 Robert va2dbj

va2dbj@yahoo.com<mailto:va2dbj@yahoo.com>

3485. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-10 14:30:06 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3439 Message: 3485

Maybe your IC92AD is transmitting off frequency. Do you have a frequency counter that you could use. If so, turn it on and transmit with the IC92AD see what frequency you are actually transmitting on. I have the Red DVAP dongle and I use a IC-5100. I had the same problem at first, but found out it was the way I had put in MY Call. Hope this helps? If your 880H connects to the DVAP, then that would suggest that the problems is in the radio. Do you have the "Offset" turned off, so that the radio is transmitting in simplex mode and not in Dup mode?

Good Luck
73's/aAI4LL

On Mon, Oct 6, 2014 at 12:10 PM, Don Nelson ddn@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> E*nter the entire frequency in Hz* (e.g. 146550000
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> On 10/6/2014 9:27 AM, pu2tkl@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> Dear,

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> gilvan
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3486. Setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-12 11:10:01 UTC
From: nigeljohnpayne
Topic: 3486 Message: 3486

When I log in to my account I open up the box witch shows add new license wot do I put in this box
Also when I connect to ref001c it says receive only many thanks nigel m0nlo
Sent from Samsung Mobile

3487. Re: Can't get software to run in Ubuntu 14.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-12 20:02:38 UTC
From: cobia7@...
Topic: 3295 Message: 3487

I'm having the same issue. I've tried everything I know regarding the 32 bit libraries. Hopefully someone out there smarter than me will have a solution.

3488. Why can't we resize the DVAP Tool window?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-12 21:56:56 UTC
From: k2fredrick@...
Topic: 3488 Message: 3488

I have a Microsoft Surface, which requires some of the font settings in Windows 8 to be larger than normal. This makes the DVAP Tool software window all messed up. I wish I could resize it, but I can't. Why? Is someone planning to fix this?

3489. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-13 23:51:49 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3439 Message: 3489

How do you know that your ID92A is transmitting on the right frequency ?
Have you checked the transmit frequency with another radio?

Just a idea

Thanks

On Fri, Oct 10, 2014 at 10:30 AM, Jack Blake jblake8061@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Maybe your IC92AD is transmitting off frequency. Do you have a frequency
> counter that you could use. If so, turn it on and transmit with the IC92AD
> see what frequency you are actually transmitting on. I have the Red DVAP
> dongle and I use a IC-5100. I had the same problem at first, but found out
> it was the way I had put in MY Call. Hope this helps? If your 880H connects
> to the DVAP, then that would suggest that the problems is in the radio. Do
> you have the "Offset" turned off, so that the radio is transmitting in
> simplex mode and not in Dup mode?
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> Good Luck
> 73's/aAI4LL
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>> E*nter the entire frequency in Hz* (e.g. 146550000
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>> URL: REF018BL
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3490. Re: Can't get software to run in Ubuntu 14.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-15 01:27:49 UTC
From: kd7jwc@...
Topic: 3295 Message: 3490

HI, I use Mint 17 that is based on Ubuntu 14.04 and i followed the directions in the readme file in the dvatool folder, the biggest thing that hindered me was not doing this, sudo usermod -a -G dialout $USER. That will keep it from working, once ran you have to log out and back in. Hope it helps. Shane KD7JWC

3491. New file uploaded to DVAPDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-15 20:55:50 UTC
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 3446 Message: 3491

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the DVAPDongle
group.

File : /D-Star Options Rev 1.2.pdf
Uploaded by : k6fed <k6fed@...>
Description : This document describes the different options for setting up a D-Star
station.

You can access this file at the URL:
https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/files/D-Star%20Options%20Rev%201.2.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
https://help.yahoo.com/kb/index?page=content&y=PROD_GRPS&locale=en_US&id=SLN15398

Regards,

k6fed <k6fed@...>

3492. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTool Not responding to radio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-17 15:50:41 UTC
From: k6fed@...
Topic: 3439 Message: 3492

HI Jack,

I had a similar issue that was caused by the black tip on the DVAP antenne being loose, Once I tightened tip the problem went away. If the computer is not recognizing the DVAP try updating Bonjour. Step 9

Installation http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html

Installation http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html Installing on Mac OS X Leopard or later

View on www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html
Preview by Yahoo

Frank
K6FED

3493. Latest version of DVAPTool?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-19 19:08:53 UTC
From: kf6uoz@...
Topic: 3493 Message: 3493

What is the current version of DVAPTool for Raspberry Pi? I am running 1.04 and the software needs to be restarted every 10 minutes or so. Does the software get updated when the Raspberry Pi applications are updated? I'm hoping the update will resolve the instability.

Thanks!
Craig - KF6UOZ

3494. Re: [DVAPDongle] Latest version of DVAPTool?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-20 12:32:41 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 3493 Message: 3494

Are you running it on a mac? On OSX Mavericks? Sounds like an App Nap issue. If so turn off App Nap for the DVAPTool app,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Oct 19, 2014, at 15:08, kf6uoz@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> What is the current version of DVAPTool for Raspberry Pi? I am running 1.04 and the software needs to be restarted every 10 minutes or so. Does the software get updated when the Raspberry Pi applications are updated? I'm hoping the update will resolve the instability.
>
>
> Thanks!
> Craig - KF6UOZ
>

3495. Re: [DVAPDongle] Latest version of DVAPTool?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-20 02:09:04 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3493 Message: 3495

Craig,
I am running 1.04 and mine hardly ever has an issue. Sorry you are having issues.
Chip
WB0LBZ

In a message dated 10/19/2014 9:05:21 P.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

What is the current version of DVAPTool for Raspberry Pi? I am running 1.04 and the software needs to be restarted every 10 minutes or so. Does the software get updated when the Raspberry Pi applications are updated? I'm hoping the update will resolve the instability.

Thanks!
Craig - KF6UOZ

3496. Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-21 11:36:27 UTC
From: pu2tkl@...
Topic: 2193 Message: 3496

Dear,

I am not good at linux, configure the Raspberry really have a walkthrough.

I need the x Raspberry Dvaptool configuration, can someone help me ??

gilvan

3497. procedeur

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-24 14:34:46 UTC
From: Jon Ericson
Topic: 3497 Message: 3497

if it says linked what do I TURN OR PUSH ON MY ID 31A OR 51A TO ANSWER BACK OR CALL OUT

3498. Re: [DVAPDongle] procedeur

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-25 14:27:39 UTC
From: Shane Ball
Topic: 3497 Message: 3498

Hi Jon, once you are linked you change UR call to CQCQCQ. Good job on getting linked.
Shane KD7JWC

On Fri, Oct 24, 2014 at 7:34 AM, Jon Ericson bringmethecatsass@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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>
> if it says linked what do I TURN OR PUSH ON MY ID 31A OR 51A TO ANSWER
> BACK OR CALL OUT
>
>

3499. FTDI DRIVERS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-25 15:15:56 UTC
From: n0meq@...
Topic: 3499 Message: 3499

I have looked everywhere, does anyone know where I can find the appropriate drivers for windows 8.1?? I am installing a dvap dongle. I have looked in files section and cannot find them there either....

Thanks for any help rendered

N0MEQ

3500. Re: [DVAPDongle] FTDI DRIVERS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-26 17:50:13 UTC
From: Bert van der Zwaan
Topic: 3499 Message: 3500

Everywhere?

http://www.ftdichip.com/FTDrivers.htm

73,
Bert

-kzu-

> I have looked everywhere, does anyone know where I can find the appropriate drivers for windows 8.1?? I am installing a dvap dongle. I have looked in files section and cannot find them there either....
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> Thanks for any help rendered
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> N0MEQ
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Bert van der Zwaan<pe1kzu@...> verzonden via ibisMail!

3501. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Instructions adding DVAPTool to your Raspberry Pi with Autostart.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-22 16:49:06 UTC
From: Shane Ball
Topic: 2193 Message: 3501

Hello and my name is Shane KD7JWC. I found my solution here
http://w6kd.boards.net/board/4/dstar-commander-g4klx-support-discussion.
The dstar commander makes setting it up a breeze. From the time i burned
the image to running the dstar commander to having the pi up and working
with the dvap was about 25 mins and it auto starts everything based on the
info you put into the dstar commander software. It even has VNC server
loaded and will set up your wifi I believe. Give it a shot, the forums are
full of good advice.
Cheers
KD7JWC

On Tue, Oct 21, 2014 at 4:36 AM, pu2tkl@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Dear,
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> I am not good at linux, configure the Raspberry really have a walkthrough.
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> I need the x Raspberry Dvaptool configuration, can someone help me ??
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3502. Re: [DVAPDongle] procedeur

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-27 02:14:47 UTC
From: Shane Ball
Topic: 3497 Message: 3502

Hi John. I talked with Mike KB7WUK and he basically runs the Sherwood repeater we are trying to link on and we came up with this to share with you so both he and I can talk to you.
Connection is 146.610 DUP- .600 no tone
under MY Call W7BO
Repeater 1 WB7DZG C
Repeater 2 WB7DZG G
UR Call CQCQCQ

This should work for you John. If you leave repeater 2 empty you will be talking on the 2 meter side of the repeater there locally, adding repeater 2 as I showed you will allow you to actually talk on the gateway "G" and then people with dongles and dvaps can talk to you.
Let me know if this is helpful and I look forward to talking to you.
Shane 73

On Sat, Oct 25, 2014 at 7:27 AM, Shane Ball <kd7jwc@...> wrote:

> Hi Jon, once you are linked you change UR call to CQCQCQ. Good job on
> getting linked.
> Shane KD7JWC
>
> On Fri, Oct 24, 2014 at 7:34 AM, Jon Ericson bringmethecatsass@...
> [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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>> BACK OR CALL OUT
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3503. Re: [DVAPDongle] FTDI DRIVERS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-27 06:40:18 UTC
From: Matt VK2RQ
Topic: 3499 Message: 3503

They are here:
http://www.ftdichip.com/Drivers/VCP.htm

73,
Matt VK2RQ

> On 26 Oct 2014, at 2:15 am, n0meq@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Thanks for any help rendered
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> N0MEQ
>
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3504. new dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-10-31 20:36:30 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3504 Message: 3504

I have a new DVAP and can not seem to get it to work on my Mac laptop. I have the new Yosemite operating system in it. Could this be my problem? Please do not get too technical in your answer, as I am new to DSTAR and DVAP! Thanks, Jerry

3505. Re: [DVAPDongle] new dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-02 02:17:57 UTC
From: martin hennessey
Topic: 3504 Message: 3505

Just a suggestion maybe wrong is the a nap option you have to turn off something like that ??
Hope it helps
73s
Martin
M0MBV
Ps I am not that technical either
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AD0DQ

Sent from my iPhone

> On 1 Nov 2014, at 21:57, jerryllaur@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
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3506. Connect to a reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-03 00:05:08 UTC
From: kb3ayy33@...
Topic: 3506 Message: 3506

Ok guys, still trying to get a handle of this had a message saying I could not connect on this group and I got a message telling me I need to connect to a reflector so I tried and tried but had no success. I tried the next day and I connected first try so finding out that it connects randomly. Also when I'm trying to connect I noticed that I Rx others having a conversation but I'm not connected so the question is does the dvaptool time out that my internet provider is hanging.

3507. Re: [DVAPDongle] new dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-03 14:47:30 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3504 Message: 3507

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <hoblet76@...> wrote :
Hi Martin, thanks for the reply! I did that and still nothing. It seems to connect to the dvap but I get a " not linked" message on my 51+. It must be something else that I've done wrong. Possibly in the way I.ve got the radio set up.
73, Jerry

Just a suggestion maybe wrong is the a nap option you have to turn off something like that ??
Hope it helps
73s
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3508. New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-05 00:06:19 UTC
From: rlmalm@...
Topic: 3508 Message: 3508

I have a DVAP 70cm and an ID51A Plus. I have everything installed and downloaded the file from DSTARInfo.com to setup my radio for the DVAP on 446.000 using reflector REF030C. But regardless of whther I try the channel for Status, Echo or the Reflector, I do not get any audio anywhere.

I get a green blinking LED when the DVAP is Closed, a blue blinking LED when the DVAP is Open, a solid green LED when keying the HT but I never get a red LED to indicate the DVAP is transmitting to the radio.

I also set the squelch to minimum, just in case.

Any ideas on what to check or what could be wrong?

Tnx.
Rick, KD4VOJ

3509. DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-03 15:40:01 UTC
From: g6lvs@...
Topic: 1918 Message: 3509

I have an ID51E + DVAP dongle on my Windows Vista. REF001c I can get into OK but every other reflector I have tried I get' Link Un Known'. Any Answers would be a help

3510. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-05 09:16:58 UTC
From: Carl
Topic: 1918 Message: 3510

I agree. Or else if it says link connected there is no traffic.

I think some kind of regular net might be called for. Repeaters might even auto join a popular net for a short while...

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

3511. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-05 09:21:16 UTC
From: Carl
Topic: 3508 Message: 3511

Need to be methodical.
The lights seem hopeful.
Are you using windows or Linux... and when you open the dvap software on the PC does the software identify the dvap and show you a serial number.

Is the correct frequency entered (well I'm only asking) and can you see RF being transmitted on a regular FM radio monitoring the same frequency

If the dvap is hearing the id51 text will display on the PC software window when you send the Echo or Info (status) commands even if there is no link established elsewhere.

Carl
gw0tqm

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

3516. DVAP and Yosemite

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-07 23:01:34 UTC
From: liber214@...
Topic: 3516 Message: 3516

Does anyone know of compatibility between new Mac OS Yosemite and the current DVAP Software tool?

Thanks

Tony
WA2LNC

3517. Re: DVAP and Yosemite

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-13 14:29:01 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 3516 Message: 3517

My DVAP & DV tool software were running well on my MacBook Pro under Mavericks. They continue to work well with Yosemite. Seamless transition for me.

~ Paul

3518. Re: DVAP and Yosemite

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-13 13:43:40 UTC
From: eperlan@...
Topic: 3516 Message: 3518

Works perfectly for me! (So far...)

David K2WNW

3519. Re: DVAP and Yosemite

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-13 17:16:17 UTC
From: Mark Newton
Topic: 3516 Message: 3519

Works fine on my computers (work and home)

Mark - WB5SLA

3520. 5100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-18 22:34:09 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3520 Message: 3520

I have a new 5100A. It transmits and receives fine on FM, but does not do either on DSTAR. One day it did but never again. I have programmed it with RT systems and registered it on W4BUG. HELP!!!!!! Thanks, Jerry

3521. Re: [DVAPDongle] 5100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-19 15:37:24 UTC
From: <jblake8061@...>
Topic: 3520 Message: 3521

Jerry,

I also have a Icom ID5100A and mind did the same thing when I first used it on D-Star. I did not use any program cables or software from a third party. I did a full reset on mind and it went to working like it should. Try doing a partial rest first, if that doesn’t work do a full reset. Hope this helps

73’s/AI4LL

JACK

Sent from Windows Mail

From: jerryllaur@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]
Sent: ☐Tuesday☐, ☐November☐ ☐18☐, ☐2014 ☐5☐:☐34☐ ☐PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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3522. DVAP and 51+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-20 15:54:24 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3522 Message: 3522

I have a 51+ and a dvap. I finally got it to work by adding a 2nd line on my presonal registration page. It works great ,but when I put my local DSTAR repeater name in it (K4WPB*CL) it says receive only. What happened? Thanks Jerry N4ETJ

3523. Re: DVAP and 51+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-20 23:31:51 UTC
From: paulsub63@...
Topic: 3522 Message: 3523

What's the line you've placed in your personal registration?

3524. Re: DVAP and 51+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-21 15:00:52 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3522 Message: 3524

I just entered my call sign N4ETJ with nothing else. Jerry

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <paulsub63@...> wrote :

What's the line you've placed in your personal registration?

3525. DVAP not linking to repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-26 17:54:19 UTC
From: vanattabrad@...
Topic: 3525 Message: 3525

My DVAP (used with a DHAP and Raspberry Pi) will link to reflectors every time, but will not link to any repeaters. The fails attempts come back with a "not linked" message. Any ideas as to what I might be doing wrong? Thanks in advance.

Brad, KK4CSJ

3526. FOR SALE !!!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-27 12:43:43 UTC
From: benybarr@...
Topic: 3526 Message: 3526

Complete DVAP set up for sle: ICOM 92AD with desk charger,RASPBERRY PI with clear case,DVAP 2 meters,all in mint condition . First $400 take it all !!!!!
Contact me off list either call or TXT 516-732-5411
Thank you
Ben KC2RXV

3527. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP not linking to repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-27 15:31:29 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 3525 Message: 3527

A lot of repeaters don't allow direct connections do to limited bandwidth.

--Fran

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On Wed, Nov 26, 2014 at 12:54 PM, vanattabrad@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> My DVAP (used with a DHAP and Raspberry Pi) will link to reflectors every
> time, but will not link to any repeaters. The fails attempts come back with
> a "not linked" message. Any ideas as to what I might be doing wrong? Thanks
> in advance.
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> Brad, KK4CSJ
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3528. dvap not connecting to local dstar reprater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-27 17:19:55 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3528 Message: 3528

I too can connect to all the reflectors, but cannot connect to my local repeater. The radio says receive only. I would sure like to know what I'm doing wrong!
Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ

3529. Re: DVAP not linking to repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-28 11:29:41 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 3525 Message: 3529

Have the same issue whereas I must say that I do not have any repeater in the to-list of my ID-51E. Only reflectors from REF001A to (I believe) REF056C or so.

73 de Rolf, DO1ZZ

3530. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap not connecting to local dstar reprater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-11-28 19:17:18 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3528 Message: 3530

check the way u register your call on the gateway.
On Nov 27, 2014 8:33 PM, "jerryllaur@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I too can connect to all the reflectors, but cannot connect to my local
> repeater. The radio says receive only. I would sure like to know what I'm
> doing wrong!
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> Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ
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3531. Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-02 14:10:45 UTC
From: WeaselCommander@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3531

Had the same trouble because of a missing DLL file. I downloaded Bonjour (by Apple) from Download.com and it finally installed. I don't know why I had to but it did the trick.

73

Steve k6sps

3532. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP not linking to repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-03 16:27:51 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3525 Message: 3532

download the latest list from icom put on sd card and load to radio
On Nov 28, 2014 8:39 PM, "allister_mclane@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Have the same issue whereas I must say that I do not have any repeater in
the to-list of my ID-51E. Only reflectors from REF001A to (I believe)
REF056C or so.

73 de Rolf, DO1ZZ

3533. REF026B Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-04 22:42:09 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3533 Message: 3533

I am getting a gateway unknown error when I try to connect to REF026B using my DVAP. Can someone confirm if you are having the same issue?

Thanks,

Jeff VE6EFR

3535. Re: [DVAPDongle] REF026B Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-05 13:51:23 UTC
From: Tony Mac
Topic: 3533 Message: 3535

No problem here linking to (REF026BL) using RPI/DVAP.

Tony Ke9ph

Jeff Bishop jeff@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
> I am getting a gateway unknown error when I try to connect to REF026B
> using my DVAP. Can someone confirm if you are having the same issue?
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3536. Re: DVAP not linking to repeaters

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-06 05:07:47 UTC
From: paulsub63@...
Topic: 3525 Message: 3536

I've been told by someone who tried to log in to the same repeater as I was trying...

"After looking at the logs it looks like there is an issue with either the network that the repeater is connected to or an issue with the Internet connection because I am seeing lots of packet loss and that is why it keeps unlinking"

So, it might not be me, but our system link (it's a wireless connection to the phone tower.)

3537. Re: [DVAPDongle] REF026B Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-06 05:41:47 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3533 Message: 3537

I wonder if the problem is with DVAPTool 1.04? I am able to connect to
other reflectors, just not this one for some odd reason.

Jeff VE6EFR

On 14-12-05 06:51 AM, Tony Mac ke9ph@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> No problem here linking to (REF026BL) using RPI/DVAP.
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> Tony Ke9ph
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> Jeff Bishop jeff@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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3539. Re: [DVAPDongle] REF026B Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-06 15:23:01 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3533 Message: 3539

There was a network issue with REF026. It is now reporting in properly.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3540. Re: [DVAPDongle] REF026B Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-06 19:02:32 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3533 Message: 3540

Thanks for the help, everyone. It appears AA4RC was able to figure out what was going on. I am able to connect to the reflector once again.

Jeff VE6EFR

3541. New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-09 04:22:37 UTC
From: 1revgary@...
Topic: 569 Message: 3541

Hi friends,

I bought Red 2 metr DVAP, using with my windows laptop. I downloaded V 2.0 beta 5 software. DVAP connects to Internet I see stations, but don't hear anything. When I connect the sound section of the software shades and i hear nothing. But I know the dongle is working as I see stations on the software. I also bought ID-51. I'm not sure the 51 is talking to the dongle. First issue, how do I know 51 is talking to dongle?

Thanks for the help
NX8L/Gary near Cincinnati

3542. Re: New DVAP user

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-09 14:21:33 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 569 Message: 3542

Hi Gary. The first thing to try is an echo test. Place "DVAP___E" (where underscore is a blank) in URCALL and key up/talk. If you hear yourself repeated back, your radio is talking well with the DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3543. DVAP not connecting to inet or reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-12 04:57:46 UTC
From: w9meb@...
Topic: 3543 Message: 3543

I have been off for a while and today went to do some dstar work.
Fired up the tool and get a message that there is no connection to the internet. But the laptop is connected to the internet. When I try to connect to a reflector, I get a "gateway unknown" message.
Ive tried reloading software, rebooting computer. and rebooting modem...no luck.
Any suggestions?

Thanks in advance, Mike K0MEB

3544. Nextbook Windows 8.1 Tablet with DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-12 15:05:36 UTC
From: k4xr@...
Topic: 3544 Message: 3544

Has anyone used the Nextbook Windows 8.1 tablet or considered whether it should work with the DVAP? At $100 for a full Windows 8.1 (not RT) tablet this seems like a great deal.

3545. Re: Nextbook Windows 8.1 Tablet with DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-12 21:55:13 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3544 Message: 3545

Hi (didn't get your name).

I've tested on a win8 tablet and the DVAP seems to work well. It does not have the horsepower for a DV Dongle though.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3546. Re: [DVAPDongle] Nextbook Windows 8.1 Tablet with DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-12 22:45:08 UTC
From: David G
Topic: 3544 Message: 3546

I have no experience with the Nextbook, but have recently started using a Acer Aspire switch 10 running Windows 8.1 runs very well.

This model transforms from tablet to laptop I have it configured to run closed with no screen display which seems to power the Dvap for a good many hours on battery power.

Hope this helps

David
2E0DCE

> On 12 Dec 2014, at 15:05, "k4xr@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3547. RE: [DVAPDongle] Nextbook Windows 8.1 Tablet with DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-12 23:14:35 UTC
From: kc2idb
Topic: 3544 Message: 3547

It's likely to work, however something to consider.

I have had two full windows 8 tablets. One issue that seems to be across all the inexpensive ones. When the screen is off, it is considered to be in standby or sleep mode and kills all USB/accessories and puts software in powersave. In that case, you would be killing the battery with the screen on constantly.

Let me know what you do and how it works for you, as I have been looking for a simular solution

Thanks
Ken
KC2IDB

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

-------- Original message --------
From: "k4xr@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date: 12/12/2014 10:05 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Nextbook Windows 8.1 Tablet with DVAP?

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3548. RE: [DVAPDongle] Nextbook Windows 8.1 Tablet with DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-15 15:32:45 UTC
From: davidgames60@...
Topic: 3544 Message: 3548

When using my Acer in tablet mode using an on the go adaptor for the micro Usb, I set the screen saver to go blank after 1 minute. This keeps the processor alive and seems happy to run the Dvap for quite a few hours.

Dave
2E0DCE

3549. transmitter to receive delay.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-19 04:56:01 UTC
From: zl4hd@...
Topic: 3549 Message: 3549

hi I have just got an id51 50th anaversery admission. I am trying to use it with a 2m dvap. I can control the dvap, but I can't hear what is happening for about 5 sec because of the time it takes the id51 going from Tx to rx. can this be changed. I als use an ic92ad. that's how I no what the id51ais doing.

cheers
tom zl4hd

3550. RE: [DVAPDongle] transmitter to receive delay.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-19 13:08:10 UTC
From: Carl L
Topic: 3549 Message: 3550

I'd have to check the manual but wild guess you haven't got VOX enabled have you?

Carl (sent from mobile)

---- zl4hd@yahoo.co.nz [DVAPDongle] wrote ----

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3551. RE: [DVAPDongle] transmitter to receive delay.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-20 02:48:38 UTC
From: Tom Hardwick
Topic: 3549 Message: 3551

hi. I checked Vox. it is off. the more I look at the problem I think it is to do with the dvap. it will hear dvap if I open the squalsh. I can also get our local dstar hotspot ok. it works greate.

Cheers
Tom zl4hd

3552. WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-21 23:52:04 UTC
From: ka7gzr@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 3552

Hello all!

I have a DHAP which is a RPI interfaced with a 440 dvdongle. I have a iPhone 6 and connect to the Pi with a Wi-Fi dongle. It connects to it reliably but about 90% of the time the dvdongle doesn't recognize the connection (no gateway found) but I can see my personal hotspot has a connection. If I manually connect it then works. Manually meaning I turn off the dvap tool (v1.04) and bring up the Wi-Fi tool and connect to the iPhone then restart the dvap tool it works ever time. It seems like when the Pi boots it is a race condition between the dvap tool looking for the internet connection before the personal hot spot has establish an internet connection.

Any ideas?

TIA

Jim

Ka7gzr

3553. Receive Only Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-22 18:42:57 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3553 Message: 3553

I linked to a remote repeater over the weekend. I was able to establish the link established but only in Receive Only mode. For information only, everything about the configuration is working fine. Any ideas?

Chip
WBoLBZ

3556. FS: ID-31A RT Software and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-22 19:14:26 UTC
From: k5rhd.73@...
Topic: 3556 Message: 3556
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

For sale is my ICOM ID-31A. I thought I would try DSTAR again but I find I am just not using the radio at all. Radio is just a couple of months (purchased October 27) old and like brand new (I am not using it). Also included is a DVAP-get on DSTAR even if there is no repeater in your area. In addition, The package comes with RT Systems Programming software, cable. Original box, charger (not pictured), paperwork is included. 500.00 shipped Ship to US buyers only, Paypal only please.

3557. RE: [DVAPDongle] WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-25 01:43:56 UTC
From: Chris Brown
Topic: 3552 Message: 3557

Here’s an issue I see – be sure that your iPhone’s hotspot is at the top of the connection queue in the DHAP. When I do this it starts up properly 95% of the time – if not it takes two starts.

Buena suerte!

Chris, KL4C

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, December 21, 2014 2:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] WiFi issue

Hello all!

I have a DHAP which is a RPI interfaced with a 440 dvdongle. I have a iPhone 6 and connect to the Pi with a Wi-Fi dongle. It connects to it reliably but about 90% of the time the dvdongle doesn't recognize the connection (no gateway found) but I can see my personal hotspot has a connection. If I manually connect it then works. Manually meaning I turn off the dvap tool (v1.04) and bring up the Wi-Fi tool and connect to the iPhone then restart the dvap tool it works ever time. It seems like when the Pi boots it is a race condition between the dvap tool looking for the internet connection before the personal hot spot has establish an internet connection.

Any ideas?

TIA

Jim

Ka7gzr

3558. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: transmitter to receive delay.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-25 05:40:27 UTC
From: Tom Hardwick
Topic: 3549 Message: 3558

ok I will try that.

cheers tom.

Cheers
Tom

> On 23/12/2014, at 11:59 am, iphone5995@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
wrote:
>
> Hi, Tom
>
>
> Try change the value in TX Delay (PTT), let see it will help.
> Push menu,dv set, dv fast data, Tx delay (PTT).
>
>
> Mike kd4owo
>

3559. Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-25 04:53:31 UTC
From: ka7gzr@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 3559

Problem solved! Make sure to reboot the iPhone Personal Hotspot just before booting the DHAP.
Jim

3560. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive Only Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-25 16:15:09 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3553 Message: 3560

Group,

I just tried to link to a second repeater and it worked just fine. The mystery now seems to be why I can link to one but not the other. One is linking to the C channel and one to the B channel. C worked B did not. I am using 2m DVAP. All reflector linking is perfect. Any ideas?

Chip

WB0LBZ

In a message dated 12/24/2014 2:21:44 P.M. Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

I linked to a remote repeater over the weekend. I was able to establish the link established but only in Receive Only mode. For information only, everything about the configuration is working fine. Any ideas?

Chip
WBoLBZ

3561. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-25 23:17:46 UTC
From: kc2rcu@...
Topic: 1533 Message: 3561

I see several posts on this topic but no definitive answers. I am running W7 with the latest software; changed USB cables but on DV Dongle get "Unable to query DVDongle device. If I switch to my DVAP works fine. Can someone (perhaps Robin?) provide me with a possible solution? Thanks in advance and Holiday wishes to all.

3562. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-26 01:20:17 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 1533 Message: 3562

I've seen this when plugged into some USB hubs and very rarely when plugged into a USB 3 port. Can you try a different port?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3563. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: transmitter to receive delay.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-26 07:28:55 UTC
From: Tom Hardwick
Topic: 3549 Message: 3563

I have found that the dvap is off frequency. it is now working. fine. thank you all for your help. merry xmas happy new year.

Cheers
Tom

3564. Re: 5100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-29 05:45:24 UTC
From: ginebra4me@...
Topic: 3520 Message: 3564

Did you update firmware? There's new one 2014/10/30

Firmware Updates / Software Downloads | Support | Icom Inc
http://www.icom.co.jp/world/support/download/firm/ID-5100A_E/release_e2/

http://www.icom.co.jp/world/support/download/firm/ID-5100A_E/release_e2/

Firmware Updates / Software Downloads | Support | Icom ...
http://www.icom.co.jp/world/support/download/firm/ID-5100A_E/release_e2/ Notes
Improvements DV Fast Data is now supported. The Near Repeater Search function is improved.
Tone squelch (TSQL) is now supported when using F...

View on www.icom.co.jp
http://www.icom.co.jp/world/support/download/firm/ID-5100A_E/release_e2/
Preview by Yahoo

3565. Re: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-29 05:56:57 UTC
From: ginebra4me@...
Topic: 1918 Message: 3565

UR: REF001AL or UR: REF001BL or UR: REF001CL

"A" "B" or "C" are the modules 144 MHz / 440 Mhz/ 1.2 GHz

Those are local commands from your ID-51 to DVAP.... like "U" "DVAP I" "DVAP E"

if you want to transmit you must go UR: CQCQCQ

3566. Re: Unable to query dvap dongle device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2014-12-29 06:05:02 UTC
From: ginebra4me@...
Topic: 1533 Message: 3566

not green light?....out of order

3567. not registered ????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-03 19:02:07 UTC
From: kf4pbo@...
Topic: 3567 Message: 3567

dvap and dv dongle shows that i am not registered. i registered in 1980 ?????

KF4PBO J.D.

3568. Re: [DVAPDongle] not registered ????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-03 22:19:12 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3567 Message: 3568

KF4PBO J.D. wrote:

> dvap and dv dongle shows that i am not registered. i registered in 1980
> ?????

Do you have any other mobile or portable radios and do they work on D-STAR?

You could enter your call sign on this page

http://query.ke5bms.com/

and see what it says.

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Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

3569. Re: [DVAPDongle] not registered ????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-03 22:25:24 UTC
From: Brian Roode
Topic: 3567 Message: 3569

Hello,

The gateway you were registered on, K6HLE, was removed from the trust server network at the request of the gateway administrator. You will need to re-register on another participating gateway.

This is true of anyone else who was previously registered on K6HLE

Hope this helps,

Brian
NJ6N

On Jan 3, 2015, at 11:02 AM, kf4pbo@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

> dvap and dv dongle shows that i am not registered. i registered in 1980 ?????
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> KF4PBO J.D.
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>

3570. Re: [DVAPDongle] not registered ????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-03 23:04:40 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 3567 Message: 3570

Maybe because the gateway you were registered on went away?

--Fran

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disclose the contents to anyone or make copies thereof.

On Sat, Jan 3, 2015 at 2:02 PM, kf4pbo@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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>
> dvap and dv dongle shows that i am not registered. i registered in 1980

> ?????
>
>
>
> KF4PBO J.D.
>
>
>
>

3571. Re: [DVAPDongle] not registered ????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-04 00:22:02 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3567 Message: 3571

There was no dstar in 1980
On Jan 3, 2015 5:09 PM, "kf4pbo@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

>
>
> dvap and dv dongle shows that i am not registered. i registered in 1980
> ?????
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> KF4PBO J.D.
>
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>

3572. Re: [DVAPDongle] not registered ????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-04 13:15:53 UTC
From: kf4pbo@...
Topic: 3567 Message: 3572

sorry it was 2008

3573. Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-12 05:54:45 UTC
From: w9meb@...
Topic: 1866 Message: 3573

Some difficulties with my DVAP....
After opening the DVAP program, I get a pop up window saying something about my internet not being connected. When I do try to link to a reflector I get the recorded message Gateway Unknown.
Ive had great success in the past with this setup using an ID51a. Ive deleted the program and reloaded from the dvap site and got temporary joy. Now it seems that nothing I can do allows the link up to reflectors via the DVAP.

Any ideas or suggestions?

Thanks, Mike K0MEB

3574. Re: Gateway Unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-13 03:36:04 UTC
From: techieadam@...
Topic: 1866 Message: 3574

You seem to be having DNS problems. What platform are you running your DVAP under?

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <w9meb@...> wrote :

Some difficulties with my DVAP....
After opening the DVAP program, I get a pop up window saying something about my internet not being connected. When I do try to link to a reflector I get the recorded message Gateway Unknown.
Ive had great success in the past with this setup using an ID51a. Ive deleted the program and reloaded from the dvap site and got temporary joy. Now it seems that nothing I can do allows the link up to reflectors via the DVAP.

Any ideas or suggestions?

Thanks, Mike K0MEB

3575. DVAP difficulties

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-13 22:55:38 UTC
From: radioactive10@...
Topic: 3575 Message: 3575

I just installed my dvap tool and program. It works well with the exception for not been heard at the reflector. It keep saying linked to reflector receiving only. I think it is on the id-51 programing side. Can any one help me, thanks.

N1mxb- Carlos

3576. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-13 22:58:31 UTC
From: radioactive10@...
Topic: 171 Message: 3576

From previous message- it will say linked to reflector 025B R, but no body seems to be hearing me.

3577. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP difficulties

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-14 02:17:34 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3575 Message: 3577

Carlos asked:

> I just installed my dvap tool and program. It works well with the
> exception for not been heard at the reflector. It keep saying linked to
> reflector receiving only. I think it is on the id-51 programing side.
> Can any one help me, thanks.

Are you registered with a D-STAR registrar? If you are not, this is one
of the symptoms; hearing but not being heard.

According to this web site: http://query.ke5bms.com/index.php
you don't have any terminals registered.

I hope this helps. And welcome to D-STAR.

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Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

3578. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-14 12:29:02 UTC
From: gary limbert
Topic: 171 Message: 3578

Greetings; by no way an expert on this topic, but I had a similar situation and I found it was linked but when I pressed menu (on my id31a) and than checked call sign info. UR was populated, R1 was populated, R2 (the gateway) was not populated and of course. My was populated with my call sign.. issue may appear to be in your radio programming and not the dvap.

Just a starting point.

kd8viq

From: "radioactive10@hotmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, January 13, 2015 5:58 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP

From previous message- it will say linked to reflector 025B R, but no body seems to be hearing me.

3579. Re: DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-14 14:31:00 UTC
From: Bob Stephens
Topic: 171 Message: 3579

Did you set the ID51 URCALL to Use Repeater CQCQCQ. If you don't the Radio won't send R1 and R2 and the DVAP won't go out to the reflector.

Bob AF9W

3580. Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-15 02:54:21 UTC
From: Bob Taylor
Topic: 3580 Message: 3580

Greetings,

I have just been trying to use my DVAP after a long period away from Dstar. I can connect okay but I am getting a 'receive only' message.

Since my system always worked faultlessly in the past I am at a loss to know what has changed.

My initial registration was with 'ne1dv.dstargateway.org' but I seem unable to raise that site to check my registration. Does anyone know if the site is still operational? I notice that my callsign is now appearing under https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/ but I am unable to log in to check/amend my registration.

All offers of advice/assistance gratefully accepted.

Bob Taylor

VK6JRT

3581. Re: DVAP and Linux

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-18 11:43:49 UTC
From: ham@...
Topic: 2023 Message: 3581

Hello Guys,
i have the same problem with Linux mint 17.
I made the desinstallations, but the DVAP is not recognized :-(Are these problems only with Linux Mint?
I changed from XP.
73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ/KF5HVE

3582. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-18 22:37:55 UTC
From: radioactive10@...
Topic: 171 Message: 3582

Thanks to all, finally got my DVAP to work, 73 from n1mxb.

3583. Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-19 15:42:35 UTC
From: techieadam@...
Topic: 3580 Message: 3583

Apparently that repeater was kicked off or never was part of the US Trust system.

Your registration is indeed now at WB1GOF. You can email them to get info/password reset here:

Contact us http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html

http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html

Contact us http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html PART of Westford PO BOX 503 Westford, MA 01886 info@wb1gof.org The 2m repeater is on 146.955 MHz with a PL of 74.4 (standard -600 KHz offset)

View on www.wb1gof.org http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html
Preview by Yahoo

3584. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-20 03:15:45 UTC
From: Bob Taylor
Topic: 3580 Message: 3584

Many, many thanks for the response.

I emailed WB1GOF and got a very prompt response from Terry. The problem is now fixed.

73

Bob

VK6JRT

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, 19 January 2015 11:43 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Apparently that repeater was kicked off or never was part of the US Trust system.

Your registration is indeed now at WB1GOF. You can email them to get info/password reset here:

Contact us <http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html>

<http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html> image

<http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html> Contact us

PART of Westford PO BOX 503 Westford, MA 01886 info@... The 2m repeater is on 146.955 MHz with a PL of 74.4 (standard -600 KHz offset)

<http://www.wb1gof.org/F_contact/index.html> View on www.wb1gof.org

Preview by Yahoo

3587. Re: How do save a file in .config???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-21 12:58:32 UTC
From: carl.cutts@...
Topic: 3587 Message: 3587

Found the fix to the problem, all good here.

3588. Getting DVAP software to run in a 64 bit Linux install

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-22 02:08:23 UTC
From: kc6d@...
Topic: 3588 Message: 3588

This may have already been answered but here it is:

I had problems getting the DVAP software to run in Ubuntu after an upgrade. It had previously been working.

So that you know: the software is written for a 32 bit OS. You have to install additional packages of software to make it run in a 64 bit environment.

I had done this and, at first, all was well. But after a clean sweep re-install of the OS the DVAP wouldn't run. The Readme file that comes with the software instructs you to install the package "ia32-libs" by running the command "sudo apt-get install ia32-libs". The problem was that the ia32-libs package was withdrawn from the repositories in the interval between my first install of it and the next time I tried. Apparently ia32-libs was big, messy and hard to maintain. It took me a long while to find the current version of ia32-libs. Here it is:

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sudo apt-get install lib32z1 lib32ncurses5 lib32bz2-1.0
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Open a terminal, copy and paste this command, put in your password when requested and that's that. All is well again.

3589. Re: How do save a file in .config???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-23 03:31:43 UTC
From: Mark Harris
Topic: 3587 Message: 3589

For all of you that end up with a fix to your problems it would be nice
if you could post the remedy you came up with to the group instead of
just saying it's fixed.
I mean, it is good to know that you got a fix to your problem but it
may help someone else that has a similar concern to search out an answer
not just multiple reference's to the problem.

--
Regards

Mark VK3EME
Bendigo, Vic Austalia

This email has been checked for viruses by Avast antivirus software.
http://www.avast.com

3590. Re: Can't get software to run in Ubuntu 14.04

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-23 16:07:50 UTC
From: kc6d@...
Topic: 3295 Message: 3590

I have this solved, finally.

The DVAP Tool software is written to run in a 32 bit operating system. Additional packages must be added to a 64 bit OS to allow it to run.

The package ia32-libs is no longer available, removed from Linux repositories.

The replacement command is

sudo apt-get install lib32z1 lib32ncurses5 lib32bz2-1.0

Copy and paste into a terminal, supply your password when asked, accept the install, and voilà, it works. I'm not positive but I don't think I had to log out and log back in, although that may be needed.

KC6D

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <vk4tux@...> wrote :

sudo apt-get install ia32-libs-multiarch

is also worthwhile

Adrian ... vk4tux

3591. ic 2820

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-25 23:00:01 UTC
From: Alan Pollard
Topic: 3591 Message: 3591

help please I don't seem to be able to set up my ic2820 to work with my dvap.
any help on the set up would be great
regards alan

3592. DVAPTool on Fedora 20

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-25 23:57:29 UTC
From: kw4g10@...
Topic: 3592 Message: 3592

I have installed the DVAPTool software on a system running Fedora 20. I believe I have the latest version of DVAPTool. When I click on the icon, nothing happens. The program's properties are set for it to be executable. Is anyone else running DVAPTool on Fedora 20? Thanks for any advice you may be able to offer.

Roy KW4G

3594. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool on Fedora 20

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-26 09:44:28 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 3592 Message: 3594

Fedora responds with:

No package avahi-compat-lib-devel* available

If I go to the DVAPTool folder in Terminal, and type in DVAPTool, it responds:

Command not found

even though I can see the file by typing ls.

Roy Jackson
Naples, Florida USA

On 01/25/2015 09:19 PM, Adrian vk4tux@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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>
> On 26/01/15 09:57, kw4g10@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>>
>> I have installed the DVAPTool software on a system running Fedora 20.
>> I believe I have the latest version of DVAPTool. When I click on the
>> icon, nothing happens. The program's properties are set for it to be
>> executable. Is anyone else running DVAPTool on Fedora 20? Thanks for
>> any advice you may be able to offer.
>>
>>
>> Roy KW4G
>>
> I'm running it on fedora 21 armv7hl on the ODROID C1 and and fedora 21
> x86_64 PC, try this > run it from terminal DVAPTool & and you will
> see what it is looking for,
>
> My bet is you need to install as root ;
>
> yum install avahi-compat-lib-devel*
>
> this will pull in the libdns.so that you need.
>
> In any case running from terminal will show verbose to explain the issue.
>
> Adrian ... vk4tux
>
>
>

3595. Re: ic 2820

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-26 11:24:03 UTC
From: Tommy Martin
Topic: 3591 Message: 3595

Exactly what part are you having trouble with?

Have you used it with other radios?

Tommy

3596. RE: [DVAPDongle] ic 2820

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-26 15:09:43 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3591 Message: 3596
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

In the 2820, you can reserve a block of memories for your favorite reflector commands, unlink and echo. In each memory, put the DVAP frequency, simplex and DV Mode. For RPT1, type DIRECT. Leave RPT2 blank. In UR or Your Callsign, put either CQCQCQ for talking, 7spaces with a U in the 8th position for unlinking, same with an E in the 8th position for echo test or your favorite reflector linking command such as REF030CL, REF001C for linking. Just change what’s in UR and store as a separate memory then rotate the memory dial to your favorite command, PTT, then rotate to the CQCQCQ channel. A screen shot is below, but may not come through on the group.

John WB4QDX

[cid:image001.png@01D03950.334E22B0] [cid:image002.png@01D03950.334E22B0]

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, January 25, 2015 6:00 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] ic 2820

help please I don't seem to be able to set up my ic2820 to work with my dvap.
any help on the set up would be great
regards alan

3597. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool on Fedora 20

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-26 20:07:33 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 3592 Message: 3597

Roy,
Try this at the command prompt:
./DVAPTool
Note the period and the forward slash; these will tell the shell that you want to execute the file in the folder you're in. It won't do it by default.
Matthew PittsN8OHU

From: "'Roy G. Jackson' kw4g10@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, January 26, 2015 4:44 AM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool on Fedora 20

  Fedora responds with:

No package avahi-compat-lib-devel* available

If I go to the DVAPTool folder in Terminal, and type in DVAPTool, it responds:

Command not found

even though I can see the file by typing ls.
Roy Jackson
Naples, Florida USA On 01/25/2015 09:19 PM, Adrian vk4tux@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

On 26/01/15 09:57, kw4g10@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

  I have installed the DVAPTool software on a system running Fedora 20. I believe I have the latest version of DVAPTool. When I click on the icon, nothing happens. The program's properties are set for it to be executable. Is anyone else running DVAPTool on Fedora 20? Thanks for any advice you may be able to offer.
Roy KW4G
I'm running it on fedora 21 armv7hl on the ODROID C1 and and fedora 21 x86_64 PC, try this
> run it from terminal DVAPTool & and you will see what it is looking for,

My bet is you need to install as root ;

yum install avahi-compat-lib-devel*

this will pull in the libdns.so that you need.

In any case running from terminal will show verbose to explain the issue.

Adrian ... vk4tux

3599. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool on Fedora 20

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-28 09:51:11 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 3592 Message: 3599

I did not. I tried your suggestions, but DVAPTool still does not run when I try to open it. If I try to run it in a terminal, I get a response about not having right permissions, or something like that. Sorry, I've been really busy and haven't had much time to play with it. I am just about convinced that there is something amiss with my Fedora installation. I am going to install Fedora 21, and try again. I do have DVAPTool working on a Mint 17 platform, as well as Windows 8.1. Thank you for your help and effort. 73.

Roy KW4G

On 01/27/2015 06:02 PM, Adrian vk4tux@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> Did you get it running Roy ?
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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> On 26/01/15 10:57, kw4g10@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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>> I have installed the DVAPTool software on a system running Fedora 20.
>> I believe I have the latest version of DVAPTool. When I click on the
>> icon, nothing happens. The program's properties are set for it to be
>> executable. Is anyone else running DVAPTool on Fedora 20? Thanks for
>> any advice you may be able to offer.
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>> Roy KW4G
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Roy G. Jackson
Naples, Florida USA

3601. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool on Fedora 20

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-29 00:24:16 UTC
From: Shane Ball
Topic: 3592 Message: 3601

Shane here KD7JWC, you may need to make your user account a member of the dialout or wheel group and then log out and back in to allow permissions to the port. I know I had to do that in Debian and Mint.

On 01/28/2015 06:41 AM, Adrian vk4tux@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> On 28/01/15 19:51, 'Roy G. Jackson' kw4g10@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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>> I did not. I tried your suggestions, but DVAPTool still does not run
>> when I try to open it. If I try to run it in a terminal, I get a
>> response about not having right permissions, or something like that.
>> Sorry, I've been really busy and haven't had much time to play with
>> it. I am just about convinced that there is something amiss with my
>> Fedora installation. I am going to install Fedora 21, and try again.
>> I do have DVAPTool working on a Mint 17 platform, as well as Windows
>> 8.1. Thank you for your help and effort. 73.
>>
>> Roy KW4G
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>>
> Ok , well as a user you could cd to the DVAPTool folder & set the
> permissions,
>
> sudo chmod 755 DVAPTool
>
> sudo chown user:user DVAPTool (user = your
> system user ID)
>
> then ./DVAPTool to execute ; that's dot forward slash ./DVAPTool
>
> If you email me direct vk4tux at bigpond dot com, i can get you
> straightened out quickly,
> if you still have issue.
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> Adrian ... vk4tux
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3602. DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-30 17:35:19 UTC
From: rrkpl@...
Topic: 3602 Message: 3602

Using an ID-31A and a DVAP running DVAPTool 1.04 on an iMac OSX 10.10.1. After around 15 minutes the DVAPTool still says connected to Reflector REF0XX C but there is no connection (ID-31A does not show up on the DVAPTool including Signal strength, MY, UR, R1, R2) as it does when linked and transmitting. The only way to reestablish a connect is to Quit the DVAPTool, restart the Tool, Open the connection and send the link command from the ID-31A

I haven't used this setup in about a year since I was near a repeater but now that I'm way up in the Blue Ridge mountains I'm trying to get it to work.

Does anyone have any thoughts as to why the link is unlinking on its own and the DVAPTool becomes unresponsive and has to be restarted.

73

Richard / W4RRR

3603. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-30 19:59:18 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 3602 Message: 3603

Richard,
If you're running Mavericks or later, you need to turn off the AppNap setting for DVAPTool; as I don't own one, I'm not sure how to do this, but the information is available if you search for it.
Matthew PittsN8OHU

From: "rrkpl@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, January 30, 2015 12:35 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Using an ID-31A and a DVAP running DVAPTool 1.04 on an iMac OSX 10.10.1. After around 15 minutes the DVAPTool still says connected to Reflector REF0XX C but there is no connection (ID-31A does not show up on the DVAPTool including Signal strength, MY, UR, R1, R2) as it does when linked and transmitting. The only way to reestablish a connect is to Quit the DVAPTool, restart the Tool, Open the connection and send the link command from the ID-31A
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Richard / W4RRR

3604. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-01-31 20:40:47 UTC
From: rrkpl@...
Topic: 3602 Message: 3604

Hi Matthew,

Thanks for the info! I just turned off 'app nap' and I see if that solves the problem. I also received an email from K6BRR suggesting to see if the firmware is current but I can only find PC Windows updaters.

Thanks again es 73

Richard / W4RRR

3605. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 01:44:32 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3602 Message: 3605

Hi Richard. You should NEVER try to update the firmware without being told to do so. A few folks here have downloaded firmware from an unauthorized site and bricked their DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3606. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 16:29:54 UTC
From: k9ul@...
Topic: 3602 Message: 3606

Richard,

Where is app nap located?

Steve

3607. Intel Compute Stick

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 17:51:48 UTC
From: lkellar@...
Topic: 3607 Message: 3607

Saw this come out at CES. It's a whole computer on a HDMI stick. It runs full windows 8.1 or Linux. It has Wifi and Bluetooth built in. I was thinking of possible DVAP applications. What do you all think? Thanks Lawrence KB5ZZB

3608. Re: [DVAPDongle] Intel Compute Stick

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 19:11:07 UTC
From: N6gvg
Topic: 3607 Message: 3608

Do you have the link for this computer stick?

Ralph N6GVG

Sent from my Samsung Epic™ 4G

"lkellar@swbell.net [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3609. Re: [DVAPDongle] Intel Compute Stick

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 19:34:23 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 3607 Message: 3609

http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/compute-stick/intel-compute-stick.html

WB5EKU

On Sun, Feb 1, 2015 at 11:11 AM, N6gvg n6gvg@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Do you have the link for this computer stick?
>
> Ralph N6GVG
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> Sent from my Samsung Epic™ 4G
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> "lkellar@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> full windows 8.1 or Linux. It has Wifi and Bluetooth built in. I was
> thinking of possible DVAP applications. What do you all think? Thanks
> Lawrence KB5ZZB
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>

3610. Re: [DVAPDongle] Intel Compute Stick

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 19:36:01 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 3607 Message: 3610

http://ces.gizmodo.com/intels-150-hdmi-stick-turns-any-tv-into-a-windows-desk-1678550370

Very interesting possibilities.

WB5EKU

On Sun, Feb 1, 2015 at 11:34 AM, Donald Jacob <wb5eku@...> wrote:

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> http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/compute-stick/intel-compute-stick.html
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> WB5EKU
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> On Sun, Feb 1, 2015 at 11:11 AM, N6gvg n6gvg@... [DVAPDongle] <
> DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>> Ralph N6GVG
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>> full windows 8.1 or Linux. It has Wifi and Bluetooth built in. I was
>> thinking of possible DVAP applications. What do you all think? Thanks
>> Lawrence KB5ZZB
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3611. Re: [DVAPDongle] Intel Compute Stick

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 21:58:41 UTC
From: N6gvg
Topic: 3607 Message: 3611

Your right it does look interesting with both a windoze and linux versions coming to the market. The linux version being only about $90 and the windoze version being about $150 it could compete at the high end of the micro computer market! might be worth the investment just to check It out!

Ralph N6GVG

Sent from my Samsung Epic™ 4G

"Donald Jacob wb5eku@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

http://ces.gizmodo.com/intels-150-hdmi-stick-turns-any-tv-into-a-windows-desk-1678550370

Very interesting possibilities.

WB5EKU

On Sun, Feb 1, 2015 at 11:34 AM, Donald Jacob <wb5eku@gmail.com> wrote:
http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/compute-stick/intel-compute-stick.html

WB5EKU

On Sun, Feb 1, 2015 at 11:11 AM, N6gvg n6gvg@hotmail.com [DVAPDongle]
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Do you have the link for this computer stick?

Ralph N6GVG

Sent from my Samsung Epic™ 4G

"lkellar@swbell.net [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3612. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-02 00:02:59 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 3602 Message: 3612

Robin

Sorry for my potentially bad advice regarding the firmware update.

I've had years of trouble free operation since I completed the forum advised firmware update in 2010 or 2011. I realize in retrospect that well intended advice can have unintended consequences.

I'll post more mindfully in the future (or not at all).

73,
Dana
K6BRR

Sent from my NSA surveillance device

> On Jan 31, 2015, at 5:44 PM, "aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>
> Hi Richard. You should NEVER try to update the firmware without being told to do so. A few folks here have downloaded firmware from an unauthorized site and bricked their DVAP.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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>

3613. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Unlinks??

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-01 23:53:25 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 3602 Message: 3613

Richard

I suspect that App Nap is the issue - I'm still running 10.6 (I'm stubborn). I've seen multiple mentions of App Nap being an issue with more recent versions of the MacOS.

FYI - I had to connect the DVAP to a PC to update the firmware. After update I reconnected the DVAP to the MacMini. That was 3+ years ago and I forgot to convey that step.

Dana
K6BRR

Sent from my NSA surveillance device

> On Jan 31, 2015, at 12:40 PM, "rrkpl@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>
> Hi Matthew,
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> Thanks for the info! I just turned off 'app nap' and I see if that solves the problem. I also received an email from K6BRR suggesting to see if the firmware is current but I can only find PC Windows updaters.
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> Thanks again es 73
>
> Richard / W4RRR
>
>
>

3614. Dvap Unlinks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-06 15:48:41 UTC
From: sbeckwith@...
Topic: 3614 Message: 3614

Hi, I have a 70cm DVAP running on a windows 7 laptop. I get unlinked fairly often, it looks like after about 10 tries to keep the connection alive I get a gateway time out message. I was wondering if there is a way to up the retry counter. The repeater I link to most ofter uses a Verizon cell phone router and I think that is where the problem is.

Thanks

Steve K9CZ

3615. RE: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Unlinks

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-06 22:16:21 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3614 Message: 3615

No way to increase the retry counter, the other end also unlinks you at the same count.

If you are linking to a repeater that is using a cell phone connection, you are definitely going to have issues. I'd highly suggest getting the administrator of the repeater to link to a reflector and disable inbound connections.

Once the repeater is connected to a reflector, then you can connect to the reflector and that should increase your reliability substantially.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, February 6, 2015 10:49 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Unlinks

Hi, I have a 70cm DVAP running on a windows 7 laptop. I get unlinked fairly often, it looks like after about 10 tries to keep the connection alive I get a gateway time out message. I was wondering if there is a way to up the retry counter. The repeater I link to most ofter uses a Verizon cell phone router and I think that is where the problem is.

Thanks

Steve K9CZ

3616. dvap and raspberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-08 21:23:22 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3616 Message: 3616

I've just about figured out the installation, but I'm at the point where I fill in the dvap device (in the dvap tool 1.04 box) and the device box is blank. If I click on it or the drop down arrow, the dvap device box goes to a blue color . HELP please! Thanks Jerry N4ETJ

3617. Re: dvap and raspberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-09 11:45:42 UTC
From: Tommy Martin
Topic: 3616 Message: 3617

I have a tutorial on www.amateurlogic.tv that shows how to set everything up. It may help. Search the wiki for DVAP pi.

73,
Tommy

3618. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap and raspberry pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-09 16:42:13 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3616 Message: 3618

Thanks for your reply. Robin ,AA4RC, also emailed me and got me going. I enjoy your You Tube programs! Thanks again, Jerry N4ETJ
> On Feb 9, 2015, at 6:45 AM, Tommy Martin tmartin62@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>
> I have a tutorial on www.amateurlogic.tv <http://www.amateurlogic.tv/> that shows how to set everything up. It may help. Search the wiki for DVAP pi.
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> 73,
> Tommy
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>
>

3619. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-11 16:19:56 UTC
From: w9whf4@...
Topic: 3580 Message: 3619

New to Group- mSame Problem
I just installed a new DVAP Dongle on a fast Win 7 computer.
Everything appears right on this end, but when I access a reflector I get a "Read Only" response on all reflectors. I am hearing stations on a few reflectors. I am using a new ID-51A as a radio and have entered the My Call as "W9WHF A" as recommended.
All the control commands seem to work.
Our local (Nashville) remote access is down so I can't really check much via the DV route.
Any suggestions.
I show as registered on the D*Star network.

Garry
W9WHF

3620. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-11 16:32:54 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3580 Message: 3620

Hi Garry. It doesn't look like you are registered. Take a look at
http://www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org

http://www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org

View on www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org
Preview by Yahoo

for instructions. Pick the closest gateway to you. The list is at D-StarUsers.org Your Source for D-Star Digital Amateur Radio Information! http://www.dstarusers.org

http://www.dstarusers.org

D-StarUsers.org Your Source for D-Star Digital Amateur R... http://www.dstarusers.org
D-Star Amateur Radio Systems, your source for D-Star Digital Amateur Radio

View on www.dstarusers.org http://www.dstarusers.org
Preview by Yahoo

. Click on the repeaters tab.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3621. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-11 18:43:42 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 3580 Message: 3621

I checked dstarusers.org earlier today and it showed
Me there as W9WHF A connected to REF021C
and I checked the registration page cross check
and both the XYL (K4LLD) and I are registered in
The approved users page.
We have some real issues on the KI4SDI Gateway repeater in Nashville. There is no link presently existing in the registration tab and the crosscheck feature on the website doesn't work either. All the stuff functioned a couple of weeks ago, but evidently there is some real issues and the link linkages are all down as well so you cannot access any reflectors in the normal way. However with the DVAP it's working fine except it's receive only. Am I missing something?
Thanks, it sure looks like it is a registration issue. I just don't know how to fix it.
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 11, 2015, at 10:32 AM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> D-Star Amateur Radio Systems, your source for D-Star Digital Amateur Radio
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> Preview by Yahoo
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> . Click on the repeaters tab.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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>

3622. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-11 20:12:57 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 3580 Message: 3622

Robin: I think I know it might be the problem. I don't think I filled out the last personal information page after our approval from the KI4STI repeater administrator sent to me , I didn't know what it meant. This would apply to either of our two accounts. Is there anyway to go back and edit those, so that we can get this problem resolved. I noticed that when I did a registration check, it said "registration not OK" something about a space error.

I sent an e-mail to the KI4SDI administrator but no
response.
I don't know what's going on with our D*Star star repeater, but it looks like suffering from lack of attention.
Thanks for your help
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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3623. Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-13 20:55:33 UTC
From: rmc8_99@...
Topic: 3623 Message: 3623

I am having trouble getting the Dongle to respond to the I,E, & U commands. I copied them directly from the website:
DVAP I
DVAP E
U

However, all I get is

Unknown command. Yes the U is in the 8th position.

What do you suggest?

3624. Re: Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-14 01:30:40 UTC
From: rmc8_99@...
Topic: 3623 Message: 3624

I double checked and found a formatting error that resolved the problem when the DVAP is connected to my windows computer. However, using the same radio I am unable to get them to work with a Raspberry Pi. The Pi connects to reflectors as requested. But the other commands do not work. Am I missing something here?

3625. Re: Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-14 22:48:40 UTC
From: rmc8@...
Topic: 3623 Message: 3625

When I look at the gateway, I see it trying to route "DVAP I".

3626. Re: Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-17 22:43:45 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3623 Message: 3626

Hi

What is your call sign?

WA6JFK
Los Angeles

3627. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-18 15:21:51 UTC
From: Will Saunders
Topic: 3623 Message: 3627

Hello Brian, My name is Will, N7WNS, of Troutdale, OR. I signed on to the yahoo group to find my way through my DVAP/RPI install. I'm sorry I'm not much of a forum type of fellow but I appreciate the information! Thanks, Will
-------- Original message --------
From: "chp2150@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]"
Date:02/17/2015 2:43 PM (GMT-08:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc:
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Hi What is your call sign? WA6JFK Los Angeles

3628. Re: Dongle is not responding to certain commands

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-18 17:59:15 UTC
From: rmc8@...
Topic: 3623 Message: 3628

It is N9QGU.

I resolved the problem. I reconfigured the image using DSTAR commander. I updated the radio memories by creating a stack that just use " I" and " E".

Thanks for the suggestions from the group.

Bob (N9QGU)

3629. IC-92D/DVAP and DSTAR.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-19 14:41:24 UTC
From: les-g0jnt@...
Topic: 3629 Message: 3629

Hello all,

Could someone please explain to me how operate my 92D with a DVAP through a UK DSTAR repeater.
I have already registered my radio. and entered my callsign into the radio,s memory OK.
If i wanted to connect to, for example G0WMO via GB7RW, then what do enter on my 92D
Thank you, any help appreciated.

Regards,
Les G0JNT.

3630. IC-92D and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-19 15:15:39 UTC
From: les-g0jnt@...
Topic: 3630 Message: 3630

Hello All,

I have a 92D and DVAP.
How do i make a DSTAR connection with, for example G0WMO via GB7RW.
What info do i need to input on my radio.
I have already registered on the DSTAR network and entered my callsign in my radio.
Any help would be appreciated.
Thank you.

Regards,
Les G0JNT.

3631. RE: [DVAPDongle] IC-92D and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-19 20:46:50 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3630 Message: 3631

The DVAP doesn’t support call sign routing. I’m assuming that G0WMO is a user and GB7RW is a repeater?
If so, just link the DVAP to GB7RW and call the station listening to the repeater.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2015 10:16 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] IC-92D and DVAP

Hello All,

I have a 92D and DVAP.

How do i make a DSTAR connection with, for example G0WMO via GB7RW.

What info do i need to input on my radio.

I have already registered on the DSTAR network and entered my callsign in my radio.

Any help would be appreciated.

Thank you.

Regards,

Les G0JNT.

3632. Re: [DVAPDongle] IC-92D and DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-19 23:30:46 UTC
From: Tom Carpenter
Topic: 3630 Message: 3632

Hi Les

Here is a link that you need to read.

http://www.dstarinfo.com/dstar-web-calculator.aspx

Tom C
KI8AS

On Thu, Feb 19, 2015 at 3:46 PM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> The DVAP doesn’t support call sign routing. I’m assuming that G0WMO is a
> user and GB7RW is a repeater?
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> If so, just link the DVAP to GB7RW and call the station listening to the
> repeater.

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> Ed WA4YIH
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> *Sent:* Thursday, February 19, 2015 10:16 AM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] IC-92D and DVAP
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3633. Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-20 21:07:26 UTC
From: wa2uet@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3633

I downloaded and paid $60 for the software advertised to fix this missing "dnssd.dll" file and it is still missing! Guess I got hooked. But that aside, what else do I do? Where do I find this "Bonjour" thing I see mentioned?

Thanks
Stan, WA2UET

3634. Nextbook 8 Win 8.1 (Walmart $99) with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-22 12:22:42 UTC
From: hinkelrich@...
Topic: 3634 Message: 3634

I have set up a DVAP with a Nextbook for testing.

Works Great .

Some issues working with Nextbook and Windows 8.1

1. You do NOT need an OTG cable.. a powered hub (ONN 12 volt hub works)
(Walmart $10)
The ONN hub has a lighter plug for power
All four USB connections are NOT wired together on the hub..but
can be used in pairs on each side of the green LED.

2. Power saving can be set in windows for stay ON with battery connected.

3. DVAP software installed and ran just like a desktop computer.

73 Rich KB0WD

3635. Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-22 14:39:22 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3269 Message: 3635

Hi Stan. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at
http://www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com

http://www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com

View on www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com
Preview by Yahoo

No $60 software needed.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3636. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-22 16:14:39 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3269 Message: 3636

Hi, Stan.

Here are the step by step directions for installing your DVAP including
where to get Bonjour at no cost. You will find the link in step 9.

http://www.dvapdongle.com/Installation.html

73 - Jeff VE6EFR

On 2/20/2015 1:07 PM, wa2uet@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> thing I see mentioned?
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> Thanks
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> Stan, WA2UET
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3637. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-22 15:23:55 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 3269 Message: 3637

If you have a computer, Google will tell you that Bonjour is available from Apple.

From: mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2015 4:07 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: dnssd.dll missing

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Thanks

Stan, WA2UET

3638. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dnssd.dll missing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-22 15:37:55 UTC
From: Stan
Topic: 3269 Message: 3638

I have DVap running now. I searched all over and found the instruction for the $60 software and purchased that. It did not work. Then I saw a message saying to install ITunes. So I did that and that worked. Now I think I may uninstall the ITunes and just keep the Bonjour file. Long way around but I got there.

Thanks all for the help. I wish I was more patient and waited for all the info.

Stan

From: mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, February 22, 2015 9:39 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: dnssd.dll missing

Hi Stan. Please follow step 9 in the installation instructions at
http://www.dvapdongle.com

http://www.dvapdongle.com
View on www.dvapdongle.com Preview by Yahoo

No $60 software needed.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3639. R: [DVAPDongle] Nextbook 8 Win 8.1 (Walmart $99) with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-22 14:55:16 UTC
From: Antonio
Topic: 3634 Message: 3639

hello to all DVAP sell new, 73 !! at all. tony

Windows phone 8.1

----- Messaggio originale -----
Da: "hinkelrich@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Inviato: □22/□02/□2015 15:38
A: "DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Oggetto: [DVAPDongle] Nextbook 8 Win 8.1 (Walmart $99) with DVAP

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Works Great .

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3640. Copy SD Card?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-24 00:12:02 UTC
From: markhg1161@...
Topic: 3640 Message: 3640

I just bought another Raspberry Pi for my office for my DVAP. I already have a functioning DVAP/Pi in my home. Is it simply a matter of copying the SD card, that I am using with Pi#1, using my Windows PC, to make Pi#2 operational. Or, is there something I am missing here? Formatting an issue of the new SD card? I will be using the same DVAP with the same frequency programmed into my office radio

Thanks

Mark
WA2DIY

3641. Re: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-24 15:21:18 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3640 Message: 3641

Mark,

You can't just copy the image from one SD card to another. You need to use Win32 Disc Imager to move the image from your working SD card to the new one.

Chip
WB0LBZ

In a message dated 2/24/2015 8:21:38 A.M. Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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Thanks

Mark
WA2DIY

3642. Re: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-24 17:14:08 UTC
From: Teton Amateur Radio Repeater Association
Topic: 3640 Message: 3642

You will need to copy the image to the new SD card. Not the same as a disk copy. Use this:

http://sourceforge.net/projects/win32diskimager

It is a little quirky until you figure out how to use it. It will also take a while to complete the copy.

Mick - W7CAT

----- Original Message -----
From: "markhg1161@... [DVAPDongle]"
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, February 23, 2015 05:12:02 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

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Be sure to check out all the latest at our web site <http://www.wyocat.com/tarra>and look at our repeater sites <http://www.wyocat.com/tarra/site_pics.html>! IRLP Node 3464 <#>

3643. WTB: DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-24 19:27:44 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 1599 Message: 3643

Does anyone have a DVAP they'd like to sell? I can get one new for $239, but thought someone might have one they'd sell cheaper. I'm a ham, what can I say...

73,
Scott, N9AA

3644. Re: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-24 23:00:39 UTC
From: Mark Gottlieb
Topic: 3640 Message: 3644

Thanks. I keep forgetting that the SD card is the hard drive for this computer. And as with my PC, when I make a backup hard drive, I have to image the data.

73's
Mark
WA2DIY

-------- Original message --------
From: "Teton Amateur Radio Repeater Association tarra@wyocat.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date: 02/24/2015 12:14 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

You will need to copy the image to the new SD card. Not the same as a disk copy. Use this:

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----- Original Message -----
From: "markhg1161@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]"
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, February 23, 2015 05:12:02 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

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Be sure to check out all the latest at our web site and look at our repeater sites! IRLP Node 3464

3645. Re: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-24 23:02:54 UTC
From: Mark Gottlieb
Topic: 3640 Message: 3645

Thank-you.

73's
Mark
WA2DIY

-------- Original message --------
From: "chipmckcmo@aol.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date: 02/24/2015 10:21 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Copy SD Card?

Mark,

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Chip
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Thanks

Mark

WA2DIY

3646. dvap dongles

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-26 19:44:14 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3646 Message: 3646

I have a 2meter and a 70cm dvap. Is there any need to have both? Does one do something that the other doesn't? Any help will be appreciated! Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ

3647. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap dongles

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-02-27 01:52:26 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3646 Message: 3647

I would guess that it would depend on which radio you prefer using to access DSTAR. I have a couple of 2meter ones but have no knowledge of any difference, except the frequency. I would be interested in the 2meter one if you decide to get rid of that one.

Chip
WB0LBZ

In a message dated 2/26/2015 7:46:47 P.M. Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

I have a 2meter and a 70cm dvap. Is there any need to have both? Does one do something that the other doesn't? Any help will be appreciated! Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ

3648. DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 10:15:42 UTC
From: les-g0jnt@...
Topic: 3648 Message: 3648

Hello All,

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I wondered what the advantages/disadvantages would be, if any !
In my situation i would be using a 2 m colinear antenna fed with no more than 30 feet of coaxial cable.

Regards,
Les G0JNT.

3649. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 14:50:48 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3648 Message: 3649

I read recently that the front end on a 2M DVAP is easily overloaded and doesn't deal well with harmonics; not so much the case with the 70cm DVAP. From what I've read, I don't believe that it's a good idea to attach anything more than a unity gain duck to either. Maybe someone with direct experience will have a better response.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

> On Mar 2, 2015, at 3:15 AM, les-g0jnt@ntlworld.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Posted by: les-g0jnt@ntlworld.com

3650. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 15:22:49 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3648 Message: 3650

I have attached the DVAP to an external antenna. My ability to be a few blocks away from my QTH worked great. I am not sure how far I could have gone. I noticed no ill effects from using the antenna. I have since put up a hot spot which works for miles not just blocks.

In a message dated 3/2/2015 9:05:07 A.M. Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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Posted by: _les-g0jnt@..._ (mailto:les-g0jnt@...)

3651. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 16:18:38 UTC
From: Arnold Ruiz
Topic: 3648 Message: 3651

I attached a Diamond X30A with no ill effects.

Arnold Ruiz
917 514-1482
n2ydc_1@...

FCC Lic. N2YDC
FCC Lic. WQQN428
Grid Square FN30ar
D-Star REF020A - XRF121A
APRS ~ N2YDC-7
N2YDC@W2LI-4 packet

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3652. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 16:09:59 UTC
From: wb5ugc
Topic: 3648 Message: 3652

Used 2 meter unit for years o N outside meter antenna up about 30 ft . Get about a two mile coverage area. Talk back from my recumbent bike ...works great..

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy Tab®|PRO

-------- Original message --------
From: "Dennis Griffin eagleeyedennis@gmx.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date:03/02/2015 08:50 (GMT-06:00)
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

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Les G0JNT.

Posted by: les-g0jnt@ntlworld.com

3653. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 16:44:07 UTC
From: kb5wb@...
Topic: 3648 Message: 3653

I use a 440 on gain ant at 60 ft .. get about 3-4 miles... I live out in country.. interference is NOT a issue here

kb5wb@... David

-----Original Message-----
From: wb5ugc WB5UGC@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Mon, Mar 2, 2015 10:21 am
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

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Posted by: les-g0jnt@...

3654. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 16:28:02 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3648 Message: 3654

I've used my DVAP connected to an outside antenna on my 16th floor balcony (160 feet agl). A friend approx 11 km away could hear and decode the dvap.

Jeff VE6EFR

3655. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 16:20:28 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3648 Message: 3655

Just curious -

how much gain on the external antenna?

how much power being used to access?

2M or 70cm DVAP?

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3656. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-02 20:40:00 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 3648 Message: 3656

I use mine with a dual-band J-pole (it's a UHF DVAP). It works really well, and gives me enough range to be heard from any where in our complex. My J-pole is only about 18 feet high.

Roy KW4G

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3657. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and External Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-03 01:26:28 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3648 Message: 3657

Oops. I overstated the range by a factor of ten. Amazing the power a zero can have.

Well, in looking at the poop sheet that came with my 70cm DVAP, I find a few pertinent statements that I don’t recall seeing on the DVAP website when I looked recently. However, I hadn’t seen the attached file at that time.

“Using the included antenna, the 10 milliwatt transmitter typically provides a range of 1000yards/meters.” I meant to type 100 yards/meters.

“An external power amplifier should not be used since necessary filtering and preampfification are not included.”

“An external antenna may be connected to the SMA connector for additional range.”

Additional info can be found in the attached file.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

3658. DVAP Suddenly messaging more

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-07 20:08:16 UTC
From: rmc8@...
Topic: 3658 Message: 3658

For the past day my DVAP announces every minute or so, what reflector it is linked to. I do not have it set to automatically connect at start up. Does this indicate that it is loosing the connection and reconnecting?

3659. DVAP Dongle for sale $100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-14 20:58:06 UTC
From: k1lva@...
Topic: 3659 Message: 3659

Hello all,

I have a few things for sale.
I have one DVAP for $100.
I have one 92A/D with GPS Speaker Mic for $500.
I have one 2820 with D-Star board and GPS antenna for $500

All items are fully operable and come in original boxes with documentation.
All items are clean and very well cared for.
I'm a non-smoker so white buttons are still white!

I'm accepting Paypal only. If seriously interested, please email me off list. Thanks

Jarrod
K1LVA at yahoo dot com

3660. Re: DVAP Dongle for sale $100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-15 20:40:07 UTC
From: k1lva@...
Topic: 3659 Message: 3660

The DVAP has sold. Thank you. The rest are still available. Thanks
Jarrod K1LVA

3661. Looking to Buy

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-16 03:23:23 UTC
From: wa3adi@...
Topic: 3661 Message: 3661

Greetings,

Anyone wishing to sell a 440 DVAP dongle, please let me know.

Thank you and 73 de Vince - WA3ADI - Havertown, PA

3662. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle for sale $100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-16 06:08:19 UTC
From: Dana Jones
Topic: 3659 Message: 3662

Thank you for the reply. Good luck.

Sent from my NSA surveillance device

> On Mar 15, 2015, at 1:40 PM, "k1lva@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> The DVAP has sold. Thank you. The rest are still available. Thanks
> Jarrod K1LVA
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> ---
> Posted by: k1lva@...
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3663. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle for sale $100

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-16 17:51:15 UTC
From: <jblake8061@...>
Topic: 3659 Message: 3663

Thanks for the respond, I don't need anything else, I have all the DStar radios I can used for now.

Sent from Windows Mail

From: Dana Jones k6brr@arrl.net [DVAPDongle]
Sent: □Monday□, □March□ □16□, □2015 □2□:□08□ □AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Thank you for the reply. Good luck.

Sent from my NSA surveillance device

> On Mar 15, 2015, at 1:40 PM, "k1lva@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> The DVAP has sold. Thank you. The rest are still available. Thanks
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> Posted by: k1lva@yahoo.com
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> Yahoo Groups Links
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3664. (no subject)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-17 11:49:29 UTC
From: Antonio
Topic: 3664 Message: 3664

good morning to everyone antonio iv3fhs from Udine Italy, sell DVAP new dongle. iv3fhs@...

Windows phone 8.1

3665. (no subject)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-17 17:10:45 UTC
From: antonio gullo
Topic: 3665 Message: 3665

hello friend, if I want I 'DVAP the VHF 144 if' you can 'be of interest !!
hello 73, antonio iv3fhs

3666. 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-17 19:56:00 UTC
From: k5sjw@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3666

are there any advantages between the 2m or the 70cm? other than price

3667. Re: Not connected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 00:07:51 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3464 Message: 3667

I am having the same problem. I have continued to search online for a solution. Did you resolve your problem and if so how?

Thanks,
Glen

kb1dni

3668. IGNORING TRANSMIT WHILE NOT CONNECTED

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 03:43:17 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3668 Message: 3668

I checked this group to see about resolving this issue. I have been trying to get the DVAP working on 3 different computers with no luck. All 3 have the same error mentioned in the topic/subject.

I saw a couple of prior postings here but no apparent resolution was achieved for many. Seeing this is not working on 3 computers and even at a wifi hotspot I guess there must be a radio setting that I have overlooked.

I DO NOT GET THE RED LIGHT WHEN KEYING/TRANSMITTING only AFTER I RELEASE LIKE THE RADIO IS TRANSMITTING BACK TO ME BUT NOT CONNECTING TO ANY DSTAR REPEATER/REFLECTOR.

Any insight would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Glen
KB1DNI

3669. Re: DVAP not connecting to inet or reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 05:43:48 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3543 Message: 3669

I am getting the same thing "gateway unknown". Have you found a solution?

Thanks,
Glen

3670. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 03:06:45 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3508 Message: 3670

I am having the same problems on three computers with the DVAP. I get a message "ignoring transmit while not connected <cqcqcq>"

Curious is you found a resolution?

Thanks,
Glen
KB1DNI

3671. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP not connecting to inet or reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 13:20:07 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3543 Message: 3671

Make sure the gateway is connected to the us trust server
On Mar 18, 2015 8:55 AM, "kb1dni@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I am getting the same thing "gateway unknown". Have you found a solution?
>
> Thanks,
> Glen
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3672. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 13:50:34 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3508 Message: 3672

This is normal operation for DVAPTool if you are not connected to a reflector/gateway.
Sending "CQCQCQ " in urcall does nothing if not connected.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3673. Re: DVAP not connecting to inet or reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 14:44:18 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3543 Message: 3673

Hi Jack,

Thank you for your reply how do I confirm that is is connected to the "us trust server"?

Thanks,
Glen

3674. Re: IGNORING TRANSMIT WHILE NOT CONNECTED

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 23:24:44 UTC
From: tiga31328@...
Topic: 3668 Message: 3674

What radio are you using to transmit to the DVAP?

Are you connected to a Windows computer with the DVAP?

The software is pretty straight forward so either you do not have your radio configured correctly, or you have some type of firewall/router issue that is not allowing your DVAP to get out.

You should have a blinking blue when the DVAP is ready, a green when transmitting, and a red when receiving.

3675. RE: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 15:48:32 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3508 Message: 3675

What’s the programming that you have in your radio to link and then to talk?
When you are linked, what does DVTool show that you are linked to?

It is very possible that you have some port on your network. Can you try on another network? Preferably, not a corporate network where things are often known to be blocked.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 17, 2015 11:07 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

I am having the same problems on three computers with the DVAP. I get a message "ignoring transmit while not connected <cqcqcq>"

Curious is you found a resolution?

Thanks,

Glen

KB1DNI

3676. RE: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-18 15:42:15 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3666 Message: 3676

One is a prettier color than the other.

(Whoops, they are the same color)

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 17, 2015 3:56 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap

are there any advantages between the 2m or the 70cm? other than price

3677. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-19 03:32:13 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 3508 Message: 3677

I've had lots of issues behind Sonicwall, Watchguard and Fortinet firewall / Unified Threat Management gateways. Have had to write specific policies to pass the packets for DVAPs and Dongles. The initial connection will be made, then once traffic starts to flow the security devices see them as a threat and shuts them down. Have to grab the packet logs and track down the exact issue and then create a policy to exempt it.

On Wed, Mar 18, 2015 at 11:48 AM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> What’s the programming that you have in your radio to link and then to
> talk?
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> When you are linked, what does DVTool show that you are linked to?
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> It is very possible that you have some port on your network. Can you try
> on another network? Preferably, not a corporate network where things are
> often known to be blocked.
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> Ed WA4YIH
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> *Sent:* Tuesday, March 17, 2015 11:07 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working
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> I am having the same problems on three computers with the DVAP. I get a
> message "ignoring transmit while not connected <cqcqcq>"
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> Curious is you found a resolution?
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> Thanks,
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> Glen
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> KB1DNI
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3678. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-19 03:41:52 UTC
From: J Simon
Topic: 3666 Message: 3678

I guess that answers my question lol
73's

John K5SJW
K5SJW@...

Sent from my iPhone 6 plus

> On Mar 18, 2015, at 10:42 AM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle]
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> One is a prettier color than the other.
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> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> Sent: Tuesday, March 17, 2015 3:56 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap
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3679. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-19 14:41:47 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3508 Message: 3679

Glenn, I have the red DVAP dongle. I also have the 51A. My from is set to simplex 441.000 MHz. Set your dongle to the same simplex frequency. 73 AI4LL

On Mar 18, 2015 9:18 AM, "kb1dni@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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>
> I am having the same problems on three computers with the DVAP. I get a
> message "ignoring transmit while not connected <cqcqcq>"
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> Curious is you found a resolution?
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> Thanks,
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> Glen
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> KB1DNI
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3680. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-19 14:43:24 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3666 Message: 3680

440 less crowded most places local.
On Mar 17, 2015 8:13 PM, "k5sjw@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> are there any advantages between the 2m or the 70cm? other than price
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3681. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP not connecting to inet or reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-19 14:45:43 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3543 Message: 3681

Check the dstar web page. dstarinfo.org
On Mar 18, 2015 10:24 PM, "kb1dni@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hi Jack,

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> Thank you for your reply how do I confirm that is is connected to the "us
> trust server"?
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> Thanks,
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> Glen
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3682. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-20 19:41:52 UTC
From: k5sjw@...
Topic: 3580 Message: 3682

Ok.. New here just got the Dvap and I'm getting the Receive only promt when connecting to a reflector.. I'm registered as a user do I need to register as a gateway also? any help?

Thank you

John

K5SJW

3683. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-20 22:47:45 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3580 Message: 3683

Hi John. You need to log back into KN5V and register a "space" terminal as shown at http://www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org

http://www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org

View on www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org
Preview by Yahoo

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73,
Robin
AA4RC

3684. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive Only Problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-21 00:10:55 UTC
From: J Simon
Topic: 3580 Message: 3684

Thank you home it works

73's

John K5SJW
K5SJW@...

Sent from my iPhone 6 plus

> On Mar 20, 2015, at 5:47 PM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Hi John. You need to log back into KN5V and register a "space" terminal as shown at http://www.dstargateway.org
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> http://www.dstargateway.org
> View on www.dstargateway.org
> Preview by Yahoo
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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3685. Re: IGNORING TRANSMIT WHILE NOT CONNECTED

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-21 23:53:49 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3668 Message: 3685

I am using the ID-51A windows computer. It connects and listens but will not transmit the audio even though the lights indicate that everything is working.

I have the flashing blue , green when transmitting and red. but the audio is not sending.....

thanks for the help.

3686. Re: New DVAP and ID51A not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-22 00:19:11 UTC
From: kb1dni@...
Topic: 3508 Message: 3686

Wow, changed the freq and all is well! Who would have though.....thank you!

73
Glen
KB1DNI

3687. Happy Birthday Robin!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-26 22:16:38 UTC
From: Mark Thompson
Topic: 3687 Message: 3687

Robin -

Happy Birthday!!

3688. Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-29 15:12:06 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3688

Did anyone ever seriously answer your question? I asked the same question and never received a response. Jerry N4ETJ

3689. Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-29 15:14:52 UTC
From: jerryllaur@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3689

I forgot to say that I bought both and wanted to know any reason to keep both. Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ

3690. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-29 16:58:18 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3666 Message: 3690

What are the differences? There are actually many.

But the answer that matters, is that they are on different bands.

So you really want to know what the difference are?
The labels
The frequency checked on the box
The PC board is slightly different
In other words, all sorts of little things that no one should really care about.

Why are there two? The 2M version was first and easiest to create. The 440 took a little more work because of the frequency. The introduction of the ID-31 UHF only pushed the development of the UHF version.

Why have two? For various reasons. I've got both. I know of a lot of people that have both. Is there a reason to have both? Well, is there actually a good reason to buy the first? Of course it's not a live or die decision. I have both because it fits my needs. But then again, there are few people with needs similar to mine.

Are there differences? Yes
Are both needed? For me, yes.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, March 29, 2015 11:12 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Did anyone ever seriously answer your question? I asked the same question and never received a response. Jerry N4ETJ

3691. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-29 17:40:28 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 3666 Message: 3691

The same reasons that hold true for any radio. UHF tends to penetrate walls a little better than VHF. VHF tends to be good for a little longer range than UHF. In most areas the 2 meter band is already pretty crowded. I think all of these reasons have been mentioned. I guess it really comes down to personal preference, and what works best with the equipment that you have.

I just returned form a weekend camping trip where I had the UHF DVAP set up inside the camper. I could hear it (although marginally) from the far end of the campground, which was approximately .5 mile. I was using the stock, stubby antenna on the DVAP. I am waiting to receive my dual-band DVMega. I will probably use the UHF side of it, because I'm already set up for that. It will be nice to have VHF available, should I decide to use it.

Hope this helps. 73.

KW4G

Roy G. Jackson
Naples, Florida USA

On 03/29/2015 11:14 AM, jerryllaur@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> I forgot to say that I bought both and wanted to know any reason to
> keep both.
>
> Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ
>

3692. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-29 17:57:25 UTC
From: William E Ott
Topic: 3666 Message: 3692

I have a couple of each. I find it useful just to have the ability to link to multiple reflectors at the same time and just listen to the traffic. I have the 31A and three 51A radios. I find it enjoyable to listen to multiple things at once.

On Sun, Mar 29, 2015 at 11:14 AM, jerryllaur@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I forgot to say that I bought both and wanted to know any reason to keep
> both.
> Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ
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3693. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-30 03:09:09 UTC
From: troy creed
Topic: 3666 Message: 3693

I tend to favor 2 meters, because I seem to be able to transmit farther on
2 meters than on 440. In my situation, 2 meter antennas are easier to tune
for swr. Im sure other people have different thoughts than me. It generally

is a personal preference but these are my reasons.

73 de w8tcc, troy
On Mar 29, 2015 11:03 PM, "'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@...
[DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> What are the differences? There are actually many.
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> But the answer that matters, is that they are on different bands.
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> So you really want to know what the difference are?
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> Are there differences? Yes
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> Are both needed? For me, yes.
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> Ed WA4YIH
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> *Sent:* Sunday, March 29, 2015 11:12 AM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@...m
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap
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> Did anyone ever seriously answer your question? I asked the same question
> and never received a response. Jerry N4ETJ
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3694. Fwd: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-30 11:48:08 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3694 Message: 3694

Thanks Ed,
This answered my questions! Jerry N4ETJ

> Begin forwarded message:
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> From: "'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Date: March 29, 2015 at 12:58:18 PM EDT
> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap
> Reply-To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> What are the differences? There are actually many.
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> But the answer that matters, is that they are on different bands.
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3695. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-30 12:00:52 UTC
From: Ian M
Topic: 3694 Message: 3695

If you have a look at the following you tube video from Pacificon 2012
Robin Cutshaw AA4RC mentison amongst other things there is better filtering
in the UHF DVAP

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XfDRgkKvWXA

73 Ian de G8ZHC

On 30 March 2015 at 12:48, Jerry Laur jerrylaur@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Thanks Ed,
> This answered my questions! Jerry N4ETJ
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> Begin forwarded message:
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> *From: *"'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle]" <
> DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> *To: *DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Date: *March 29, 2015 at 12:58:18 PM EDT
> *Subject: **RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap*
> *Reply-To: *DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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> people that have both. Is there a reason to have both? Well, is there
> actually a good reason to buy the first? Of course it’s not a live or die
> decision. I have both because it fits my needs. But then again, there are
> few people with needs similar to mine.
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> Are there differences? Yes
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> Are both needed? For me, yes.
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> Ed WA4YIH
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>]
> *Sent:* Sunday, March 29, 2015 11:12 AM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap
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3696. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-30 16:14:24 UTC
From: Jim MacKenzie
Topic: 3666 Message: 3696

I have both but I started with a 70cm one. (I had an opportunity to buy a 2m one from a nearby ham and thought I'd like to get a second one so that one can be permanently hooked up at home, and the other ready to travel with me.)

If I were to only have one I'd get 70cm again. My D-Star radio is dual band, but 70cm works well indoors through walls and such, and it's easier to build a high-gain antenna if you need. 2m might be more useful for a long-range node, but a 10 mW DVAP is probably not the best choice for such a node. :)

Jim VE5EIS (nodes VA5EIS B and C)

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: March-29-15 9:09 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

I tend to favor 2 meters, because I seem to be able to transmit farther on 2 meters than on 440. In my situation, 2 meter antennas are easier to tune for swr. Im sure other people have different thoughts than me. It generally is a personal preference but these are my reasons.

3697. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-30 23:56:21 UTC
From: <jblake8061@...>
Topic: 3666 Message: 3697

I personally went with the 440 UHF DVAP dongle here at my QTH. I liked the 440 dongle mainly because in this area 440 is not very crowded nor is their a lot of simplex activity. It would be nice to have both. I like the fellow who say he had “3 51A” and a 31A.

And I through I was bad buying the IC7100, IC5100 and the ID51A anniversary edition hand held.

73’s

AI4LL/Jack

Sent from Windows Mail

From: 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@ed-com.com [DVAPDongle]
Sent: □Sunday□, □March□ □29□, □2015 □12□:□58□ □PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

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But the answer that matters, is that they are on different bands.

So you really want to know what the difference are?

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In other words, all sorts of little things that no one should really care about.

Why are there two? The 2M version was first and easiest to create. The 440 took a little more work because of the frequency. The introduction of the ID-31 UHF only pushed the development of the UHF version.

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Are there differences? Yes

Are both needed? For me, yes.

Ed WA4YIH

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Sent: Sunday, March 29, 2015 11:12 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2M vs 7cm Dvap

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3698. DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-31 05:06:31 UTC
From: Shawn P. Stokes
Topic: 3666 Message: 3698

I’m new to the DVAP but not new to DStar, have a hot spot and access to several machines in the area but wanted a VHF DVAP to travel with and for special projects. I bought mine on Saturday and haven’t had much luck with it. I downloaded the software, downloaded and set up the driver as listed on the website and set the software up. I can get the software to run and I can get the DVAP to plug in and the unit to interface ok. I can check and it is seen ok by the network though I haven’t talked to anyone yet.

I can connect to a repeater or a reflector. But after 2 minutes of no activity it just dies. It goes from the blue flashing light to the green slow blink and I can’t do anything with it. If I hit close then open it again it will connect to it and it hears ok but it will not TX. Then I have to unplug the DVAP, shut the software off, plug the DVAP back in and restart the software. Lather, rinse, repeat. I’m sure this is a config error on my part but I’m not sure what. Some info/assumptions:

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2. DV AP Dongle Tool version 1.04, Boot is 1.09 and App is 1.07
3. FTDI Driver installed for this version of OS X, with reboot

Anyone have any ideas what I missed?

Thanks!

73,

Shawn

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Shawn P. Stokes
ka3rqr@...

3699. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-31 10:42:06 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3666 Message: 3699

Turn off App Nap for DVAP Tool. Select DVAP Tool app in finder, Command - I, check Prevent App Nap box in Get Info window.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

> On Mar 30, 2015, at 10:06 PM, 'Shawn P. Stokes' ka3rqr@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Posted by: "Shawn P. Stokes" <ka3rqr@...>

3700. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-31 10:45:08 UTC
From: Ian M
Topic: 3666 Message: 3700

Have you checked the power management settings ?

Its under Energy Saver in System Preferences and need to switch off
Computer Sleep and Hard Disk to sleep when possible.

Have the DVAP working no problem on a MacBook Pro using OS X 10.6 and
Windows 7 via Bootcamp

73 de Ian G8ZHC

On 31 March 2015 at 06:06, 'Shawn P. Stokes' ka3rqr@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3701. Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-03-31 19:46:18 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3701

I had the same issue when I picked up my new DVAP and hadn't had it previously, As Dennis mentioned, App Nap is the culprit. Right click the DVAP Tools application and check "Prevent App Nap." That will do the trick. As an aside, I tried Ian's suggestion of modifying the power management settings and that did not work for me. I think the App Nap "feature" is included in newer versions of OSX (10.9 is Mavericks, BTW), so the power management setting don't do anything to prevent this particular problem, although common sense would suggest that they should.

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Scott, N9AA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <ka3rqr@...> wrote :

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Shawn P. Stokes
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3702. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-01 09:34:39 UTC
From: Ian M
Topic: 3666 Message: 3702

Cheers Scott. It was a while ago. I must applied Prevent App Nap to DVAP get it to work as I have had a few QSO's on the MacBook in OS X. Mainly Use the Raspi mostly now.

Regards

Ian

On 31 March 2015 at 20:46, scott.manthe@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3703. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-01 17:29:25 UTC
From: Shawn P. Stokes
Topic: 3666 Message: 3703

Thanks for the input - App Nap was the culprit and I wouldn’t have found that otherwise. It’s working now on my iMac just fine and will test it with the MacBook next but no issues.

73,

Shawn

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Shawn P. Stokes
ka3rqr@...

On Apr 1, 2015, at 5:34 AM, Ian M nightflyian@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3704. Re: DVAP not connecting to inet or reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-05 20:08:09 UTC
From: w9meb@...
Topic: 3543 Message: 3704

I'm unsure this is the solution to the original problem of getting "gateway unknown" audible message or the pop up that says it doesn't recognize your DVAP and encourages you to be sure it is plugged in to a USB port.
I can move to another computer and it will work after opening and closing the dvap program a few times.
Still stumped on the overall issue but its working right now.
Mike, K0MEB (w9meb@yahoo.com)

3705. D-STAR Class returns to Dayton Hamvention 2015

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-06 12:58:33 UTC
From: wb4qdx@...
Topic: 3705 Message: 3705

The ultimate D-STAR training class, D-STAR InfoCon 2015, returns to Dayton Hamvention for the fourth year to provide an introduction to D-STAR for the many new users getting on the air and more advanced topics for more experienced D-STAR users. The three-hour class will be held on Friday, May 15th beginning at 8:00am local time. It will be held at the Drury Inn at 6616 Miller Lane in the heart of hotel row near Hamvention. This year’s topics will include basic D-STAR operation, programming for all models of D-STAR radios, using DR Mode, downloading and updating your radio memories and using other D-STAR devices.

All registered class participants will receive a D-STAR InfoCon mouse pad and are eligible to win an ID-51A Anniversary Edition dual-band D-STAR handheld to be given away during the class.

The cost of the class is $20.00 and includes all course material. Pre-registration is required and seating is limited. Registration and payment via PayPal can be found at www.dstarinfo.com http://www.dstarinfo.com/. For more info, send an email to info@dstarinfo.com.

3706. Thinking of a frequency for your DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-06 21:03:57 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3706 Message: 3706

If you are thinking about a frequency for your DVAP, remember, there are some frequencies that are in use that you may not be able to hear, but could cause damage to. It's always prudent to check the band plans, as well as the satellite frequencies before choosing a location. And don't foget that just because your DVAP is very low power doesn't mean that you'll remember to set your radio at the lowest power.

The following frequencies are currently used for Amateur Radio ISS contacts (QSOs): Voice and SSTV Downlink: 145.80 (Worldwide)
Voice Uplink: 144.49 for ITU Regions 2 and 3 (The Americas, and the Pacific and Southern Asia)
Voice Uplink: 145.20 for ITU Region 1 (Europe, Russia and Africa)
VHF Packet Uplink and Downlink: 145.825 (Worldwide)
UHF Packet Uplink and Downlink: 437.550
UHF/VHF Repeater Uplink: 437.80
UFH/VHF Repeater Downlink: 145.80

Ed WA4YIH

3707. Someone jog my memory please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-08 14:52:48 UTC
From: almassaro@...
Topic: 3707 Message: 3707

Is it possible to run DRATS over a DVAP through a reflector? A mind is a terrible thing to lose! and I am afraid I am suffering more and more from old timers!
Thanks
Al

3708. RE: [DVAPDongle] Someone jog my memory please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-09 13:52:57 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3707 Message: 3708

In D-STAR the data is embedded in the signal from the radio. That signal is passed through the DVAP.

Answer is Yes.

Of course make sure that data is suggested as the reflector’s use.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 8, 2015 10:53 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Someone jog my memory please

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3709. Re: Thinking of a frequency for your DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-09 19:03:14 UTC
From: gary@...
Topic: 3706 Message: 3709

Thank you Ed. That information was very good to know.

Gary, AK4ZX

3710. Winbook & DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-09 19:32:23 UTC
From: gary@...
Topic: 3710 Message: 3710

Some ham friends of mine put me on to another way of using my DVAPs...which I personally like better than the Raspberry Pi approach: Winbook (an 8 inch Windows 8.1-based tablet).

Winbook is a brand owned by Micro Center and has been around for a long time. The Winbook tablet (in my case a TW802 http://goo.gl/scbxkM) is a full Windows 8.1 operating system with touch screen. Once I installed Bonjour, DVAPTool worked perfectly with my 2m DVAP. This approach eliminates the large bundle of Raspberry Pi accessories I was forced to take along when I travel...so now less stuff to carry plus I get a lot of extra use out of the Winbook compared to my Raspberry Pi's.

Since the Winbook is basically a PC, with a USB, Bluetooth & wi-fi, keyboards and other accessories can be used if needed. I've installed Google Chrome to use with Google My Business and other Windows apps with no problem. I also use a 128GB SD card for extra storage and to take along movies and other large files when I travel. Battery life has not been a problem so far.

So in one small tablet, I have D-STAR access via the DVAP or Dongle, email, browsers, wi-fi, bluetooth, and a bevy of PC uses to boot. Reconfiguring is much easier since the tablet lets me see the software screens rather having to VNC-into the Pi or attach a monitor.

By the time you add in the Raspberry Pi must-have accessories and such you spent about as much as what the Winbook costs. The Winbook works well for me...another arrow in the quiver.

Gary, AK4ZX

3711. RE: [DVAPDongle] Someone jog my memory please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-10 11:51:32 UTC
From: almassaro@...
Topic: 3707 Message: 3711

Thanks Ed, I thought it was but ran into an issue on a reflector, not sure what caused it but looking into it. Thanks again!
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3712. RE: [DVAPDongle] Someone jog my memory please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-10 12:09:18 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3707 Message: 3712

Again, if you can hear the other station’s voice, you should be able to decode their data.

Unless one of you is running the high-speed data in the ID-51+ / ID-5100 and the other one isn’t. Or one of your signals is so weak that you are getting voice and barely any data through.

Neither a repeater not a reflector should be modifying that portion of the data stream.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2015 7:52 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Someone jog my memory please

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3713. RE: [DVAPDongle] Someone jog my memory please

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-11 18:06:40 UTC
From: almassaro@...
Topic: 3707 Message: 3713

Thanks we think we found the issue and it was just a simple oversight, a cable plugged in and trying to run bluetooth at the same time, unplugged an voila!
Thanks again
Al

3714. DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-17 15:18:57 UTC
From: tstaley@...
Topic: 3714 Message: 3714

What tables are being used for the DVAP. I know about the WINBook and have heard good reports, but are there other tablets folks are using for DStar? I am attempting to stay away form the raspberry pi.

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3715. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-17 23:12:27 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3714 Message: 3715

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3716. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-18 01:32:31 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3714 Message: 3716

I use a Lenova tablet (Windows 8.1) and it works great. It only has a single USB port. That is the only downside.

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3717. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-18 02:21:35 UTC
From: Al Winger
Topic: 3714 Message: 3717

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3718. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-18 18:10:17 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3714 Message: 3718

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3719. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-18 22:08:02 UTC
From: Al Winger
Topic: 3714 Message: 3719

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3720. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-24 18:13:23 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3720

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3721. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-25 03:48:23 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3714 Message: 3721

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-25 13:24:38 UTC
From: Al Winger
Topic: 3714 Message: 3722

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Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-25 17:15:00 UTC
From: Al Winger
Topic: 3714 Message: 3723

Hi Ed

I did some checking after your last input. It appears that the laptop and the tablet are both com 3, however on the tablet the Open button is still grayed out so I can't connect. On the laptop I have no problem connecting to reflectors.

I am using the latest software version of the Dvap 1.04 and all the settings on both devices are the same when the Dvap is connected to either of them. When I connect it to the tablet I do get the pulsing green light.

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>> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
>> Sent: Friday, April 17, 2015 11:19 AM
>> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>> Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?
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>> Thanks, Tim K5TGS
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3724. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-26 00:54:27 UTC
From: Al Winger
Topic: 3714 Message: 3724

Hi Ed
Update and success. I put tablet in recovery mode then downloaded bonjour, plugged in the Dvap dongle, let it install and then downloaded 1.04 Dvap software. Put in my call sign and frequency, clicked on the help tab above and com 3 lite up and allowed me to open. I linked to 30C to test and then unlinked.

10 minutes total once I had win 8 tablet back to factory settings.

Thanks again for your time and wisdom and the yahoo Dstar group.

73
Al
Ke0ccf

Sent from my iPad

> On Apr 25, 2015, at 7:24 AM, Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi Ed
> I will re check the tablet and laptop.
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> Thanks
> 73
> Al
> Ke0ccf
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> Sent from my iPad
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>> On Apr 24, 2015, at 9:48 PM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>> Are you sure that COM1 is where the DVAP installed? That sounds a little unusual. Make sure that you have to correct COM port by checking the Ports in Device Manager.
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>> Ed WA4YIH
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>> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
>> Sent: Friday, April 24, 2015 2:13 PM
>> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

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>> Hi Ed and DSTAR Group
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>> I had previously installed the DVAP on a windows laptop and it works great. Since our email correspondence I just bought the win 8.1 tablet and installed the DVAP program on it. The program opens up but it isn't allowing me to change to the tablets com port. The com area is grayed out and is showing me com 3 (which is the laptop com port) and not allowing me to use the tablets com1 port. Also, when I put in my simplex frequency it informs me that it is not a valid frequency. But this frequency works perfectly on the laptop.
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>> Any suggestions from the group would be appreciated.
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>> From: "Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
>> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>> Sent: Saturday, April 18, 2015 4:08 PM
>> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?
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>> Thanks Ed
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>> Sent from my iPad
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>> On Apr 18, 2015, at 12:10 PM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>> The DVAP has been supported on Windows for many years.
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>> The Windows tablets run Windows.
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>> It sounds as simple as it is. About the only difference is that if the tablet has only one micros USB port, then you will need a USB On-The-Go (UTG) cable.
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>> Windows tablets run full Windows, they aren't restricted like iPads or Androids. You can add large monitors, keyboards, disk drives and all sorts of things to them.
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>> Ed WA4YIH
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>> Sent with Outlook Web App
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>> From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> on behalf of Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
>> Sent: Friday, April 17, 2015 10:21 PM
>> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
>> Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?
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>> Hi Ed
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>> So if I understand you correctly a small windows tablet running 8.1 could be used with the Dvap instead of configuring a raspberry pi2.
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>> Just download the drivers like I did on my windows laptop and connect to a wifi source and I could be good to go. If that is the case That would be super. If you can add any other advice that would be great.
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>> Thanks again. I won't hit the buy the pi button on amazon.
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>> Thanks, Tim K5TGS
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3725. Dayton’s Friday Evening D-STAR at the Drury Inn

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-04-29 02:51:20 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3725 Message: 3725
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Dayton’s Friday Evening D-STAR at the Drury Inn

Friday evening’s D-STAR at the Drury Inn event will follow the Dayton Hamvention’s theme of “Homebrew Radio” and talk about Homebrew D-STAR.
Homebrew has been a big part of D-STAR since the very beginning. It’s been homebrew that’s driven D-STAR to where it is today.

Here’s some topics we expect to cover.

· [http://ts1.mm.bing.net/th?&id=JN.eWryhIfv3aakHPVUgEtXgg&w=300&h=300&c=0&pid=1.9&rs=0&p=0&r=0] <http://www.bing.com/images/search?q=homebrew+radios&view=detailv2&&&id=8F38DE38926868520F8FDB943AF55F15215D93E6&selectedIndex=2&ccid=vd1LrC18&simid=608028448952748943&thid=JN.eWryhIfv3aakHPVUgEtXgg> D-STAR Today - Statistics

· P-25 from Icom

· Learning how to use your new radio the easy way

· Updating your radio

· The options currently available with homebrew

· Samples of homebrew

· Homebrew by the developers

· Your Homebrew
Yes, the last subject is Your Homebrew. We want to see your homebrew. If you are going to be joining us Friday evening, please bring it along with you. If you aren’t going to be joining us, please send us a description and picture. We want everyone to see the options available.
Here’s what we need from you!
For those sending in your homebrew pictures, as well as those bringing their homebrew, here’s what we’d like to see

Ø A picture of your homebrew solution

Ø A short description of what it is

Ø A list of the parts and pieces

Ø If you have links to any additional information or where the parts may be obtained.

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If you can send us the information as s single PowerPoint page, that would be great! Try not to get the font too small. People in the back of the room won’t be able to appreciate your masterpiece.

Please send your submissions to Pictures@...<mailto:Pictures@...>
When and Where
Friday, May 15, 6:30-8:30 PM – D-STAR Update
Drury Inn Ballroom
6616 Miller Lane
Dayton OH

Light refreshments will be provided

Check www.DSTARInfo.com<http://www.DSTARInfo.com> for up to date information.

3726. New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-09 19:52:02 UTC
From: k4shp@...
Topic: 3726 Message: 3726

Does anyone have their DVAP running on a new Raspberry PI 2? If so how do you have the PI setup and where did you find the information?

Thanks and 73,
K4SHP

3727. Re: New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-10 14:11:45 UTC
From: Bob Stephens
Topic: 3726 Message: 3727

I have not set up a DVAP on an RPi2 but I have set up other devices. The same images like W6KD, Western DStar, and Maryland DStar that were used for RPi B+ have all been updated for RPi2 and should work fine using the current instructions that come with them.

Bob

3728. Re: New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-10 17:46:00 UTC
From: phoenix01@...
Topic: 3726 Message: 3728

I have used the Image file and the instructions here ... and have 4 Pi's that can talk to DVAP Dongles ... 70CM and 2M and the DVMEGA Board ... 70CM and the 2M and 70CM boards...

I suggest you start there. They update the files and have it set up to send the IP address to your cell phone . it allso is set up to be shut down and rebooted from your radio.

N3SRZ
Dave

3729. Re: New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-10 19:22:40 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3726 Message: 3729

Hi Jason;

By now, most distributions support the Pi-2. You can try my image here:

http://kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap/ http://kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap/

Doc is here: http://www.metro-uhf.org/kc4yoz/dvap/yoz-pi2-setup-instructions.html
http://www.metro-uhf.org/kc4yoz/dvap/yoz-pi2-setup-instructions.html

Mine is based on the WesternDstar image, which is available here:

Downloads http://westerndstar.co.uk/html/downloads.html

http://westerndstar.co.uk/html/downloads.html

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View on westerndstar.co.uk http://westerndstar.co.uk/html/downloads.html
Preview by Yahoo

73;

Ken - KC4YOZ

3730. Re: New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-11 01:04:40 UTC
From: af9w@...
Topic: 3726 Message: 3730

All of the images, like Western D-Star, W6KD, and Maryland D-Star all run on Pi2 just like the did on Pi B+

Bob

3731. Re: New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-10 17:59:06 UTC
From: phoenix01@...
Topic: 3726 Message: 3731

I would go here Maryland D-Star http://maryland-dstar.org/ and use there image and instructions. The update their image and instructions regularly. I have several Pi's configured to run 2m and 70CM DVAPs and DVMEGA boards.
They have set it up so you can repboot or shut down the pie via the radio.

http://maryland-dstar.org/

Maryland D-Star http://maryland-dstar.org/ Digital Smart Technologies for Amateur Radio
The first Maryland D-Star repeater was placed in service on 70CM in Harford County in 2007.

View on maryland-dstar.org http://maryland-dstar.org/
Preview by Yahoo

73
N3SRZ
Dave

3732. Re: New Raspberry PI 2

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-16 12:44:07 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 3726 Message: 3732

There is a document right here, in the Files section of this Group, under the Folder "DVAP for Raspberry Pi Autostart" which helped me set up my DVAP for use with the Raspberry Pi 2.

Thank you to W2SWR for posting and sharing such information.

73 de TG4NOR

3733. Receive only connection, checked reg and term ID, another set of eyes to assist?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-18 18:45:19 UTC
From: bill.fastenau@...
Topic: 3733 Message: 3733

Hi Folks,

Assisting a friend with a new DVAP. He (and I when I config my spare DVAP as him) get the R/O, rcv only when connecting to a reflector. With my callsign entered into his DVAP or mine they work normally. His radio passes through the gateway when he's on a repeater, so looks like the reg is OK. I looked at his terminal IDs and they look OK as well. Am I missing something?

Couldn't find a lot scrolling through the forum, referred already to the D-Star Self Registration Instructions and verified the reg and term IDs are set as required.

His call: KD2BAH

Thanks in advance for any suggestions!

Bill WB2QGZ

3734. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive only connection, checked reg and term ID, another set of eyes to assist?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-18 20:00:48 UTC
From: troy creed
Topic: 3733 Message: 3734

Check the I'd. If he is registered just his call sign, with no spaces and g,c,b,a, etc.
If the call is wrong, you won't be seen by the USTrust servers.
On May 18, 2015 3:07 PM, "bill.fastenau@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hi Folks,
>
> Assisting a friend with a new DVAP. He (and I when I config my spare DVAP
> as him) get the R/O, rcv only when connecting to a reflector. With my
> callsign entered into his DVAP or mine they work normally. His radio
> passes through the gateway when he's on a repeater, so looks like the reg
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> set as required.
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> Thanks in advance for any suggestions!
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> Bill WB2QGZ
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3735. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive only connection, checked reg and term ID, another set of eyes to assist?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-18 20:02:37 UTC
From: troy creed
Topic: 3733 Message: 3735

I had a lot of trouble until I typed in what I was registered with exactly.

73 de w8tcc, troy
On May 18, 2015 4:00 PM, "troy creed" <w8tcc.tcc@gmail.com> wrote:

> Check the I'd. If he is registered just his call sign, with no spaces and
> g,c,b,a, etc.
> If the call is wrong, you won't be seen by the USTrust servers.
> On May 18, 2015 3:07 PM, "bill.fastenau@verizon.net [DVAPDongle]" <
> DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>> Hi Folks,
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>> Assisting a friend with a new DVAP. He (and I when I config my spare
>> DVAP as him) get the R/O, rcv only when connecting to a reflector. With my
>> callsign entered into his DVAP or mine they work normally. His radio
>> passes through the gateway when he's on a repeater, so looks like the reg
>> is OK. I looked at his terminal IDs and they look OK as well. Am I

>> missing something?
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>> set as required.
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>> His call: KD2BAH
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>> Thanks in advance for any suggestions!
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>> Bill WB2QGZ
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3736. RE: [DVAPDongle] Receive only connection, checked reg and term ID, another set of eyes to assist?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-18 20:06:57 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3733 Message: 3736

If you tested over the last week, you may want to try again.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2015 2:45 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Receive only connection, checked reg and term ID, another set of eyes to assist?

Hi Folks,

Assisting a friend with a new DVAP. He (and I when I config my spare DVAP as him) get the R/O, rcv only when connecting to a reflector. With my callsign entered into his DVAP or mine they work normally. His radio passes through the gateway when he's on a repeater, so looks like the reg is OK. I looked at his terminal IDs and they look OK as well. Am I missing something?

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His call: KD2BAH

Thanks in advance for any suggestions!

Bill WB2QGZ

3737. Re: [DVAPDongle] Receive only connection, checked reg and term ID, another set of eyes to assist?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-18 20:02:30 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 3733 Message: 3737

Bill
Does his entered call sign in the DVAP control panel window have a full 8 characters (call sign + entered spaces)
In that window.
I had the same problem, Robin Cutshaw who wrote the software and makes the
DVAP helped me on this solution.
His call is AA4RC.
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 18, 2015, at 11:45 AM, bill.fastenau@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi Folks,
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> Assisting a friend with a new DVAP. He (and I when I config my spare DVAP as him) get the R/O, rcv only when connecting to a reflector. With my callsign entered into his DVAP or mine they work normally. His radio passes through the gateway when he's on a repeater, so looks like the reg is OK. I looked at his terminal IDs and they look OK as well. Am I missing something?
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> Bill WB2QGZ
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3738. Message for Robin

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-20 11:18:04 UTC
From: davidgames60@...
Topic: 3738 Message: 3738

Many thanks for your reply Robin, and apologies if my reply has doubled I had a delivery failure.

Probably due to my poor wording of the original question I think you misunderstood let me re-phrase.

As the Dv-dongle (blue) has had a software revision to Dv-tool 2.0 I wondered if there are any plans to update the current Dv-tool for Dvap (red) users ?

Sorry for the confusion, a permanent issue at this end !

Best regards

David
2E0DCE

3739. Search and unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-21 12:55:50 UTC
From: jfbeard@...
Topic: 3739 Message: 3739

New DV-AP owner here AE5ZZ

Is there a search feature on the Yahoo group - I sure can't find it.

Looking for things to do with "gateway unknown" after making sure all 8 characters are in the right place and seeing someone last heard on the repeater W0EEE

I cannot figure out why I can't connect using W0EEE BL as the "Your Callsign" in the RT systems ID-51 Programmer as that same technique works with other repeaters.

3740. Re: [DVAPDongle] Search and unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-21 19:25:05 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3739 Message: 3740

Found the Search - Duh right in front of me but still no idea why it works for someone else, maybe they were local.
that is a Zero not an mnOp in W0EEE

> On May 21, 2015, at 7:55 AM, jfbeard@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> New DV-AP owner here AE5ZZ
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> Is there a search feature on the Yahoo group - I sure can't find it.
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3741. Re: Search and unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-22 11:58:53 UTC
From: Anthony DeWitt
Topic: 3739 Message: 3741

Do you have the same problem when you use the D-Star Calculator in RT Systems? I’ve never had an issue with Gateway Unknown in terms of the UR Callsign field. Mostly when that happens I’ve found that my DVAP has lost connection to the internet.

AD0DQ
Tony

3742. Re: Search and unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-22 13:19:55 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3739 Message: 3742

Looks like a problem with the gateway, not your setup. The admin needs to get the ancillary software up to the right levels.

See: http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=W0EEE
http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=W0EEE

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

3743. Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-23 19:49:37 UTC
From: mfdozier@...
Topic: 1077 Message: 3743

I am new to DSTAR. I very recently bought an ID-51A and a DVAP (70 CM) version.

My computer is a macintosh running Yosemite.

I'm able to get the DVAP working and have successfully linked to the 1C reflector. I can hear QSOs fine via the ID-51A.

My problem is that after a few minutes, the DVAP appears to quit communicating with the ID-51A. When working the blue LED is flashing and the red LED on solid.

Maybe in the middle of someone talking, both the blue and red leds go off and the green LED starts slowly flashing. The conversation audio stops from the ID-51A.

I can see the status on the DVTOOL window on the mac that shows that QSOs are ongoing. If I select "close" then "open" on the dvtool window, the LEDs return to the blue & red state and the ID-51A continues with receiving the audio.

Any suggestions?

PS: I'm also a newbie to yahoo groups. I posted a similar message earlier, however have not been able to find it in the lists.

Thanks in advance,

Mabry
WD4IOI

3744. Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-23 20:58:25 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 1077 Message: 3744

Hi Mabry. Search this forum for "app nap". You need to turn it off for DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3745. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-23 21:09:14 UTC
From: Jeremy J Barbouttis
Topic: 1077 Message: 3745

This might help…

http://www.dstar.org.au/is-your-mac-taking-an-app-nap/

73s

Jeremy
VK2MJM
CCS Code: 9755

> On 24 May 2015, at 6:58 am, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi Mabry. Search this forum for "app nap". You need to turn it off for DVAPTool.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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3746. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-24 00:36:08 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 1077 Message: 3746

Select DVAP Tool app in finder, do Command - I (Info), check Prevent App Nap box in Get Info window.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

> On May 23, 2015, at 1:58 PM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi Mabry. Search this forum for "app nap". You need to turn it off for DVAPTool.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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> Posted by: aa4rc@...

3747. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Search and unknown Gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-24 02:21:31 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3739 Message: 3747

Thank You.

Jim Beard
jfbeard@...
AE5ZZ

> On May 22, 2015, at 8:19 AM, kc4yoz@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Looks like a problem with the gateway, not your setup. The admin needs to get the ancillary software up to the right levels.
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> See: http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=W0EEE
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> 73;
> Ken - KC4YOZ
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>

3748. Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-23 21:24:47 UTC
From: ian@...
Topic: 1077 Message: 3748

Unfortunately Robin, unless someone can correct me on this, in Yosemite you can only turn "app nap" off for all apps (Global) and this is done from the Terminal window, t does not allow you to turn it off for just one. If you select the app then show the info all you have as far as a selection is "locked"

Regards
Ian
VK2HK

3749. Re: Problem with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-23 22:08:11 UTC
From: mfdozier@...
Topic: 1077 Message: 3749

Thanks for the quick response!

I'll give it a try.

Thanks again,

73,

Mabry

3750. DVAP Tools seems not to work anymore

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-26 13:16:53 UTC
From: Jeremy J Barbouttis
Topic: 3750 Message: 3750

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3751. unlinking

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-26 13:36:35 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3751 Message: 3751

I am having problems unlinking from a reflector. I have to force disconnect. I have tried rebooting the Pi, but this does not solve the problem. It has been working fine. Thanks, Jerry N4ETJjerrylaur@...

3752. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tools seems not to work anymore

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-26 15:00:26 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3750 Message: 3752

Are you running Windows under emulation on your Mac? I’m currently using W 7 with VMWare Fusion, and it asks which OS I’d like to recognize the USB device I just plugged in. This can be set to "do not ask”, so maybe it’s set to default to the Windows OS and the Mac OS & DVAPTools aren’t seeing your device???

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

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3753. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tools seems not to work anymore

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-26 19:30:31 UTC
From: Jeremy J Barbouttis
Topic: 3750 Message: 3753

Also, just adding that it works with DVTools for Windows, just not Mac.

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3754. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tools seems not to work anymore

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-26 21:16:07 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3750 Message: 3754

Please note that DVTool does not work with the DVAP on any platform. Use DVAPTool for that.

Robin

3755. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Tools seems not to work anymore

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-26 22:52:47 UTC
From: Jeremy J Barbouttis
Topic: 3750 Message: 3755

Hi Robin,

Thank you for your reply.

Sorry, I meant the Mac version of DVAP Tool. It just doesn’t work on my Mac.

It starts up, but everything is greyed out. I tried to reinstall, but got the same thing.

I’ved used it successfully countless times. Suddenly it has stopped working.

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3756. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-27 04:53:33 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3756

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3757. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-28 00:10:00 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3714 Message: 3757

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3760. installing AA4RC software on a sd card

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-28 21:24:54 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3760 Message: 3760

Help!!! I am trying to install Robin's software on a sd card already loaded with raspian wheezy. When I get to the line__ curl- ___ is the next letter a zero or a capital O? do I then follow with the http://opendstar.org/tools/DVAPTool-1.04-rpi.tgz ? I get a message that says bash: curl-O: command not found. Thanks, Jerry N4ETJ jerrylaur@...

3761. Re: installing AA4RC software on a sd card

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-28 21:46:51 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3760 Message: 3761

Make sure you have a space between curl and "-O" which is a capital O.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3762. RE: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-28 23:17:06 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3762

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Hi Ed

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But the blue light goes on implying connection . But when I do an unlink on the ht it stays blue.

No echo test or reflector info available when I issue those commands from the ht. I even put it back on the mac and the same issues occur.

Appreciate your thoughts as usual.

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Date:Wed, May 27, 2015 at 7:52 PM
Subject:RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

The DVAP shouldn’t need resetting.

What errors are you seeing? Do you see yourself when you transmit? Do you see the connected message?

Ed WA4YIH

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Is there a way to reset the Dvap and would I then have to reinstall the PC software?

Thanks in advance

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At Apr 25, 2015, 7:51:57 PM, Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

Hi Ed

Update and success. I put tablet in recovery mode then downloaded bonjour, plugged in the Dvap dongle, let it install and then downloaded 1.04 Dvap software. Put in my call sign and frequency, clicked on the help tab above and com 3 lite up and allowed me to open. I linked to 30C to test and then unlinked.

10 minutes total once I had win 8 tablet back to factory settings.

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3763. DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 02:15:27 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 3714 Message: 3763

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3764. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 11:39:33 UTC
From: Brad Trogdon
Topic: 3714 Message: 3764

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Date: 2015-05-29 13:03:24 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3714 Message: 3765

Hi Tom,

Microsoft stores & online have the HP Stream 7 for $79 and the Stream 8 for $149. These both run the full Windows 8.1 OS and they include Office 365. Since they can run the Office suite apps, DVAPTool should run fine, once the appropriate driver is installed. They will function through an OTG adapter, thus allowing access through a full size USB connector. There are OTG Y adapters that allow concurrent charging and access. I have the Stream 7 and find it to be a nice, solid unit with a good screen that is an awesome value. The Stream 7 screen will look a bit sharper than the Stream 8 because they share the same resolution. There are other Windows 8.1 tablets online at the MS store that offer a bit more RAM & drive space, but they are nowhere near the value the Stream 7 is. I haven't tried running DVAPTool on it, but I know many are doing what you intend to using a basic RPi.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
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Date: 2015-05-29 13:13:46 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3714 Message: 3767

Brad,

I’ll agree that Pis are great options. But by the time you add a case and a battery to a Pi, some of the $70 tablets represent a much better deal. And many of the tablet have probably equal or better power consumption.

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3768. RE: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

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Date: 2015-05-29 13:25:49 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3768

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From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 10:14 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Hi Ed

I do not see myself connected on the start screen or black companion screen.

But the blue light goes on implying connection . But when I do an unlink on the ht it stays blue.

No echo test or reflector info available when I issue those commands from the ht. I even put it back on the mac and the same issues occur.

Appreciate your thoughts as usual.

73

AL

ke0ccf

From:"'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@ed-com.com [DVAPDongle]" DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date:Wed, May 27, 2015 at 7:52 PM
Subject:RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

The DVAP shouldn’t need resetting.

What errors are you seeing? Do you see yourself when you transmit? Do you see the connected message?

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 12:54 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Hi Ed and group

I made the mistake of lending my 70 cm Dvap out to a friend who installed it on a Mac. Now that I have it back it will open but not allow me to link to any reflectors. I get no audio "remote system linked", etc.

Is there a way to reset the Dvap and would I then have to reinstall the PC software?

Thanks in advance

73

Al

Ke0ccf

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad (https://yho.com/footer0)

At Apr 25, 2015, 7:51:57 PM, Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

Hi Ed

Update and success. I put tablet in recovery mode then downloaded bonjour, plugged in the Dvap dongle, let it install and then downloaded 1.04 Dvap software. Put in my call sign and frequency, clicked on the help tab above and com 3 lite up and allowed me to open. I linked to 30C to test and then unlinked.

10 minutes total once I had win 8 tablet back to factory settings.

Thanks again for your time and wisdom and the yahoo Dstar group.

73

Al

Ke0ccf

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 25, 2015, at 7:24 AM, Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Hi Ed

I will re check the tablet and laptop.

Thanks

73

Al

Ke0ccf

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 24, 2015, at 9:48 PM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle] DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Are you sure that COM1 is where the DVAP installed? That sounds a little unusual. Make sure that you have to correct COM port by checking the Ports in Device Manager.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, April 24, 2015 2:13 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Hi Ed and DSTAR Group

I had previously installed the DVAP on a windows laptop and it works great. Since our email correspondence I just bought the win 8.1 tablet and installed the DVAP program on it. The program opens up but it isn't allowing me to change to the tablets com port. The com area

is grayed out and is showing me com 3 (which is the laptop com port) and not allowing me to use the tablets com1 port. Also, when I put in my simplex frequency it informs me that it is not a valid frequency. But this frequency works perfectly on the laptop.

Any suggestions from the group would be appreciated.

73

Al

ke0ccf

From: "Al Winger awinger2001@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, April 18, 2015 4:08 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Thanks Ed

73

Al

Ke0ccf

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 18, 2015, at 12:10 PM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle] DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

The DVAP has been supported on Windows for many years.

The Windows tablets run Windows.

It sounds as simple as it is. About the only difference is that if the tablet has only one micros USB port, then you will need a USB On-The-Go (UTG) cable.

Windows tablets run full Windows, they aren't restricted like iPads or Androids. You can add large monitors, keyboards, disk drives and all sorts of things to them.

Ed WA4YIH

Sent with Outlook Web App

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> on behalf of Al Winger awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Friday, April 17, 2015 10:21 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

Hi Ed

So if I understand you correctly a small windows tablet running 8.1 could be used with the Dvap instead of configuring a raspberry pi2.

Just download the drivers like I did on my windows laptop and connect to a wifi source and I could be good to go. If that is the case That would be super. If you can add any other advice that would be great.

Thanks again. I won't hit the buy the pi button on amazon.

73

Al

KE0CCF

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 17, 2015, at 5:12 PM, 'Woodrick, Ed' ewoodrick@... [DVAPDongle] DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

I think that most of the newer Windows tablets should work fine.

The WinBook is a little unique in that it basically has a USB charge port and a USB out port. So you can easily charge and use the DVAP at the same time. Many others have a single USB port for both duties.

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, April 17, 2015 11:19 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and a Tablet?

What tables are being used for the DVAP. I know about the WINBook and have heard good reports, but are there other tablets folks are using for DStar? I am attempting to stay away form the raspberry pi.

Thanks, Tim K5TGS

3769. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 13:19:53 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 3714 Message: 3769

Thanks, Brad, but I've already rejected a R-Pi for my purposes for several reasons:

1) Form factor – too thick after shields and/or framework are added for it to fit easily into a briefcase for airline transport. I have room to fit another tablet into my briefcase, even if I have my laptop and an iPad for work (can't load DVAP software on company computer assets).

2) TSA issues – anything that looks home-brewed to TSA is immediately scrutinized at length, especially if it has an antenna. Pretty much nullifies the Pre-Check fast security lines at airports. Another tablet wouldn't raise an eyebrow. HTs and antennae are common enough to not raise issues.

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-Tom

> Research Raspberry Pi as they are a fraction the cost of a tablet. Draw much less power and are bulletproof once up and running. Good luck..

3770. Re: DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 13:53:59 UTC
From: Jose Ruiz
Topic: 3714 Message: 3770

I bought a WinBook TW-700 and works great. I get 4+ hours of battery operation. My wall charger malfunctioned some 50 days after purchase, because I charged it while powered on, I suspect.

3771. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 17:05:41 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3771

Hi Tom
Per Ed's advice I am using a 7" Winbook tablet running win 8.1 that i bought at MicroCenter for $60. It has a full usb port, decent battery life of about 6 hours and comes with 1 year of Office 365 (a $99 value). All i did was download Bonjour and then the DVAP tool, connected and it runs seamlessly. Total startup was about 10 minutes.

Best of luck in your quest.73AlKE0CCFColorado Springs

From: "'Tom' cruffler@sc.rr.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2015 7:19 AM
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

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3772. Re: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Connection Issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 16:59:31 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3772

Hi Ed and Group
Here is my follow up for Friday at 10AM MST.
Robin AA4RC from DVAP contacted me after I emailed DVAP support@.... He assisted with the recalibration of my DVAP. It appears that altitude change (6400 feet in Colorado) may have caused the frequency deviation. He walked me through using the DVAP utilities tool (from DVAP web site) to recalibrate the DVAP which was slightly off frequency.

He was super and spent a great deal of time with me as we tweaked the DVAP.

Awesome Customer Support! My DVAP is spot on now.
My many thanks to Robin and ED and the Group.
73s to all of you. I need to connect to some reflectors now. Have a fantastic weekend.

AlKE0CCFColorado Springs

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3773. Re: DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-29 22:30:06 UTC
From: kn6jk@...
Topic: 3714 Message: 3773

I have been using Raspberry Pi’s for D Star on my home network and
Mobile with a DVAP and hot-spot.
I purchased a Win Book 10.1 tablet with Win 8.1 op. system.
When I plug the DVAP or the DV3K dongles into the USB port
The tablet cannot connect “Found new Hardware” does not appear.
I downloaded the drivers as shown on the DV3K website.
Tried the DVAP and DV3K on boot up and with the tablet running.
No success.
Any ideas would be greatly appreciated.
Jerry-kn6jk

3774. Re: DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-30 16:05:30 UTC
From: carlmailuk@...
Topic: 3714 Message: 3774

Presumably a powered USB hub would allow both. A non powered dual usb hub would allow one conenction for power and one for the DVAP (although you would be better off using a power only cable if using a PC to charge so it doesnt steal the (presumably) single COM port. I have one of those super cheap win8 7 inch tablets - sometimes it sees the DVAP - sometimes it doesnt. And it loses wifi frequently and for no apparent reason.... but it was cheap :)
Carl GW0TQM

3775. Re: DVAP and a Tablet?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-30 16:13:36 UTC
From: carlmailuk@...
Topic: 3714 Message: 3775

My 7inch win tablet runs for less than an hour with the dvap connected so for serious use you do need to charge as well. The mini usb works - there are mini usb plug to regular USB socket adaptors which also let you put thumb drives and keyboards on the the tablet by the way.

3776. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-31 23:42:29 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 3714 Message: 3776

Thanks, Al. Too bad I don’t have a MicroCenter around me; no one else carries anything like this. I’ll have to rely on Amazon or Ebay to find one. Once I get that I’ll need to change my phone plan around to allow it to set as a hotspot.

73,

-Tom

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2015 1:06 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Hi Tom

Per Ed's advice I am using a 7" Winbook tablet running win 8.1 that i bought at MicroCenter for $60. It has a full usb port, decent battery life of about 6 hours and comes with 1 year of Office 365 (a $99 value). All i did was download Bonjour and then the DVAP tool, connected and it runs seamlessly. Total startup was about 10 minutes.

Best of luck in your quest.

73

Al

KE0CCF

Colorado Springs

3777. DVAP data usage on a hotspot?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-31 23:47:05 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 3714 Message: 3777

Anyone know how much data is being used hourly if a DVAP is being used to monitor a busy reflector like 30C or 01C? Assuming that you’re responding on a QSO less than 25% of the time, any guess on how much data is being used up on your hotspot?

Alternatively, is there an easy way to check data usage myself when my DVAP is connected to my home computer?

73,

-Tom

3778. Complete D-Star package Icom ID-51A + ID31A + DVAP 70cm + RASPBERRY PI + EXTRAS!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-05-31 16:35:01 UTC
From: ab8wl@...
Topic: 3778 Message: 3778

Hello World, I have for sale my complete D-Star package!! Everything included to get you up and running on the air quickly!! Package includes the following: Icom ID-51A handheld transceiver in original box with manual, antenna, battery, charging cable, silicon case, nifty manual, rtsystems programming software with programming cable, everything is in very good like new condition the box for the ID-51A is missing the barcode and I do not remember why. ID-51A has been full reseted so you receive it just as I did when I bought it. I have never used the original antenna and I have always had a piece of cell phone screen protector on the screen (you may be able to see my poor cut to fit job in the photos but it works). Package also includes: ID-31A handheld transceiver in original box with manual, antenna, battery, charging cable, nifty manual, rtsystems programming software (no cable this time as both radios use the same cable) this radio has also been full reseted. WAIT THERE IS MORE: DVAP DV Access Point Dongle 70cm (440mhz version will work with both radios) includes original box, antenna, right angle antenna adaptor, and usb cable. Still one more thing... to get you going straight away I am including a Raspberry Pi version b with power supply, case and SD card PRE-LOADED TO RUN DVAP SOFTWARE WHEN POWERED ON! all you will need to do is power up the raspberry pi, connect it to your network, put in your call sign and choice of 70cm frequency in the dvap software that will auto run when the raspberry pi starts up and of course plug in the dvap to the raspberry pi then program your radios and you are on the air. (YOU MUST REGISTER WITH D-STAR COMMUNITY BEFORE YOU CAN GET ON THE AIR). I will ship only to continental united states address via fedex or ups (my choosing) but Shipping is free!! Paypal payment only. There are no warranties or returns. Happy bidding! Thanks for viewing my auction!

you can view the auction here:

http://www.ebay.com/itm/-/261909643323?

or search for item# 261909643323

thanks and 73
joe
ab8wl

3779. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-01 13:59:09 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3714 Message: 3779

Hi Tom

You can order online from micro center also.
73
Al
KE0CCF

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad (https://yho.com/footer0)

At Jun 1, 2015, 7:09:51 AM, 'Tom' cruffler@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

Thanks, Al. Too bad I don’t have a MicroCenter around me; no one else carries anything like this. I’ll have to rely on Amazon or Ebay to find one. Once I get that I’ll need to change my phone plan around to allow it to set as a hotspot.

73,
-Tom

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Sent: Friday, May 29, 2015 1:06 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Hi Tom

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Best of luck in your quest.
73
Al
KE0CCF
Colorado Springs

3780. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-01 17:09:03 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 3714 Message: 3780

MicroCenter products are available online as well as in-store.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2015 7:42 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Thanks, Al. Too bad I don’t have a MicroCenter around me; no one else carries anything like this. I’ll have to rely on Amazon or Ebay to find one. Once I get that I’ll need to change my phone plan around to allow it to set as a hotspot.

73,
-Tom

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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
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Al
KE0CCF
Colorado Springs

3781. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-01 13:19:37 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3714 Message: 3781

Hi Tom,

Perhaps you missed my post, in response to yours, last week. It started with: Microsoft stores & online have the HP Stream 7 for $79 and the Stream 8 for $149. These both run the full Windows 8.1 OS and they include Office 365.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

> On May 31, 2015, at 4:42 PM, 'Tom' cruffler@... [DVAPDongle]
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> 73,
> -Tom

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3782. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-01 23:06:12 UTC
From: kn6jk@...
Topic: 3714 Message: 3782

Thanks Tom,

I downloaded Bonjour-no joy- Finally read your post,(again) downloaded the DV tool software,
DVAP Dongle up and running in 7" and 10.1" Winbook Tablets.
Thanks for you post, saved me a lot of time. But I really like the challenge of D Star,
It's not easy to get DVAP's RASPi"s and Cell phone Hotspots working, but it's ,worth it.
73
Jerry-KN6JK

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <awinger2001@...> wrote :

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Colorado Springs

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To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2015 7:19 AM
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

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-Tom

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3783. Timeout after 17 seconds - Missed keepalive from gateway

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-02 17:58:07 UTC
From: nc6k@...
Topic: 3783 Message: 3783

Hi all,

I've seen similar issues, but no real solutions to my problem. I just got a 440 MHz DVAP dongle, and it works fine via my home WiFi for 17 seconds, then a series of 10 "missed keepalive from gateway, count = #" and then "dstar gateway timeout", and I'm disconnected. This happens on several gateways, even if someone is talking. I'm guessing it's my Dlink router/gateway, but not sure what to change on it to stop this from happening. The Dlink is connected via Ethernet cable (i.e., not WiFi) to my PC, which is connected to my USB DVAP dongle, so it's obviously not a WiFi thing.

I'd really appreciate any help anyone could provide.

Thanks!

Eric NC6K

3784. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and tablet purchase suggestions

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-02 14:04:30 UTC
From: Doug Ferrell KD4MOJ
Topic: 3714 Message: 3784

On Lun Jun 1 9:59 , 'al awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle]' <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> sent:

> Hi Tom
>You can order online from micro center also.73AlKE0CCF
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>Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad
>At Jun 1, 2015, 7:09:51 AM, 'Tom' cruffler@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

The webpage at Microcenter states store pickup only. I then ordered mine off Amazon.

...DOUG
KD4MOJ

3785. DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-04 12:17:36 UTC
From: wa3adi@...
Topic: 171 Message: 3785

Greetings,

If anyone has a 440 DVAP for sale, please let me know. I would like to purchase one.

Thank you and 73 de Vince - WA3ADI

3786. No Gateways found - check Internet connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-06 08:36:51 UTC
From: Jeremy J Barbouttis
Topic: 3786 Message: 3786

I have decided to use my wife’s mac with DVAP Tools to use my DVAP on, and it worked for a while then stopped suddenly.

Since then, whenever I try to run the program, it says no gateways found, check Internet connection.

Problem is the Internet connection is good, and it still connects to the Internet, but it just won’t connect to any reflectors, because none of the gateways were found.

I have tried all of the usual things, like rebooting, but it just won’t work.

What could be the problem?

73s

Jeremy
VK2MJM
CCS Code: 9755

3787. RE: [DVAPDongle] No Gateways found - check Internet connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-09 02:03:15 UTC
From: al
Topic: 3786 Message: 3787

Jeremy

I had recalibration problems and here was the solotion that worked for me when the Dvap stopped working on the Mac and then the PC

"Robin AA4RC from DVAP contacted me after I emailed DVAP support@.... He assisted with the recalibration of my DVAP. It appears that altitude change (6400 feet in Colorado) may have caused the frequency deviation. He walked me through using the DVAP utilities tool (from DVAP web site) to recalibrate the DVAP which was slightly off frequency. He was super and spent a great deal of time with me as we tweaked the DVAP. Awesome Customer Support! My DVAP is spot on now."

Suggest you reach out to Robin and he can assist with recalibration if needed.

73
Al
Ke0ccf

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad (https://yho.com/footer0)

At Jun 8, 2015, 7:15:31 PM, Jeremy J Barbouttis vk2mjm@icloud.com [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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Jeremy
VK2MJM
CCS Code: 9755

3788. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Gateways found - check Internet connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-09 03:02:07 UTC
From: Matt Maguire
Topic: 3786 Message: 3788

Run the DVAPtool in a terminal window:- open Terminal app on Mac- cd /Applications/DVAPTool.app/Contents/Mac\ OS- ./DVAPTool
This will then output troubleshooting info to the terminal window, which may give a clue.
Note I may have misspelled some of names above, so you may need to adjust to match what you actually see on your system.

73, Matt VK2RQ

On Mon, Jun 8, 2015 at 6:15 PM -0700, "Jeremy J Barbouttis vk2mjm@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

I have decided to use my wife’s mac with DVAP Tools to use my DVAP on, and it worked for a while then stopped suddenly.
Since then, whenever I try to run the program, it says no gateways found, check Internet connection.
Problem is the Internet connection is good, and it still connects to the Internet, but it just won’t connect to any reflectors, because none of the gateways were found.
I have tried all of the usual things, like rebooting, but it just won’t work.

What could be the problem?

73s
JeremyVK2MJMCCS Code: 9755

3789. Re: [DVAPDongle] No Gateways found - check Internet connection

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-09 16:32:26 UTC
From: lamarrsy
Topic: 3786 Message: 3789

Hi,
Sorry to chime-in but, how can an RF device misadjusted can cause the system to answer back with "gateway not found"?

-Sylvain, VE2LAM, via ☐ iPhone

> Le 2015-06-08 à 22:03, al awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> a écrit :
>
>
> Jeremy
>
> I had recalibration problems and here was the solotion that worked for me when the Dvap stopped working on the Mac and then the PC
>
> "Robin AA4RC from DVAP contacted me after I emailed DVAP support@.... He assisted with the recalibration of my DVAP. It appears that altitude change (6400 feet in Colorado) may have caused the frequency deviation. He walked me through using the DVAP utilities tool (from DVAP web site) to recalibrate the DVAP which was slightly off frequency. He was super and spent a great deal of time with me as we tweaked the DVAP. Awesome Customer Support! My DVAP is spot on now."
>
> Suggest you reach out to Robin and he can assist with recalibration if needed.
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> 73
> Al
> Ke0ccf
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> Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad
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> At Jun 8, 2015, 7:15:31 PM, Jeremy J Barbouttis vk2mjm@...m [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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3790. Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-16 05:53:29 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3790 Message: 3790

Greetings Fellow DVAP users.

I'm having trouble getting the DVAPTool for linux to work inside the 64bit version of Ubuntu. Here's what I'm getting when trying to start the tool.

./DVAPTool: error while loading shared libraries: libpng12.so.0: cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory

What do I need to install via apt-get in order to get this file?

Also, is there a chance that the DVAPTool will ever be moved over to 64bit?

Thanks and 73's
Ray
kb8ild

3791. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-16 15:30:53 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3790 Message: 3791

You need to follow the directions in the readme file that is included with the package. It takes you step by step through adding the required libraries as well as the other steps that you need to take in order to get it up and running. The file even includes the required commands to type into the terminal.

Jeff VE6EFR

On 6/15/2015 11:53 PM, kb8ild@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> Greetings Fellow DVAP users.
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> 64bit version of Ubuntu. Here's what I'm getting when trying to start
> the tool.
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> cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory
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> 64bit?
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> Thanks and 73's
> Ray
> kb8ild
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3792. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-16 21:47:25 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3790 Message: 3792

Jeff,

I'm well aware of the readme file in the compressed folder. I have read this file and ia32-libs is no longer a part of Ubuntu 15.04 64bit. THis is also why I ask if there will be a 64bit version of the software as well. Yes, I know a raspi is cheaper but I have my laptop out constantly for other things and it would be easier for me to just plug in the DVAP directly into it.

I know that most of the ham community doesn't change their OS often, but we need to keep the programs that we use up to date as well.

Any other help besides read the readme file will be greatly appreciated.

73's
Ray
Kb8ild

3793. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-19 17:08:41 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 3790 Message: 3793

Hard to say about the 64 bit version. AA4RC will be more able to give information if he is going to release one.

What steps have you tried thus far? Maybe hearing what you already tried can help to narrow down the issue.

Jeff VE6EFR

On 6/16/2015 3:47 PM, kb8ild@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> Jeff,
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> read this file and ia32-libs is no longer a part of Ubuntu 15.04
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> 73's
> Ray
> Kb8ild
>
>

3794. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-20 20:44:16 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 3790 Message: 3794

Jeff,
The issue is that Ubuntu 64 bit OS installations don't provide an option to use 32 bit applications anymore, from what I've heard. The assumption is that any software that's being developed now should be able to be compiled for 62 bit OS instead of a 32 bit one, even though many developers and users don't bother with it.
Matthew PittsN8OHU

From: "Jeff Bishop jeff@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, June 19, 2015 1:08 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Hard to say about the 64 bit version. AA4RC will be more able to give information if he is going to release one.

What steps have you tried thus far? Maybe hearing what you already tried can help to narrow down the issue.

Jeff VE6EFR

On 6/16/2015 3:47 PM, kb8ild@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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Any other help besides read the readme file will be greatly appreciated.

73's
Ray
Kb8ild

3795. Re: [DVAPDongle] Getting DVAPTool to work in Ubuntu 15.04 64bit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-21 19:36:55 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3790 Message: 3795

Matthew,

Actually, To install 32bit versions of a package, just append the :i386 to the end of it and it should install. Currently, I'm working on a shell script that will go through and update your system and then download DVAPTools for Linux and then install the correct packages for DVAPTools to run on a 64bit system.

Ray
kb8ild

3796. Receive Only on Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-27 19:56:51 UTC
From: wa3adi@...
Topic: 3796 Message: 3796

When I connect to a reflector with a DVAP and an ID-31A, I am able to hear conversations with no problem, however, I am unable to transmit. I am using DVAPTool 1.04, and I added two spaces after my call sign in the setup screen. Any suggestions will be greatly appreciated. Thank you, Vince - WA3ADI

3797. Re: Receive Only on Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-28 14:47:34 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3796 Message: 3797

Hi Vince. You are registered on two different gateways. You should probably request that your registration on W3EOC be removed:
USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[WA3ADI] [K3PDR]

USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[WA3ADI] [W3EOC]

TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
[WA3ADI] [K3PDR A]

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3798. Re: Receive Only on Reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-06-28 14:55:32 UTC
From: wa3adi@...
Topic: 3796 Message: 3798

Thanks, Robin,

That was supposed to have been corrected a while ago. I'll check into it.

73 de Vince - WA3ADI

3799. DVAP Overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-06 23:07:44 UTC
From: ahr10023@...
Topic: 3799 Message: 3799

I'm using the 440 DVAP with the Pi 2 and DStar Commander software. It's all working fine except the DVAP seems unusually sensitive to overloading from my ICOM 31A running at the lowest power rating. There needs to be about six feet of distance between the 31A and the DVAP before the overload situation is cleared. I've tried moving the DVAP several feet away from the Pi and am using ferrite beads on all leads but six feet seems to be the minimum distance to prevent overloading. I'd appreciate hearing anyone's experience in dealing with this.
Thanks, Alan, K2RHK

3800. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-08 19:06:34 UTC
From: Jim MacKenzie
Topic: 3799 Message: 3800

Perhaps a dummy load (either on the radio or the DVAP)?

You’re at the very lowest power setting (100 mW) of the ID-31A? There are 4 power levels.

Jim

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: July-06-15 5:08 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Overload

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Thanks, Alan, K2RHK

3801. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-08 22:00:06 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 3799 Message: 3801

I have experienced this as well, even some with the DVMega board. I have found both are susceptible to RF interference from electronic devices in close proximity to the DVAP, or DVMEGA (mounted on the Pi). I have found putting the Pi, DVAP, DVMEGA, as far away from anything else, (other radios, computers, etc.) seems to correct this issue for me. Also connecting the Pi VIA wire as opposed to wireless connection, improves performance and RF issues as well.

Hope this helps!

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 19:07, ahr10023@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
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> Thanks, Alan, K2RHK
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3802. Using a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-09 09:29:43 UTC
From: vk3tpm@...
Topic: 3802 Message: 3802

Hello to the group. I have a question. When communicating with your DVAP. I do not have one as yet. Is the HT in FM or DV mode when you TX and RX?

Kind regards,

Paul.

3803. Re: [DVAPDongle] Using a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-10 04:55:33 UTC
From: Jeremy J Barbouttis
Topic: 3802 Message: 3803

Hi Paul,

DV mode.

Jeremy
VK2MJM

Sent from my iPhone

> On 9 Jul 2015, at 7:29 pm, vk3tpm@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hello to the group. I have a question. When communicating with your DVAP. I do not have one as yet. Is the HT in FM or DV mode when you TX and RX?
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> Kind regards,
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> Paul.
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3804. Re: Using a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-10 04:53:10 UTC
From: kd6axq@...
Topic: 3802 Message: 3804

We use DV mode simplex to the DVAP.

Dennis

3805. Re: Using a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-10 09:34:03 UTC
From: Paul Mitchell
Topic: 3802 Message: 3805

Thank you all very much.

Saving my pennies for a new laptop and DVAP.

Kind regards,

Paul.

3806. Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-08 22:26:09 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3806 Message: 3806

I have a Dvap (Internet Labs) and it works great with my ID-51 (original)
Thinking about buying the DVAP Mini from Hardened Power Systems
http://www.portableuniversalpower.com/our-products/ham-radio-power/dhap-mini/
<http://www.portableuniversalpower.com/our-products/ham-radio-power/dhap-mini/>
I just received the Pi 2 model B and am curious what D-Star compatible Image would be good for this one. I plan on using wifi back through my iphone hotspot when away from the QTH.

Thanks in advance for any help you can offer. I'm still a D-Star newbie and have a long way to go.

Jim Beard
AE5ZZA

3807. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-10 19:49:24 UTC
From: Laseter Jim
Topic: 3806 Message: 3807

I ordered one of the original DHAP’s from Hardened Power. That unit came with a Raspberry Pi and imaged SD card with DVAPTools already on the card. It was a snap to setup and worked like a charm. Thought I would transfer that same image to a micro SD card and use on the new Raspberry Pi B+ but I am still working on getting it to load. I spoke with Bill at Hardened Power and he suggested Maryland DStar as a good source for an imaged card. I expect my DHAP Mini tomorrow. I have learned a lot about Star but still struggle with the Pi.

Jim

3808. Re: DVAP Overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-11 01:07:11 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 3799 Message: 3808

I have that problem too. At home I just set up the DVAP and RzPi in a spare bedroom away from where I normally operate. When I'm traveling it is more of a problem because hotel rooms are too small to allow getting far enough away. I think the dummy load is probably a good idea. I wonder what the folks who are running mobile are doing? My car is pretty small, too.

3809. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-11 12:49:06 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3809

Most DVAP distributions now support the Pi model 2. There's the "DStar Commander", the "Maryland DStar Image" (google these) and they're based on the G4KLX base software which is available at: http://westerndstar.co.uk/ http://westerndstar.co.uk/

There's also my image at http://kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap/ http://kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap/ but that requires some manual configuration and may not be a good choice for newbies.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3810. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-11 14:43:47 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3806 Message: 3810

Thanks for the reply. Keep me posted on your progress.

Jim Beard
jfbeard@swbell.net
AE5ZZ

> On Jul 10, 2015, at 2:49 PM, Laseter Jim laseterj@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
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> Jim
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3811. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-11 15:26:06 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3806 Message: 3811

Thanks Ken I'll check them out.

Jim Beard
jfbeard@...
AE5ZZ

> On Jul 11, 2015, at 7:49 AM, kc4yoz@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Ken - KC4YOZ
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3812. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-11 23:27:47 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3812

Aloha,

I am curious about your experience with Hardened Power, and whether you have received your mini. I ordered the original DHAP in March, and have only received two poor quality, non functioning units, and the promise of a properly functioning mini. So far, nothing. Bill is pleasant enough to talk with when you reach him, but does not respond to email or voice mail.

73
wh6diq

3813. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-13 14:56:35 UTC
From: laseterj@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3813

I received my Mini last Saturday but unfortunately the components do not align properly and the top will not close. Am returning it today. I know Bill will make it right but believe I will wait until more units are distributed. Best way to reach Bill is by phone, never had any success with a return or answered email. 73 Jim N4ZYX

3814. DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-14 16:56:29 UTC
From: pughwj@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3814

Forgive me if this has been asked and answered before. I reviewed topic history and could not find one quite like this.

I'm running the DVAP with the latest software version on a new MacBook Pro, Retina display with OSX 10.10.4.

The DVAP starts up properly and runs OK for several minutes before freezing up. I can still see inbound activity on the screen but cannot hear any audio. The DVAP is unresponsive to any over-the-air commands. I try a force disconnect, but the Mac still shows the app as not responding.

I can completely shut down DVAPTool and restart, and it will just do it all over again.

I have already disabled AppNap for this program, to no avail.

The DVAP works fine on another Mac (Mavericks) as well as my RPi2.

Any ideas ?

Thanks & 73,

Warren
KC9IL

3815. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-14 19:04:45 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3814 Message: 3815

Same thing happens on a WIN XP machine
others have mentioned to try a dummy load on the radio as a possible fix - have not tried that but need to.
Jim Beard
AE5ZZ

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> Thanks & 73,
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> Warren
> KC9IL
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3816. newbie with ID-51 and DVAP..needs help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-14 20:54:49 UTC
From: g4ydmone@...
Topic: 3816 Message: 3816

I have a ID-51 and DVAP. Anyone list the steps to programme the ID-51 to work with the DVAP please.

73 de John G4YDM

3817. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-14 21:04:19 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3817

Hi Warren. Look in this forum for "app nap". You need to click on the checkbox "Prevent app nap". That can cause the program to quit working properly when the computer sleeps.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3818. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-14 22:25:19 UTC
From: pughwj@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3818

Robin,

Thanks for the quick reply. Yes, I have already checked the "Prevent App Nap" box. Still no help.

Warren
KC9IL

3819. RE: [DVAPDongle] newbie with ID-51 and DVAP..needs help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-15 00:52:51 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 3816 Message: 3819

John,

You'll be using the ID-51 in simplex (non-DR) mode, but you'll still need to program the 'Your Call Sign' fields in the ID-51. I don't have a cable so I program in the CS-51 software, write it to a micro SD card, then read it into the HT from the card.

I currently have all the reflectors that I normally access programmed into the Your Call Sign fields (e.g. REF001CL, REF030CL, etc). You should already have the standard Your Calls in the fields also (i.e.: CQCQCQ, U, I, and E with the appropriate spacing). You will also want to program in the DVAP-specific Your Calls (DVAP***I, DVAP***E), where * denotes a space. I have about 40 of the 200 available fields of Your Call Sign filled.

To use the DVAP (assuming that it is accessing the internet and the comm port in the DVAP software is Open), select an unused frequency on the DVAP software and dial in the same frequency on your ID-51 and change to DV mode. I prefer to turn off dual watch, so only one frequency is showing up on the screen of the ID-51. You may want to turn down the ID-51 output when using the DVAP, depending on how far away it is from your HT. I generally use SLO unless I'm in the back yard.

If you're in DR mode, toggle it off by holding down the bottom of the 4-way switch labeled 'DR.' Now hold down the right side of the 4-way switch labeled 'CS' to show your call signs. The R1 and R1 fields should be blank and the MY field should show your call sign. Highlight the UR field and press either the center of the 4-way or the right side of the 4-way to select the field. Highlight 'Your Call Sign' and press the center or right side of the 4-way again to show the available calls programmed above. Highlight and select the appropriate call using the center of the 4-way. Back out of the menus by pressing the left side of the 4-way.

Connect to a reflector, change back to CQCQCQ and do the QSO thing. Lather, rinse, repeat. J

Good luck and we'll see you on the reflectors!

73,

Tom, KK4VWX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, July 14, 2015 4:55 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] newbie with ID-51 and DVAP..needs help

I have a ID-51 and DVAP. Anyone list the steps to programme the ID-51 to work with the DVAP please.

73 de John G4YDM

3820. Command line switches for DVAPTool?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-15 01:04:17 UTC
From: Tom
Topic: 3814 Message: 3820

Are there any command line switches that can be used with the DVAPTool software under Windows?

I have my DVAP connected to a WinBook TW700 tablet. Some items on the interface is hard to manipulate on the small screen and with my large fingers and a stylus doesn’t always work with the sliders. I’d like to have an easy way to bring up the DVAPTool software with max power or other settings if needed.

Alternatively, are there settings in the DVAPTool Properties window that might accomplish the same thing?

73,

Tom, KK4VWX

3821. Re: [DVAPDongle] newbie with ID-51 and DVAP..needs help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-15 15:14:48 UTC
From: John Allsopp
Topic: 3816 Message: 3821

Thank you Tom its all working now, thanks again..hpe cu sonn on DSTAR.

John G4YDM..73

On 15 July 2015 at 01:52, 'Tom' cruffler@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> to program the 'Your Call Sign' fields in the ID-51. I don't have a cable
> so I program in the CS-51 software, write it to a micro SD card, then read
> it into the HT from the card.
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> I currently have all the reflectors that I normally access programmed into
> the Your Call Sign fields (e.g. REF001CL, REF030CL, etc). You should
> already have the standard Your Calls in the fields also (i.e.: CQCQCQ, U,
> I, and E with the appropriate spacing). You will also want to program in
> the DVAP-specific Your Calls (DVAP***I, DVAP***E), where * denotes a
> space. I have about 40 of the 200 available fields of Your Call Sign
> filled.
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> To use the DVAP (assuming that it is accessing the internet and the comm

> port in the DVAP software is Open), select an unused frequency on the DVAP
> software and dial in the same frequency on your ID-51 and change to DV

> mode. I prefer to turn off dual watch, so only one frequency is showing up
> on the screen of the ID-51. You may want to turn down the ID-51 output
> when using the DVAP, depending on how far away it is from your HT. I
> generally use SLO unless I'm in the back yard.
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> If you're in DR mode, toggle it off by holding down the bottom of the
> 4-way switch labeled 'DR.' Now hold down the right side of the 4-way
> switch labeled 'CS' to show your call signs. The R1 and R1 fields should

> be blank and the MY field should show your call sign. Highlight the UR
> field and press either the center of the 4-way or the right side of the
> 4-way to select the field. Highlight ‘Your Call Sign’ and press the center
> or right side of the 4-way again to show the available calls programmed
> above. Highlight and select the appropriate call using the center of the
> 4-way. Back out of the menus by pressing the left side of the 4-way.
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> Connect to a reflector, change back to CQCQCQ and do the QSO thing.
> Lather, rinse, repeat. J
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> Good luck and we’ll see you on the reflectors!
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> 73,
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> Tom, KK4VWX
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> *From:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
> *Sent:* Tuesday, July 14, 2015 4:55 PM
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] newbie with ID-51 and DVAP..needs help
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> I have a ID-51 and DVAP. Anyone list the steps to programme the ID-51 to
> work with the DVAP please.
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> 73 de John G4YDM
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3822. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-18 09:34:35 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3822

Aloha,

Sounds familiar. Please let us know what you find when you receive a replacement.

There were a number of quality issues with both of the original model DHAP's that I received:

1) both units, the pi board mounting screws were extremely loose...there was at least 5/32" between the spacer blocks and the chassis base. Both screws, on both units.
2) first unit, the spring pins did not align properly, making it difficult to secure the top properly without tweaking the top.
3) second unit, on arrival, the usb cables were both plugged into one stack on the board, which caused the cable connector closest to the board to interfere with other components, preventing proper closure of the top. The first unit had the cables plugged into separate stacks, and farthest from the board, allowing plenty of clearance for the cables.
4) the second unit has a component on the small power supply board that appears to have interfered with the pivot of the chassis and was bent over. The same component on the first unit appears to be mounted a full quarter inch closer to the board.
5) both units have gaps that appear uneven around the top cover, and it feels like there is interference when opening the top, although perhaps that is by design...it is not clear to me.
6) When I initially opened the first unit, I found two bare conductor wire clippings, approximately 1/32" in length, loose in the bottom of the case.
7) The RCA jack on the first unit spins in the housing, and would very quickly break the wire connection to it. The jack in the second unit rotates partially, if you twist at all while inserting / removing a cable.
8) The first unit never output a signal to the monitor connected via the rca jack. It appeared there was a missed connection, as a bare wire end could be seen embedded in silicone near the jack.
9) When second unit was received, the SD card was transferred from the first unit, and it would not fully boot the system. It would only reach a point where the DVAP's green light would start pulsing (which never occurred with the first unit).

As yet, no word on when the "new and improved" mini will be shipped to me.

73

Richard
wh6diq

3823. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-18 12:29:59 UTC
From: Jim Laseter
Topic: 3806 Message: 3823

I decided to return my DHAP Mini and wait until the design is perfected. I really miss the convenience and portability of the DHAP.
73 Jim N4ZYX

On Sat, Jul 18, 2015 at 5:34 AM, wh6diq@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Richard
> wh6diq
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3824. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-18 12:45:32 UTC
From: phoggberg@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3824

I received my version last week. There was one issue I had, and that was getting a set of batteries. I ordered the expensive 18650 batteries with builtin protection, and they do not fit the battery holders. That note was posted on the site but I missed it. My unit is functioning properly, with a PI2. I do not believe that Bill will be shipping an image. I have modified the Maryland DSTAR Image for members of our club, and it loaded just fine. Unit works as advertised. I have the MiniMega Version, and have a DVAP version on order. I am talking with Bill to offer a version of his Mini-DHAP to use my LCD display software. He is considering it.

I just put in some plain 18650's like Bill recommends and the unit is running just fine. It's currently just running on the 4 18650's installed. I am using supposedly 3400 mAh batteries, so that gives me 6.8 Ah of power. I am currently trying to determine how long it will run for on batteries. I haven't taken any measurements but I am guessing a couple of days non-stop.

Do not expect the case to be smooth and polished, the are printed and that process does not lend itself to the same finish you get from an injection molded process.

I really like the design, of this. It fits in the armrest of my car, and also in my briefcase, unlike the original DHAP. Monday I will see about it making it through TSA at an airport

One thing I noticed, when you change from line power to battery power the pi will reboot. You do not want to charge 18650 batteries except with an approved charger, so Hardened Power disconnects the 18650's from the circuit when the coaxial connector is plugged in. It's a break before make, which is good, since I use an innergy portable power brick meant for charging laptops 117VAC/12V Auto/24VDC Airplane I bought on closeout at MicroCenter for $10. It shows 19VDC when connected. This would fry the batteries. I am thinking of fitting a 250 uF to 500 uF very small electrolytic capacitor across the output of the 5V DC Buck converter just top hold power to the unit during the switch.

To be fair other than talking about some technology stuff with Bill and sharing some ideas, I have no association with Hardened power. Just a satisfied customer to order another one of the Mini-DHAPS. I have seen all kinds of manner of packaging a hotspot, DVAP, power, and a Pi. Some pretty nice, some for my taste pretty crappy. This packaging suits my needs for mobile, portable, ARES, Incident Management needs pretty good. The unit is not especially weatherproof, for all terrain/weather/marine use, but it was not advertised to be. A baggie will work, but I am not sure about heat dissipation issues. Its got the portability issues pegged. The rest is what experimentation is about.

73,
Barry, K0BSB

3825. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-19 23:05:59 UTC
From: phoggberg@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3825

Jim,

There are a lot of images out there, but I use the Maryland Dstar image, though it needs a few things added for my taste. Some of them are clean up some are a matter of taste. I prefer the new LXDE with the "start" menu button, quick launch, and time on the top rather than the bottom. I found their sendipaddress.py to need some work, and generally updated the OS to a newer version, added Microsoft RDC so I can desktop easily from my laptop, desktop, iPad, iPhone, and android tablet. I also added Occi from adafruit to allow me to simply switch wifi sources from my hotspot to my home by reusing the switch function built into the remote, so all I have to do is kerchunk my ID-51 to switch from the car to the house I also added my LCD Display software that basically shows what you see on the screen of the ID51 but is easier for me to read. That said they have the best getting started and configuration documentation around. Another version is DSTAR Commander which stays with an older version of essentially the same software for stability sake. Depending on your comfort level your choice, makes very little difference and the image you download from their www.marylanddstar.org http://www.marylanddstar.org will work just fine without my little mods. A couple of other people using other images out there that were having trouble switch to the MD DSTAR image and commented that it install quick and easy. Hope you get on easily and fun no matter what you choose.

73,
Barry, K0BSB

3826. What do I need.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-19 21:10:46 UTC
From: rbgary45@...
Topic: 3826 Message: 3826

What software (where is it?) do I need to program a mini SD card for use in a Raspberry pi?

This for using a UHF dvap dongle as a simplex hotspot.

Have my 5100 mobile working, HH-51a is fine, can hear reflector 14 c okay, cannot make contact with it via HH radio. Thought I'd build a hotspot to cure this issue.

If I'm on the right (or wrong) track here, tell me so, give me any usable pointers I might need.

Am finding the world of DV radio *really* interesting and useful.

Gary...wa6fgi.

3827. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-20 13:58:47 UTC
From: Jim Beard
Topic: 3806 Message: 3827

Barry thanks a bunch your setup sounds like the most amazing out there, would love to see more on how you implemented it. Should get my
usb wifi adapter late this week and hope to try it out this weekend or next week. I have the image loaded and just waiting on the wifi card. Would love to hear more on how the kerchunk works from hotspot to home wifi and the display setup.

Thanks for the informative info
Jim AE5ZZ

> On Jul 19, 2015, at 6:05 PM, phoggberg@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Jim,
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> 73,
> Barry, K0BSB
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3828. New file uploaded to DVAPDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-20 23:08:52 UTC
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 3446 Message: 3828

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the DVAPDongle
group.

File : /Using Remote Desktop on Your PI.pdf
Uploaded by : phoggberg <phoggberg@...>
Description : How to setup and use Remote desktop Client to graphically access your Pi from Windows, OS X, IOS, & Android using free clients

You can access this file at the URL:
https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/files/Using%20Remote%20Desktop%20on%20Your%20PI.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
https://help.yahoo.com/kb/index?page=content&y=PROD_GRPS&locale=en_US&id=SLN15398

Regards,

phoggberg <phoggberg@...>

3829. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-21 00:28:25 UTC
From: phoggberg@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3829

Note: Everyone this is a long post.... but he asked and I though it might be useful to others if not please excuse the electrons demolished in the process..... :-)

Jim,
here is what I did....Well start with the Maryland Dstar image. Download their setup document.
don't forget to do a to start with
sudo apt-get update

I use a 16GB SD card which is overkill but it is only $1 than the 8GB and I never have to worry about the logs overflowing. I cary two copies with me, one in the PI and a backup copy, that I can use. You only get about 100,000 writes to a memory location and since the Pi uses the SD card for a disk eventually it will "wear out" Also powering up and down the Pi has been known to cause disk errors. in the file /etc/rc.local I put the following command

sudo touch /forcefsck
which forces a root level repair of the disk on every boot. It will extend your boot time about 20 Secs, but it may fix the boot drive instead of crapping out. Also the first thing I do is set the root password. Raspian is released without a root user password. If the boot disk has an error the console will ask for the root password. If you don't set one, you will have to image the disk over again. Far easier to do a
sudo passwd root
and enter a password for the root user.

BTW to find your IP Address from the console, helps if you use a keyboard and HDMI for initial boot just enter:
hostname -I <==== That's Capital Letter I

Also I do a sudo raspi-config and set the pi boot shell to console. I find it better for maintenance, when I log in using rdc (more on that later) I then get the graphical console.

Then once you get it loaded and booted, I use the Ada Fruit Find My Pi Software. It's document is here.... adafruit/Adafruit-Pi-Finder
https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Pi-Finder

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adafruit/Adafruit-Pi-Finder https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Pi-Finder Find and set up your brand new Raspberry Pi. Contribute to Adafruit-Pi-Finder development by creating an account on GitHub.

View on github.com https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Pi-Finder
Preview by Yahoo

The OS X version loaded perfectly and its a snap to use, a friend seems to have problems with the windows version. If this is the case and not the user, you may want to contact

Adafruit, they are on the web. Anyway, plug your pi into power with a running copy of the DSTAR software, and an ethernet connection, and the software finds your pi. You can run an SSH session from their window to do the rest of the setup. Fill out the form, and click on bootstrap and most of the software will be loaded for you. as well as the basics for the wifi switcher. If you can't get it to load here is this document:

adafruit/Adafruit-Occidentalis https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Occidentalis

with a downloadable curl script to do the job for you....

https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Occidentalis

adafruit/Adafruit-Occidentalis https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Occidentalis
Adafruit-Occidentalis - A collection of drivers, configuration utilities, and other useful things for single-board computers from Adafruit

View on github.com https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-Occidentalis
Preview by Yahoo

which will load the following software:

I find it makes life easier instead of pulling the SD card copying things over to it from your laptop/desktop or transferring with ftp /sftp/winscp etc to load the following on your pi.
You should then see the pi on your network as a server, and if you mount the home directory you can copy directly from your laptop/desktop. If you want this load the following software onto the Pi

avahi-deamon This posts the system name as a unique net work name
(i.e.. hostname raspberrypi is on the network as raspberry.local)
then you don’t have to know the IP Address just use the <hostname>.local as the address

netatalk This puts a copy of apple’s “bonjour” program on the pi, so it shows up in the network
computers listing.
You may need to load bonjour on your Windows machine but it comes with iTunes if that is loaded.
you can find it here if you need it. Bonjour Print Services for Windows v2.0.2
https://support.apple.com/kb/DL999?locale=en_US

Bonjour Print Services for Windows v2.0.2 https://support.apple.com/kb/DL999?locale=en_US
Bonjour Print Services for Windows lets you discover and configure Bonjour-enabled printers from your Windows computer using the Bonjour Printer Wizard.

View on support.apple.com https://support.apple.com/kb/DL999?locale=en_US
Preview by Yahoo

The FAQ is located here>
https://developer.apple.com/bonjour/index.html
https://developer.apple.com/bonjour/index.html

node, tmux, vim, Development tools and libraries
git

ic2-tools, Tools to use the hardware for an LCD display
python-smbus

samba, Software that allows windows, and other systems to transfer files between systems. Already on your windows system at least OS X & Windows
samba-common-bin

or to do it in one shot.....
sudo apt-get -y install avahi-deamon netetalk node tmux vim git samba samba-common-bin

Next I like to use Microsoft's Remote Desktop Client, the respective app stores have free downloads of the app for OS X, IOS, and Android. While you are at it download the iOS or Android version of ircDDBRemote, we will get to that later. Notice I didn't give you a source for a Windows machine that is because Microsoft has been shipping it standard with windows since XP Pro. Just search for Remote desktop and create a desktop shortcut. I have uploaded a writeup Using Remote Desktop on your Pi to the files section of this group documenting this. I think it is simpler to use than VNC, so I load this instead. To load the server on your Pi:
sudo apt-get install -y tightvncserver xrdp

to change to the new GUI with the Menu on the top that comes with the new version of raspian you can do this.
I did the
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get dist-upgrade
first, but I wanted the latest version of the OS then I did
sudo apt-get install -y raspberrypi-ui-mods
to get the new interface.....

When you installed Occidentalis, it loaded a file in the /boot partition which is FAT formatted, and readable on your laptop called /boot/occidentalis.txt. When you boot a program called occi is run, which reads the file and sets your hostname to the hostname in the file and the wifi to lock onto from the the SSID and password of the WiFi Network listed in the file. Since this file is stored in the /boot partition you can load the SD card into a reader and edit this file on your desktop/laptop to change. Jonathon Naylor's very fine software ircDDBgateway and dummy repeater will respond to remote commands, including commands sent from your HT, more on this below.

The Maryland DSTAR Group in their setup document explains how to setup your handheld to reboot or shut down the Pi with a Kerchunk. In there is a switch command, that is used for the Dual Frequency DV Mega to swap from UHF to VHF and back with you can hijack and replace the shell script with your own that will copy of version of the /boot/occidentalis.txt from a pair of identical files called phone.txt, and home.txt containing the respective SSID and password to /boot/occidentalis.txt and then reboot the system casing it to switch wifi networks when kerchunked.

The ircDDB Remote software that I suggested you download from your App Store fro your mobile device can be set up to switch the Pi to a reflector/repeater instead of turning the dial to unlink, then to the memory containing the link command, then to talk. Instead you can disconnect (Unlink) and connect to a reflector/repeater from your mobile device and leave the radio on talk (CQCQCQ). Personally I find this simpler.

This has been long, I know but the changes IMHO make the system easier to use especially when driving. Now the Mini-DHAP goes into my center console, the HT speaker plugs into the "iPod/MP3 player" input to the car system, and with a remote mike clipped to my shirt I have a neat clean package that minimizes the distracted driving problems. It's very livable for me, but YMMV! Take what you want and enjoy/ignore the rest, but most of the guys in my ham club using DSTAR on the Pi seem to like the setup.

73,
Barry, K0BSB

3830. Re: What do I need.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-21 01:23:57 UTC
From: serussell@...
Topic: 3826 Message: 3830

It seems many of the links to the image file are no longer valid. This is about the only one I found that actually works and is not corrupt or bad links.

http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download
http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download

If anyone has a better image I'd love to know as well.

Scott N1SER

3831. Re: What do I need.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-21 14:46:17 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3826 Message: 3831

Hi Gary;

First of all, you need to fix your registration. You're missing a "space" terminal. Go to the W6CX registration server, add a new terminal (under Personal information), check the box to the left of a new record, hit the space bar in the "initial" field, put your callsign in the "pcname" field and hit the Update button. That should get you talking on REF014.

Now download an image file. The Maryland Image and D-Star Commander are the easiest to set up and use.

See http://maryland-dstar.org/html/raspiberry.html
http://maryland-dstar.org/html/raspiberry.html for the Maryland image....

See http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download/
http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download/ for info and links for D-Star Commander.

You'll need a(n) SD card for the Pi software, the software to write images to the card is here:

http://sourceforge.net/projects/win32diskimager/files/latest/download
http://sourceforge.net/projects/win32diskimager/files/latest/download
Have fun!

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

http://maryland-dstar.org/html/raspiberry.html

3832. Re: What do I need.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-21 18:44:58 UTC
From: Gary Smith
Topic: 3826 Message: 3832

Now have the info I need.

Thanks to all in the group, I''ll try not to let too much smoke out when building my headless pi.

A big tip o' my black top hat to Barry Berg, K0BSB, who put the info together.

Stuff like this, hopefully, will get some deeper interest here in NorCal with D-Star DV.

Gary...wa6fgi

3833. Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-22 03:39:22 UTC
From: wd3kjk@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3833

I have the Android Easy Tether app that allows me to access the internet thru my Android Smartphone via Verizon Wireless and Windows 7 Computer. Doing this allows my DVAP connection that works just fine, even mobile with a laptop. Has anyone tried using Easy Tether App with a Raspberry Pi? According to the app website, it is now possible.

PJ

3834. Dhap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-22 13:50:57 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3834 Message: 3834

I have a brand new DHAP for sale. It works great. I want $250.00 for it. jerrylaur@...
N4ETJ

3835. Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-22 21:18:22 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3835

Yes you can use the DVAP on a raspberry pi with easytether but you'll have to get a powered hub to run the phone through. The USB ports on the pi don't have the amperage to maintain or even charge a modern smartphone. The USB ports only produce 500ma and most phones need 1 - 2 amps for them to work correctly. I should also note that I have had problems burning out the port if I connect directly to the pi.

Let me know if you need further assistance

73,
Ray
kb8ild

3836. Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-23 02:59:19 UTC
From: wd3kjk@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3836

Thanks for the information. I do have power sources for the phone.

3837. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-23 01:52:45 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3837

Ray,
Which version of Easy Tether are you using? I noticed there are two or three available from 2 different companies.
Chip WB0LBZ

In a message dated 7/22/2015 8:49:49 P.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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3838. Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-23 16:20:39 UTC
From: af9w@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3838

I just put my Samsung Note 4 in hotspot mode and my Pi connects via WiFi through Verizon Wireless. I have a few different WiFi hotspots programmed into the Pi and it just connects to the best signal in a priority order so when I leave the house it connects to the Note 4 as soon as I am out of the home Wifi signal. When I get to the local EOC I turn off my phone hotspot and the Pi connects to the guest EOC wifi hotspot I have programmed into the Pi.

I didn't do anything fancy to the Pi, just used the WiFi setup software that came on the Western D-Star image.

One limitation of using the Verizon wireless is that some of the ports I have open at home for things like xreflectors won't open on Verizon.

Bob AF9W

3839. Use DVAP as a DV Dongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-24 14:27:09 UTC
From: kd8twh@...
Topic: 3839 Message: 3839

So I am deciding what to buy, the DVAP or the DVDongle.
I want to be able to use the unit while in the car (with my ID-5100a) and at home (on my windows PC using a headset).
I was wondering if the DVAP can be used in this situation, or if i have to buy both?

3840. Re: [DVAPDongle] Use DVAP as a DV Dongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-25 12:48:11 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 3839 Message: 3840

The DVAP only works with the use of a radio. The DVDONGLE needs a computer with a mic and speakers, but no radio. Neither will do both.

On Friday, July 24, 2015, kd8twh@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I want to be able to use the unit while in the car (with my ID-5100a) and
> at home (on my windows PC using a headset).
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> buy both?
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Sent from my Apple device
--Fran

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3841. Re: Use DVAP as a DV Dongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-25 17:20:05 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3839 Message: 3841

The DV Dongle has an AMBE chip, the DVAP does not. Thus the Dongle can handle A/D protocol conversions from analog waveforms (like your computer mic) to Digital Voice packets and vice-versa.

If you already have a DV device, like a D-Star radio, you need a DVAP, which copies DV packets from RF and hands them off to the software (which slaps some packet headers on and routes them into the Internet).

Two different tasks. For your requirements, you'll probably need both.

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

3842. Re: Use DVAP as a DV Dongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-25 18:04:01 UTC
From: Gary Smith
Topic: 3839 Message: 3842

I am new to DV and its many ways of getting *it* done, the dongle will get you into D-Star reflectors from your computer, while the DVAP (think "Digital Voice Access Point") is what is used for a hotspot.

IE, in to the DVAP on a frequency other than the reflector's, but out to through the reflector. If you will, a simplex, personal, but not all too private repeater.

In my instance, I am using a 70cm DVAP hotspot to link me to my somewhat local reflector (ref 14c) with my Icom 51a HH.

For the readers of this forum, if I am incorrect, please say so, I am learning and enjoying the capabilites of DV and S-Star as fast as I can .

Gary...wa6fgi

3843. Re: [DVAPDongle] Use DVAP as a DV Dongle?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-25 18:31:00 UTC
From: wd3kjk@...
Topic: 3839 Message: 3843

In my humble opinion, DVAP is much more versatile and I do not feel like it is really amateur radio unless it starts and ends with a physical radio. With DVAP, your initial TX is from a radio, then all the technological wonder of DSTAR which ends with a radio.....unless the recipient of the TX is using a DVDONGLE.

3844. Re: [DVAPDongle] Digest Number 1070

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-26 14:42:45 UTC
From: Terrence R. Redding
Topic: 3844 Message: 3844

One is an RF access point the other allows your computer to access the
Dstar networks.
Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 25, 2015, at 3:58 AM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:
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> 1 Message Digest #1070
> 1 Use DVAP as a DV Dongle? by kd8twh
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> Fri Jul 24, 2015 7:18 pm (PDT) . Posted by: kd8twh
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3845. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-26 20:55:13 UTC
From: pughwj@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3845

Robin,

Still cannot figure out what is going on. It still freezes up after anywhere from 5 to 20 minutes. Screen blanking doesn't seem to make a difference. AppNap is definitely disabled.

Running a 13" MacBook Pro, Retina display, OSX 10.10.4.

73,

Warren
KC9IL

3846. RE: [DVAPDongle] Digest Number 1070

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-27 04:44:19 UTC
From: Gary Wallace
Topic: 3844 Message: 3846

Very, very good. She writes very well.

From: DVAPDongle@...m [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, July 26, 2015 7:43 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Cc: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Digest Number 1070

One is an RF access point the other allows your computer to access the
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On Jul 25, 2015, at 3:58 AM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:

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<https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/info;_ylc=X3oDMTJldGZ2NTRtBF9TAzk3MzU5NzE1BGdycElkAzM1NzUyMTYwBGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARzZWMDaGRyBHNsawNocGgEc3RpbWUDMTQzNzgxNDczMw--> DVAPDongle Group

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Use DVAP as a DV Dongle? by kd8twh

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Fri Jul 24, 2015 7:18 pm (PDT) . Posted by:

<mailto:kd8twh@...?subject=Re%3A%20Use%20DVAP%20as%20a%20DV%20Dongle%3F> kd8twh

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3847. 0VAP Dongle Suddenly Quits

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-29 19:22:05 UTC
From: mack_cox@...
Topic: 3847 Message: 3847

Just got the driver and software loaded on my mac and PC. Successfully had REF001C working for about an hour this morning.

Then suddenly it no longer worked. I've tried resetting and rebooting everything to no avail. The blue light is flashing on the dongle but nothing I do seems to have any effect.

Does anyone have any ideas?

3848. Re: 0VAP Dongle Suddenly Quits

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-29 19:49:14 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3847 Message: 3848

REF001 might be down. Did you try any other reflectors?

73
Robin
AA4RC

3850. Re: 0VAP Dongle Suddenly Quits

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-07-30 19:31:20 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3847 Message: 3850

When you plug it in, the green LED should slowly pulse. If it doesn't that is usually an indicator that the drivers are not installed. If you feel that the unit has hardware issues, you can return it for replacement, or send it to me for a checkup.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3851. Ordinal 79 error?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-01 20:38:04 UTC
From: jcherepy@...
Topic: 3851 Message: 3851

I'm trying to install DVTool on a Winbook running 8.1 and I'm getting the ordinal 79 not found. I searched the conversations and tried in stalling Bonjour Print Services, iTunes, and restarting the PC and I I still get the error. Is there anything else I can try?

Thanks,
Bill WB4WTN

3852. Re: [DVAPDongle] Ordinal 79 error?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-01 23:58:08 UTC
From: Bill Cherepy
Topic: 3851 Message: 3852

Please disregard. I don't know why, but a second restart fixed the problem and the DVAP now works.

Bill WB4WTN

> jcherepy@... [DVAPDongle] <mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> August 1, 2015 at 4:38 PM
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> Thanks,
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> Bill WB4WTN
>
>

3853. Re: DVAP Overload

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-02 02:10:10 UTC
From: ahr10023@...
Topic: 3799 Message: 3853

Thanks for all the replies to my DVAP overload post.Keeping the DVAP as far as possible from the Pi helps, as well as keeping the ambient RFI down. One suggestion was to try different 31A/DVAP simplex frequencies, which I haven't yet done. It's worth a try. Alan, K2RHK

3854. RE: [DVAPDongle] Ordinal 79 error?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-02 11:25:50 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3851 Message: 3854

Good to hear.

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, August 01, 2015 7:58 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Ordinal 79 error?

Please disregard. I don't know why, but a second restart fixed the problem and the DVAP now works.

Bill WB4WTN
jcherepy@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
August 1, 2015 at 4:38 PM

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Thanks,

Bill WB4WTN

3855. Re: 0VAP Dongle Suddenly Quits

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-02 05:16:14 UTC
From: mack_cox@...
Topic: 3847 Message: 3855

Yes, but I still got the same link failures. I never get the red or yellow LED indications or even the constant green LED indications. Only the flickering blue LED or the pulsating green LED.

3856. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-06 19:32:23 UTC
From: pughwj@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3856

Robin,

I think I have this figured out.

In addition to App Nap, Yosemite has additional battery saving features.

In both Battery and AC Adapter modes, it has provisions to shut off the hard drives when possible and to put the computer to sleep once the display blanks out. In both modes, you can disable the "shut down the hard drives" but only in AC power mode can you disable putting the PC to sleep once the display blanks.

Therefore, the workaround is to run the DVAP only when plugged in to AC power, and to disable putting the PC to sleep once the display goes out. I tested this quite a bit today and think it is the cure.

I didn't test extending the display bank out period to "never" and try on battery mode, but maybe someone else has done that. Not a great solution since it would go through batteries quicker.

Cheers,

Warren Pugh
KC9IL

3857. 70cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-05 21:57:22 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3857 Message: 3857

I'm trying to get my 70cm dvap going, but after I get the gateway info (Freq. Callsign, etc.) entered and hit save ,then unplug RASPBERRY PI AND RESTART nothing has been saved! Any ideas? Thanks Jerry N4ETJ

3858. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-06 20:44:51 UTC
From: G4VPD
Topic: 3857 Message: 3858

Had the same problem on a friends setup
Save each tab of settings 3 times then move to next tab etc etc
Reboot and hopefully working
Thats the only way i could configure my friends
No idea why!
Hope it helps
Mike g4vpd

Sent from my iPad

> On 5 Aug 2015, at 22:57, Jerry Laur jerryllaur@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3859. Re: [DVAPDongle] 70cm Dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-07 20:58:30 UTC
From: Jerry Laur
Topic: 3857 Message: 3859

Thanks for the help. I finally stumbled on the solution. I entered my info, then shut down on the monitor instead of shutting down the Raspberry Pi as I normally do. For some reason this worked! Don't know why, but it did. Jerry N4ETJ

On Thursday, August 6, 2015 8:54 PM, "G4VPD g4vpd@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3860. DVAP Tool default setting & ID-51 Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-08 15:53:19 UTC
From: ghpretty2@...
Topic: 3860 Message: 3860

Whenever I turn off my DVAP and turn it back on, it defaults to "lock callsign." Is there a way to changed the default, or is it just programmed that way? The DVAP only works with the ID-51 Plus in the off state.

3861. Re: DVAP Tool default setting & ID-51 Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-09 00:04:58 UTC
From: wa6fgi@...
Topic: 3860 Message: 3861

Uncheck the locked callsign box, exit the program, restart it.
I intend to leave my Hotspot uncheched, therefore, "open" to those who might use it. And , you can see this via the dos box record.
Gary...wa6fgi

3862. Re: DVAP Tool default setting & ID-51 Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-09 13:56:15 UTC
From: ghpretty2@...
Topic: 3860 Message: 3862

Gary,

Thanks, did not work.
I unchecked the "call sign lock,"
Selected File, Exit in the upper left corner of the Tool dialogue box.
Then Shut Down.

When I powered up, it was checked again. Must be in the code somewhere.

I would like to leave my hotspot off when I am not home, flip the power on, and have it boot correctly. Now I have to leave the monitor and keyboard attached each time I turn it on to make the change.

Maybe it is asking too much of the DV Tools program, and I need to burn an Rpi/DVAP SD. Would like to avoid doing that if I could make DVAP Tools work.

George, W5SCX

3863. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Tool default setting & ID-51 Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-09 22:53:52 UTC
From: Ryan Tourge
Topic: 3860 Message: 3863

You don't have to burn a whole new image. You can install the components themselves. It's just easier using premade images.
On Aug 9, 2015 17:38, "ghpretty2@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> work.
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> George, W5SCX
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3864. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-15 07:53:00 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3864

Update...

On August 12 I received my second replacement for the original DHAP, the new version DHAP Mini. Another disappointment!

The 3D printed case was was not trimmed or checked on assembly...the HDMI port was partially blocked by excess material that I had to trim out. Not a big deal, just sloppy.

The four Ultrafire 18650 6000 mAh batteries included with the new unit were put on the charger until full charge was indicated, then installed in the case. Immediately one of the battery retaining tabs snapped off, apparently printed too thin. I then turned on the Mini DHAP power switch, with the device connected through an HDMI cable to my tv. Voltage showing on the DHAP meter was 8.28, and the DVAP was unable to power up. A brief search on Ultrafire batteries quickly revealed a history of problems and misleading claims. It remains to be seen if the ones I received are just fake, or bad fakes.

I will spend some time this weekend locating enough batteries to power up to the 12v it needs and see if I can get the system to actually boot and operate.

In addition to these issues, I had to purchase a 7" monitor with RCA inputs, and a USB hub to attach to the earlier style DHAP I originally ordered, but these are useless for the Mini DHAP. It has USB ports accessible on the outside, and no RCA video out. So, about $100 wasted on accessories I cannot use, and it is now over 5 months since my order for the original DHAP was paid for, yet I am still not operational. At least the Rii keyboard can still be used...once I actually get the system booted up.

I would think with the earlier issues that I had that this company would have fully bench tested the third device to ensure a satisfied customer, but it seems they have no interest. I have never received a return email or phone call from them. Seems more like a part time hobby operation rather than a "Made in the USA" manufacturer.

3865. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-16 19:12:37 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3806 Message: 3865

Hardened Power can take the blame for the 3D Printing Issues, but the 18650 battery problems are no more Hardened Power's fault than your car battery going flat because you lent your car to your nephew and he parked it over night with the lights on. 18650’s coming from China, use recycled material, and even though they are rated at 3000 mAh - 6000 mAh most will be lucky to deliver between 1800 - 2200 mAh. The better batteries and the most expensive contain power circuits to prevent discharge, or over charge. They just don’t fit the space in the battery compartment as they are longer than the standard 18650’s. I got into that trap, when I ordered the batteries just after I ordered the DHAP. When the unit came a week or two later I found out. I checked the web site, and it was noted that there were size issues preventing the 18650’s with battery protection circuits from fitting documented on the web site. My Bad, back to Amazon. If you read the reviews on the UltraFires you would find out that many reviewers told of batteries failing, and that they don’t charge to “rated Power” I bought Japanese 18650s that would fit, and even though they are rated at 3400 mAh my charger reads that they will only produce 2800 mAh on a full charge, discharge, charge cycle. Don’t buy the $2 chargers either, I like the form factor, because they are great for portability, but if you read the reviews the batteries are likely to catch fire because they have no protection circuits. The reviewers there all caution that they are okay of you constantly watch them. Not my needs and definitely not my style, I spent $30 for a quality charger. If you are getting parts on the cheap from China ($0.29US batteries and $2 Chargers on Amazon) Caveat Emptor.

Also don’t blame Hardened Power, because you don’t bother to read the manual of your Raspberry Pi (yes the Pi2’s all have a manual packed in the box). The DHAP was deigned for a RPi model 2 which had a composite video out on a RCA Phono Jack. The DHAP Mini uses either an RPI B+ or an RPi2 which moved the Composite Video to “stereo” jack with one side mono audio out, and video on the other side. Before you start rising people tighten up the nut behind the keyboard, and RTFM. So get out your soldering iron, and make a patch cable.

I have always found Bill to be very responsive to customer problems, at least mine, and open to suggestions for improvements.

I agree the HDMI Jack opening required me to get in there with an exacto knife and do a little trimming. I suspect that the first couple of layers printed on the top of the opening were still warm, and sagged a bit. I have seen this problem before in some other cases I had 3D printed. I was going to suggest an improvement. Also I agree that there is a bit of flashing or a rough area in one of the corners, and I am thinking about putting a piece of plexi or lexan covering the status light whole near the SD card opening, just to keep dust out of the case, but with the SD Card opening it probably won’t make much of an effect.

73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@me.com
K0BSB@...
CCS-Code: 7248

3866. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-17 12:47:52 UTC
From: martyrmeyers@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3866

Richard,

I recently put together a youtube video that addresses some of the same issues you are having. I had the same issue with the battery retainer tab and I was able to track down the issue with the HDMI port not lining up. I remedied this issue myself and I explain what I did to fix it in the video. Not ideal but I was able to make it work.

Hardened Power Systems DHAP Mini Review https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Wi2514tBJg

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View on www.youtube.com https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Wi2514tBJg
Preview by Yahoo

I have not contacted Hardened Power Systems about this but it might be useful to do so. They may not know what is causing the poor alignment of the HDMI port due to the size of the cable and the screw for the foot of the device. They are likely just dry fitting the Raspberry Pi without plugging in the cable. Either that or the Raspberry Pi 2 may have the power plug located slightly higher on the board. Feel free to pass this video along to them if you like. They may be able to make an adjustment or source a different cable to remedy the situation.

I have not had the problem you have with the battery voltage. Two of these batteries in parallel will yield 7.4 volts in theory (3.7v x 2). Mine are showing just over 8 (8.25 V) when fully charged. I can run off of 2 or 4 batteries without issue. The Raspberry Pi only requires 5V at a recommended 1.8 Amps.

73,

Marty
W5MRM

3867. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-16 19:10:53 UTC
From: Jim Laseter
Topic: 3806 Message: 3867

I also had to return my DHAP Mini but received a prompt refund. The top would not close with batteries inserted, bridge piece broke, and usb inputs did not align. Was really looking forward to the Mini but decided to wait and purchase when initials problems are resolved. The original DHAP was well built and rock solid.
Jim Laseter
N4ZYX

3868. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-17 13:19:34 UTC
From: Anthony DeWitt
Topic: 3806 Message: 3868

Richard:

I know that the Hardened Power people had a problem with a fire in their plant a few months ago; not sure if this affected your wait time. It convinced me not to order a second one from them because I had a long wait time on the one I ordered. I suspect that they are simply having growing pains. I know that it’s hard to feel compassion when the product is pricey, and I’m not making any excuses for them (because I don’t even know them). I have had my DHAP now for more than a year and it has worked well, except for one thing.

That RCA input monitor you talked about…. I can’t find one anywhere. And I tried Amazon, Best Buy, and a few other places trying to find one. So… since you don’t need it… do you want to sell it? I’d be willing to buy it.

I had not seen the mini-DHAP, but my experience with anything mini (except my car by that name) has not been stellar. Sounds like a serious issue with the batteries. I hope you get it worked out to your satisfaction.

I know I’ll be interested in hearing how the unit performs once you get it up and running. I would buy another one of these units if I could count on high quality and better-than-average battery life. My maximum battery life on the DHAP has been about 6 hours of continuous use.

Thanks for sharing your experiences.

Tony
AD0DQ

3869. DVAP Dongle, Raspberry Pi and Verizon Wireless MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-17 14:39:12 UTC
From: n8cdw@...
Topic: 3869 Message: 3869

Hi All
I'm not sure if this issue was discussed before. But purchasde a DVAP, Raspberry PI and Verizon Wireless MIFI. I'm able to connect to the reflextor using my Comcast WIFI, and ethernet connection.
When I connect to my MIFI and to a reflextor, sometimes I hear other stations, but most times I dont. I've confirmed there are people talking on the reflextors. Has anyone had this people and know how to fix it?

Thanks 73's
Carl N8CDW

3870. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-17 17:34:38 UTC
From: martyrmeyers@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3870

This afternoon I received a comment on my video from Bill KK4JPT at Hardened Power. He posted the following:

One of the benefits of 3D printing the housing is that we are continuously improving the master CAD files that are printed. We have reduced the boss height that interfered with your USB connection to the Pi, and we have altered the battery well design to stop the small piece from being weak.

It sounds like Bill and team are making some good improvements based on user feedback.

73,

Marty
W5MRM

3871. Re: DVAP Dongle, Raspberry Pi and Verizon Wireless MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-17 20:14:54 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3869 Message: 3871

I do this all the time. I use the Tenda 150 dongle on a Pi2. Sometimes it is a little twitchy hooking up to the MyFi, but 90% of the time it works. I usually figure out when it doesn’t there is a DNS problem. Have had best luck configuring the Pi to use OpenDNS DNS Servers or Googles. Hope that helps….

73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@...
K0BSB@...
CCS-Code: 7248

3872. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-18 05:28:05 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3872

Aloha,

Thanks for your response, and nice job on the video! I have determined the batteries are ok, and that 8+ v is normal for this unit. I made a wrong assumption comparing to the earlier model, and lacking any kind of reference material just did not realize it operates at a lower voltage than the earlier model. I still am concerned with the reviews regarding the Ultrafire 6000 mAh batteries that I was provided, but will let time be the judge of them ultimately.

73

Richard
wh6diq

3873. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-18 05:37:48 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3873

Aloha,

Apparently the audio jack next to the HDMI on the Rpi B+ doubles as composite video out with the proper plug and wiring, so for now I will keep it, although the Mini DHAP will not provide the 12+ v out like the original DHAP. Not sure if I will end up keeping it or not. There are plenty available on Amazon or wherever, just search for 12v monitor 7 inch and sort to the lowest price. It was around $50...many have two sets of RCA inputs, one for a backup camera, the other for your in vehicle DVR.

I am looking forward to getting the Mini DHAP operational, seems like a great solution IF I can get it functioning as advertised.

73

Richard

wh6diq

3874. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-18 05:21:21 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3874

Aloha,

The DHAP rev2 that I originally ordered was shipped complete, minus the DVAP that just needed to be plugged in. It was represented to require no more than power up, configure the wifi, and you are on the air. When powered up, it showed 12+v on the display. The DHAP Mini, as offered, does not include batteries, Rpi, or SD card. In his effort to resolve my issues with two DHAP's being non-operational, Bill sent an assembled DHAP mini, and four Ultrafire 6000 batteries. All I should have needed to do was plug in the DVAP.

There was NO documentation, of any kind, for any component, or for initial setup with any of the three units I received. This implies to me (as did the HPS website) that you connect your peripherals, power up, and you should reasonably expect the unit to work. That was not the case with either of the two DHAP's or the Mini DHAP that I have received.

I did initially assume (incorrectly) that the voltage would be similar on the Mini, but after testing each battery provided I did find they all were at 4+ volts after initial charge. The manner in which they are connected in fact produces 8+ volts. Time will tell how long they last under operating condition. This does not diminish my concern regarding the many online reports of the Ultrafire brand of battery provided, with specific mention that the 6000 mAh rating that these particular batteries claim is not currently attainable.

This actually brings up another issue, in that the earlier model DHAP allowed for charging of the battery pack in place. As I understand at this time, the Mini DHAP does not have this feature, in fact I believe you have to completely remove the batteries to charge them. In light of the earlier issue noted with the battery retainers, this will obviously become very problematic.

Your comments regarding the composite video / stereo jack are accurate. I learned this after spending an additional $20 for a decent Rpi manual (not to mention another $30 for an HDMI cable that I thought I needed because of no obvious RCA jack or any labeling whatsoever), because, as I said, NOTHING was included for reference.

Amazingly, I also learned from this manual, that a simple change to the config.txt file would magically allow my HDMI to work, so I could actually see the system boot process. I was also able to learn where and how to download a new Raspbian OS onto a spare micro SD card, and when I swapped it with the non-booting HPS provided SD card and image, PRESTO! I was actually able to reach the full desktop for the first time. Apparently there is still an issue with the HPS image file, but it will take time to sort it out further. I likely will find it easier to use the new image and learn how to set it up to operate headless from square one. I can actually muddle through fairly well WHEN I have a manual to read.

I realize that any computer / any operating system cannot be expected to work with any possible combination of peripherals, but all the more reason to include some useful documentation and troubleshooting tips with what is actually a fairly complex device. Or at least suggest "some assembly required". No doubt that is why the Rpi is NOT included with the "new and improved" Mini DHAP now.

As I stated in an earlier post, Bill is nice enough to talk with, when you reach him, and he has tried to resolve the issue, but the effort is pretty weak. My original order was placed March 4, shipped 4/21; replacement shipped 5/5; received an automated notice on July 20 that the third device "has been shipped"; I actually received it August 12.

To my way of thinking, email is by far the easiest and best form of business communication. It does not require you to be concerned about differing time zones; it takes literally seconds to knock out a brief update for customer service issues; and properly handled should keep "hot" issues at the top of your task list. I have never received an email or returned call from the company. Frankly, I do not understand why the second and third devices were not bench tested and closely scrutinized for quality control, given that they were replacements for prior defective units.

73
Richard
wh6diq

3875. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-18 13:39:59 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3806 Message: 3875

Richard,

You most likely will never charge the Mini-DHAP batteries in the case. They are 18650's LiON batteries, which are used in a slightly different form factor to make Laptop Battery packs. As such they require special electronics and regulation to ensure that the batteries do not get over voltage or over charged. If they do they overheat, causing some 3rd degree burning in the past for some laptop owners, and actually catching fire. The Li in LiON is Lithium, a metal similar to Magnesium, with the same HAZMAT characteristics, hence the warning on the batteries not to dispose of improperly, and the fire danger. In fact if you ordered them shipped, they require special labeling and handling during shipping. Airlines now have regulations on carrying LiON batteries in checked luggage, you have to tape them, or put them in protective cases. I bought 8 batteries, and 4 cases, the cases were only a couple buck each… so I can fly them around with me. The airline regulations, usually printed in the back of the seat pocket magazine, that no body usually reads, goes on to say that it is okay to pack them in devices powered by them. I assume because the airlines assume that installed in the device they were meant to power, they would not short, and present a fire danger. Just because people do not read the fine print does not exempt them from observing laws and regulations. Just saw a video on the news last night, about a woman in first class, who refused Flight Attendant instruction to put her in cabin pet, a dog, in its carrier under the seat. An altercation ensued, and she was asked to leave the aircraft, She refused, and the police were called, they asked her once to leave the airplane, then she and her dog were taken off the aircraft and arrested. Video showed her taken off the aircraft in handcuffs. This is handled by that often heard in safety briefings, again which everybody ignores stating something like "...failure to follow crew instructions or tampering with the bathroom smoke detectors is a violation of FAA regulations." Anyway these batteries deliver exceptional life, and power but they do require responsible handling.

I doubt that a built in charging circuit would fit in the enclosure, and like I previously mentioned need a better charge. These are the ones that I previously mentioned as to not having charging protection circuits. http://www.amazon.com/Generic-Rechargeable-Li-Ion-Battery-Charger/dp/B004B1BR24 The one I bought though not terribly expensive is this one http://www.amazon.com/Nitecore-D4-Rechargeable-EdisonBright-converters/dp/B00L108SAW/ref=pd_sim_23_12?ie=UTF8&refRID=1MPEXX1ZJ0F79HHHS9P3 which will do 4 at once and I feel comfortable leaving it unattended while charging it. This is a little smaller and does 2 LiONs is here http://www.amazon.com/i2-2014-Intellicharge-EdisonBright-converters/dp/B00KBEJ6SC/ref=pd_sim_23_9?ie=UTF8&refRID=1S12FBG8JEMPANG2QENQ. As you can see they are physically larger than the DHAP mini.

The weakest point as far as I am concerned is the 90 degree sma connector included with the DVAP. I have replaced two of them so far, and while they are inexpensive they seem to separate at the crimp. Evidently carriage in a backpack is too hard on them. This is a disadvantage of the miniDHAP verses the DHAP, but size and portability do not come without some penalty. I recently removed the 90 degree sma connector and threw it after it broke again, and switched the antenna to a Midol 3" gumdrop antenna to keep the strain off the rather fragile DVAP sma connector. If anyone has a better idea, please let me know. Right

now the mini DHAP is plugged into the 12V outlet inside the armrest of my car (batteries removed) and the the ID 51, which stows in the pocket of my card door, no antennas, or other indications saying please break in an rip me off when I park during the day. it works, but the antenna has a bend to it I would rather not have.

73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@...
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CCS-Code: 7248

3876. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-19 04:17:36 UTC
From: wh6diq@...
Topic: 3806 Message: 3876

Aloha,

Good to know about the batteries, mahalo. Although I definitely like the smaller form factor of the Mini DHAP, the functionality seems to be quite different from the earlier model. Being able to charge the batteries from the power port, OR power a 12v monitor from the port, was pretty significant. Assuming I get the Mini functioning, my usual operation would be on battery, portable, so this is two steps backwards for me.

73

Richard
wh6diq

3877. Re: Dvap Mini SD image question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-19 15:40:01 UTC
From: Barry Berg
Topic: 3806 Message: 3877

Richard,

It depends, when you jack 9v+ into the coaxial power port it disconnects the batteries by taking them out of circuit. They will keep their charge for quite a bit, just like your laptop/phone/tablet does, as that is a characteristic of LiON’s. I use my system mobile a lot, so I just carry the batteries in their cases for when I step out of the vehicle, and run it from the 12V accessory (read cig lighter adapter) A simple splice of another coaxial connector paralleling the one to power the DHAP-MINI would power your display.

73,

Barry Berg, K0BSB
phoggberg@me.com
K0BSB@...
CCS-Code: 7248

3878. Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-21 20:05:52 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3878 Message: 3878

Can anyone provide an estimate of an average month of data usage using a DVAP and a PI in the car? I am trying to figure if the 2GB plan would be enough data on a monthly basis.

Chip
WB0LBZ

3879. RE: [DVAPDongle] Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-21 21:31:45 UTC
From: Jim MacKenzie
Topic: 3878 Message: 3879

It'll depend on how often you use it, but when I took an IRLP nano-node to London, UK in May, I got a prepaid local SIM card for it and I used about 100 MB in a week.

Updates of your node will be the most bandwidth-hungry application, but you can do that at home If you want to save bandwidth.

Jim

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: August-21-15 2:06 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Hot Spot Data Usage

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Chip

WB0LBZ

3880. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-22 15:41:41 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3880

Ray,

Sorry to send this again but I never saw an answer. I tried Easy Tether Pro and did not have good results. Which version of easy tether are you using?

Chip
WB0LBZ

-----Original Message-----
From: kb8ild@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Wed, Jul 22, 2015 8:49 pm
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yes you can use the DVAP on a raspberry pi with easytether but you'll have to get a powered hub to run the phone through. The USB ports on the pi don't have the amperage to maintain or even charge a modern smartphone. The USB ports only produce 500ma and most phones need 1 - 2 amps for them to work correctly. I should also note that I have had problems burning out the port if I connect directly to the pi.

Let me know if you need further assistance

73,
Ray

kb8ild

3881. Re: Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-22 14:05:07 UTC
From: BARBARA AUBREY
Topic: 3878 Message: 3881

This is a question I have
I have been looking at el cheapo hot spot services, found one at $14 a month but wondered if allowance was enough?
NigelLG4ARS

3882. Re: [DVAPDongle] Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-23 22:32:42 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3878 Message: 3882

Thanks Jim, sounds like 2GB/mo should work well for my uses.
Chip

In a message dated 8/23/2015 5:30:30 P.M. Central Daylight Time,
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

It’ll depend on how often you use it, but when I took an IRLP nano-node to
London, UK in May, I got a prepaid local SIM card for it and I used about
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Updates of your node will be the most bandwidth-hungry application, but
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3883. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 03:57:49 UTC
From: mack_cox@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3883

Verizon has a hotspot with a large battery that can run /charge other devices while in use.

This would be the JetPack MiFi 6020C priced at $199 or $50 w/contract.

It may be available under a different model /name from another carrier.

This should meet your needs.

-KF4WN

3884. Re: DVAP Dongle, Raspberry Pi and Verizon Wireless MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 02:19:08 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3869 Message: 3884

I agree with Barry. Start checking the DNS. I would also check to make sure that the MIFI is giving an ip address to the PI. Sometimes, it's just the little things.

73's
kb8ild@gmail.com
kb8ild.info

3885. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 12:17:34 UTC
From: Tim Porter
Topic: 3878 Message: 3885

i have a 3 gig plan and i seem to get along with it just fine, i got dstar
raspberri pi connected and irlp on a nono node in my truc with a lg 7.0 pro

pad. and i usually doint get close to my limits
thanks Tim
k4kwq

*Tim Porter, K4KWQ *

Amateur Radio

*Team-speak** Server Administrator*

Ask me about DishNetwork and Direct Tv

On Sat, Aug 22, 2015 at 10:05 AM, BARBARA AUBREY aubreybarbara@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> This is a question I have
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> month but wondered if allowance was enough?
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> Nigel
> LG4ARS
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>

3886. Re: Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 02:07:05 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3878 Message: 3886

Which service did you find? I've been looking too.

3887. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 02:13:09 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3887

Sorry Chip I never saw a reply. But that's ok. :-)

The version that I have used was the pro version. I have tethered the original Model B, B+ and the Pi 2. I'm also using (always) the latest version of Raspian. Although I haven't tried it, but I have heard that the arm version of fedora works (somewhat) with easytether pro.

Which cell service are you using? Sprint? ATT? Verizon? T-Mobile? This might make a difference too. Let me know.

73's
Ray
kb8ild@gmail.com
kb8ild.info

3888. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 12:34:17 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3878 Message: 3888

I have Sprint and the 2GB plan is $20/mo

In a message dated 8/24/2015 7:18:47 A.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

Which service did you find? I've been looking too.

3889. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 13:17:43 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3889

Ray,
I have Sprint with a Galaxy S6. I have used the Easy Tether Lite before. This time I went with the Pro version and have yet to get any response from my Windows tablet. I figured I would start with something that should work easily before working with the Pi.
Chip

In a message dated 8/24/2015 7:33:17 A.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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Ray
kb8ild@...
kb8ild.info

3890. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 18:46:49 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3878 Message: 3890

I have their 6GB plan. But I also use it with a laptop as well.

3891. Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 18:58:12 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3891

Chip,

You have piqued my interest as to why you don't get anything on the Pi or why it's so erratic. Here's what I need to know from you.

Which Version of the pi you have B, B+, Pi 2, etc
Which OS you are running
Which version of Android you have running on your phone or what you are trying to get to work with the pi.

I have all three versions of the pi so I can test this out with my Note 3.

Also, if you can post what you are typing into the terminal to get the pi to work with easytether. I want to try to get this working for you.

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Ray
kb8ild@gmail.com
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3892. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 21:47:02 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3892

Ray,

First, let me tell you a little more. I am trying to get the Galaxy S6 phone running 5.1.1 Android to simply provide internet connectivity to my Windows 8 tablet. I have not been able to do that so I have not tried the Pi yet.

I have several Pi versions. I would be using a model B running either DSTAR Commander or the Maryland DSTAR distribution. I also have a generation 2 DHAP also running a B model Pi.

My first challenge is to get the phone to provide connectivity. Then I will move to the Pi. What should I see on the phone that would indicate that it is working? Or what should I do or see on the tablet?

Chip

In a message dated 8/24/2015 4:09:37 P.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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73's
Ray
kb8ild@...
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3893. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-08-24 21:54:40 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3893

Ray,
I just got a new message from the tablet. It is telling me that Connection Approval is required See RSA prompt on your smartphone. Might that help? It seems that the tablet is now seeing the phone connection through the USB port.
Chip

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73's
Ray
kb8ild@...
kb8ild.info

3894. Re: DVAP Dongle, Raspberry Pi and Verizon Wireless MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-01 02:56:06 UTC
From: n8cdw@...
Topic: 3869 Message: 3894

Thanks guys!

3895. Re: DVAP Dongle, Raspberry Pi and Verizon Wireless MIFI

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-01 03:05:01 UTC
From: n8cdw@...
Topic: 3869 Message: 3895

Hi

Thanks for the read back on the MIFI and DNS, I got it to work most of the time.

I decided to purchase a Raspberry Pi V2 board to use with my DVAP Dongle after reviewing the speed. Do you happen to know if there's a release out there that I can use with the V2 board and DVAP Dongle?

Thanks and 73's
Carl N8CDW

3896. DVAP Died when going from Mac to PC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-21 13:08:06 UTC
From: lberk26@...
Topic: 3896 Message: 3896

I just purchased a Mac installed the software as per instructions and program loaded opened the dvap and the dvap saw my id-31 but no voice and no reflector connection, Reconnected to my pc where this did work, now not connecting to any reflectors! anyone have any idea whats going on and how to correct this

Larry w2LGB

3897. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-30 03:35:08 UTC
From: ki4cjf@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3897

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3898. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-30 12:39:51 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 3833 Message: 3898

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3899. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-30 21:10:27 UTC
From: Ken Boyle
Topic: 3833 Message: 3899

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3900. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-09-30 23:05:01 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 3833 Message: 3900

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3901. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-01 01:32:21 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 3833 Message: 3901

I try FoxFi and it would only work if the phone was connect to the laptop
via the usb port. would not work using wifi

Jack/AI4LL

Jack L. Blake

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3902. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-01 19:59:37 UTC
From: Zach Bennett
Topic: 3833 Message: 3902

True your phone will not be able to connect to a wifi you will only be able to use your 3g or 4G from your provider whIle the app is in use. And yes you have to have a lockscreen and a vpn. I have been using it on my Motorola razor max and now my Samsung s5 for 3+ years. 10, 20, and 30+ gigabytes a month without any problems. Just need to keep it plugged in to the wall charger not computer usb because the computer doesn't produce enough amps to trump the power used from the phone and data use.

I have only uses on the 2 phones I stated above I have no idea if this app or how this app works with LG or other brand of phones.

Thanks, Zach

From:"Matthew Pitts daywalker_blade_2004@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Date:Thu, Oct 1, 2015 at 7:56
Subject:Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Raspberry Pi With Android Easy Tether App

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3903. Re: Hot Spot Data Usage

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-03 05:12:29 UTC
From: mrmingsiu@...
Topic: 3878 Message: 3903

I started to measure my data usage

DVAP connected to a Pi
extra iPhone with everything I could turn off that uses data. It is setup to tether on a Ting account.

I recorded a local D-STAR net twice. Each runs for a few hours on Thursday night on ref12A using this setup.

I added all the audio files together to get a total talk time and decided the MB used to get the usage per minute of talk time.

for a 272 min net it used 51 MB of data thats about 192K per min

would be great if someone else could validate my results.

3904. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-12 01:45:39 UTC
From: guy@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3904

I'm having a similar issue under 10.11.1 (El Cap). Quitting the app (DVAPtool) and restarting fixes the issue, but it's a royal pain. Anyone figured this out yet?

I'm running on AC power and the display doesn't necessarily have to shut down. The machine is definitely not going into Sleep Mode.

3905. DVAP and DVAPtool works, then dies under El Capitan

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-12 01:42:29 UTC
From: guy@...
Topic: 3905 Message: 3905

Recently installed a DVAPdongle and DVAPtool, and it works great for about 20-35 minutes, then gets hung saying it's "Listening to K4ICP" (my callsign). I then have to quit and restart the program, which is no big deal if I am in the room with it, but a bit of an inconvenience if not.

Is anyone having this issue, and if so, how can we fix it?

73

K4ICP
Guy

3906. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-12 13:03:16 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3906

It looks like there may be an FTDI USB driver issue with El Capitan. Apple now includes their own FTDI driver natively in the O/S. Try this:

Open a terminal window and type:

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sudo kextunload -b com.FTDI.driver.FTDIUSBSerialDriver
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Then unplug and replug your DVAP.

Let me know if that makes a difference.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3907. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-12 17:52:49 UTC
From: guy@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3907

I'm trying that, as well. Turning off App Nap didn't do the trick here. Running El Capitan on Mac Book Pro 13" of recent vintage.

Will report back outcomes.

K4ICP
Guy

3908. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-12 23:34:23 UTC
From: guy@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3908

No joy here. Still bombs after 20-30 min. Not sure if this is any help, but when it freezes it says "Listening to K4ICP," which is of course my call. Even though the 7100 has not transmitted the entire time.

3909. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-12 23:46:18 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3909

Hmm, can you take a screenshot of the text window when that happens? You'll need to start the app from a terminal window.

Robin

3910. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-13 03:33:34 UTC
From: guy@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3910

Sorry you lost me there. I can take a screenshot without starting the app from a terminal window, but are you saying that I should start it from the command line for some other reason?

It does seem to be holding up longer now, but it still freezes.

3911. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-21 14:32:08 UTC
From: guy@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3911

Well, this is a REAL puzzler. After freezing every time the program ran, DVAPtools suddenly works. Or at least in this instance. It's been up and connected to 01C for about 12 hours with no hitch or glitch.

I can't explain it, but I hope this is the new normal.

K4ICP
Guy

3912. Re: DVAP Freezing after several minutes

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-21 22:33:55 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3814 Message: 3912

Turning off app nap won't prevent this in OSX versions after Mavericks 10.9. Both Yosemite and El Capitan have additional energy saving "features" that cause the DVAP to go to sleep. Part of the reason I reverted back to Mavericks and won't be upgrading until Apple decides to give end-users some control over this feature.

How to Disable App Nap Per-App in OS X Yosemite - iHash
https://www.ihash.eu/2015/01/disable-app-nap-per-app-os-x-yosemite/

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View on www.ihash.eu https://www.ihash.eu/2015/01/disable-app-nap-per-app-os-x-yosemite/
Preview by Yahoo

3913. Transmit Being Ignored

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-25 23:37:54 UTC
From: jerrywwade56@...
Topic: 3913 Message: 3913

I have my DVAP set up, although when I key up, I get the message that the transmit is being ignored and I am in receive only. Anyone have any ideas?

KG5JBC

3914. Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-27 14:19:37 UTC
From: tredding@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3914

I am getting ready to setup to operate DSTAR at a new QTH. Have both the red and blue dongles and hope to have an access point for my hand-talki and the ability to operate via a Mac and connect to DSTAR repeaters.

I am curious to know if one particular version of the Apple OS is better than another interns of a dedicated Mac to use in support of DSTARS? I am currently on an iMac with OS 10.9.5. I have resisted upgrading to a new OS, since what I have is good enough. But I could run DSTAR with a Mac mini server?

All thoughts and comments appreciated.

Terry - W6LMJ

3915. Re: Transmit Being Ignored

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-28 00:46:43 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 3913 Message: 3915

Hi Jerry,

The only terminal address you have is KG5JBC with a space for the 8th character. That is all you really need for most operations. If you use anything else such as for example, "KG5JBC A", that will put you in a receive only mode. If you want to use different suffixes with your call, you should add those terminal addresses where you registered. On another note, you requested registration at W4AES on the 26th. This post is dated the 25th. So probably your connection should work now that you have completed the registration process?

73

James, N0XIA

3916. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-30 00:58:00 UTC
From: k6biv@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3916

Hello All:

I got this working with the help of Brian..

After mostly been off D-Star since the fire in 2013 on Mt. Diablo, I now have a DVAP running on a Pi that will be installed in my car.

Thanks Brian..

73'

Tim
K6BIV

3917. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-30 18:51:10 UTC
From: ka7qqv@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3917

welcome back to D Star Ka7qqv Alameda

3918. DVAP and 92AD - Received signal intermittently interrupted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-31 03:13:24 UTC
From: modnla@...
Topic: 3918 Message: 3918

Dear Forum---
I am running a brand new DVAP with my Icom 92AD, and have been encountering some problems. While listening to another station, the received transmission gets intermittently interrupted, and the beep will happen in the middle of the other station's transmission. With the terminal open on my PC while monitoring a reflector (REF001CL, for example), the terminal will read:
transmit state <ON>
transmit state <off>
transmit state<on> .. etc.

...this will happen multiple times while a given station is transmitting. I've made sure that the WX alerts are turned off. I've played around with some of the squelch settings. When I receive another station, I only get one red bar. Sometimes I can monitor for several minutes and this issue won't occur. Other times, it will happen multiple times in the span of less than a minute. It will even happen when a station is transmitting from a DVAP or Dongle, so I would assume their transmission wouldn't be interrupted by location/bad coverage etc. Anybody have any ideas? I have only had this DVAP for about two weeks. Thanks and 73s
-Charles
KG6EID

3919. Re: DVAP and 92AD - Received signal intermittently interrupted

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-10-31 23:15:19 UTC
From: Doug Henry
Topic: 3918 Message: 3919

Check under Quick Menu and make sure you have Weather Alert turned off.

Doug VE1ZG

3920. DR Memories with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-10 06:57:16 UTC
From: mimmuz75@...
Topic: 3920 Message: 3920

Hey guys,
I'm having some trouble using the DR memories with my DVAP.

When I use the standard memories on my ID-51a+ I can connect, ask for system status, echo etc. without any problem but if I try to use the DR memories where I created a simplex entry for my DVAP I'm not able to do Echo Test or System Status (while connect/disconnect and CQ work without problems).

The issue seems to be that when I key for the Echo Test for example the DVAP is expecting:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur DVAP I my KK6WVK /ID51 fc dc1b OK

Starting ID request (DVAP I)

While what comes out from the radio is:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur I my KK6WVK /ID51 fc e1c1 OK
Transmitting to gateway (I)

so the DVAP returns "Unknown Command" cause the ur field is empty.

Given the fact that you are not able to add anything else in a DV simplex DR entry beside the name and the frequency, my guess is that I'm missing some field somewhere in the settings.

Any idea what this could be?
Thanks
Mimmo KK6WVK

3921. window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-10 21:12:16 UTC
From: k0gkc@...
Topic: 3921 Message: 3921

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3922. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-11 01:27:53 UTC
From: ke4qdc@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3922

I got NJ6N downloaded and working. I cannot figure out how to add multiple wifi access points to this newest version . I can do one or the other but can't save them both so it will auto connect to which ever one it sees first. I routinely move the dvapdongle between the house and car. Any help

ke4qdc
Ferrell

3923. Re: [DVAPDongle] window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-11 02:00:55 UTC
From: W9WHF4-gmail
Topic: 3921 Message: 3923

Gene:
Works fine on my Asus i7 Desktop running Win 10

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W9WHF

From: mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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3924. Re: [DVAPDongle] window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-11 02:05:40 UTC
From: peterbland@...
Topic: 3921 Message: 3924

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Sent from Xfinity Connect Mobile App

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From: W9WHF4-gmail w9whf4@... [DVAPDongle]
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3925. Re: [DVAPDongle] window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-11 02:33:18 UTC
From: Bob
Topic: 3921 Message: 3925

Works for me.

73, Bob KIØG

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3926. Re: [DVAPDongle] window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-12 06:23:31 UTC
From: Gene Cexton
Topic: 3921 Message: 3926

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3927. Re: [DVAPDongle] window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-12 18:04:56 UTC
From: SR-71
Topic: 3921 Message: 3927

I just got my DVAP working on a PIPO X9 Mini-PC running Windows 10 (thanks to some help from AA4RC). Butch, KF4HR

3928. Re: [DVAPDongle] window 10 compatable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-12 18:13:34 UTC
From: LGB
Topic: 3921 Message: 3928

Dvap works on My windows 10 and mac new version operating system just fine!

Larry w2LGB

On Thu, Nov 12, 2015 at 1:23 AM, Gene Cexton k0gkc@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle] <
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> [image: Avast logo] <https://www.avast.com/antivirus>
> This email has been checked for viruses by Avast antivirus software.
> www.avast.com <https://www.avast.com/antivirus>
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3929. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-14 05:15:34 UTC
From: kc4cop2@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3929

I am new to D-Star and a very new user of the DVAP Dongle. I have a telephone system in my Jeep. The Jeep telephone system uses my cell telephone (Android) and cell telephone number. I have an Internet data connection on my cell phone. The Jeep system does not make use of an independent telephone like I had in a Chevrolet. Can I use the DVAP Dongle with the system outlined above?

I have tried to install "Easytether" on my Android cell phone and I get an error message that says that the Easytether program is not compatible with my LG brand cell phone. Do you know if another telephone tethering system will work with the LG (Android) cell telephone?

Dick Zseltvay
KC4COP
Reflector 46A
kc4cop@hotmail.com

3930. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-17 03:48:07 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3930

Based on your info, I would use the cellphone´s hotspot feature and link the Raspberry pi to it via WiFi. Data should flow to and from the devices regardless of Bluetooth use.

3931. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-21 02:28:55 UTC
From: kc4cop2@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3931

I am not sure if your message was addressed to me or the original post rather than my reply.

In case your post was directed to me, I do not have "raspberry pi". I am using the DVAP dongle with DVAPTools 1.04 and have tried WinDV. In addition to my question on tethering I am have problems with both software packages themselves.

Please see new post.

Dick Zseltvay
KC4COP

3932. Problem with dropped recieve packets

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-21 02:32:02 UTC
From: kc4cop2@...
Topic: 3932 Message: 3932

I am consistently having packets dropped from received signals using D-Star reflectors. Transmitted signals are ok i.e. no dropped packets. Tried multiple reflectors.

Switched from satellite Internet service to cable.

Bought all new equipment since I first started having my problem. Purchased new desktop computer with multi-core CPU and 3+GHz clock. All new cable WiFi installation with 35 ms PING, 30 Mbps download speed and 6 Mbps upload speed. New high speed Internet modem and router.

Have changed USB ports on computer, changed cable from DVAP to computer, removed elbow from DVAP, put new antennas on ICOM ID-51A Anniversary model and new antenna on DVAP.

Tried DVAPTools 1.04 and WinDV. Same results with both programs and all of the changes I have listed above.

Set "squelch" (traditional) levels to "auto" and level "1".

Tried virtual COM port driver.

Equipment and software includes:

ICOM ID-51A Anniversary model; Dell Inspiron 3847 desktop - 7 core CPU at 3+ GHz; Windows 7 Pro; DVAP running DVAPTools 1.04 and WinDV programs.

Please help.

Dick Zseltvay

KC4COP

kc4cop@hotmail.com mailto:kc4cop@hotmail.com

3933. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-21 02:35:04 UTC
From: kc4cop2@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3933

If my telephone has a "hot spot" feature I am unaware of it. I do not see "hot spot" in the system menu.

Dick Zseltvay
KC4COP
kc4cop2@hot.mail.com

3934. RE: [DVAPDongle] Problem with dropped recieve packets

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-21 15:02:36 UTC
From: Jim MacKenzie
Topic: 3932 Message: 3934

If multiple reflectors have this issue, chances are the issue is either on your own local network or with your own Internet service provider.

Are there any local users that are using the Internet heavily (high definition video streaming, torrent downloading, etc.)? If so they may be using almost all of the bandwidth. That would make your inbound audio unreliable because there would not always be sufficient available bandwidth for the audio packets to arrive.

Jim VE5EIS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: November-20-15 8:32 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Problem with dropped recieve packets

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3935. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-21 15:03:39 UTC
From: Jim MacKenzie
Topic: 3088 Message: 3935

It may show as “connection sharing”, “tethering”, “personal hotspot”, or some such.

Jim

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: November-20-15 8:35 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

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3936. Re: NJ6N Raspbian DVAP Installer Updated

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-23 16:00:18 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 3088 Message: 3936

Yes it was, and I do apologize for any confusion my erroneous reply may have caused. In any case, be it a Windows based tablet or computing device, the connection to the phone would have to be via WiFi, so that you may still use your Jeep´s Bluetooth connection for the phone and the data portion would be shared with your computing devices.

73 de TG9AOR

3937. USING DVAP dongle with IC92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-26 21:34:32 UTC
From: Normand Lacroix
Topic: 3937 Message: 3937

Just bought DVAP dongle to use with IC92AD, downloaded dvaptool 1.4 but I how do I open the link for communicating?Thanks

3938. Can't login to reflectors with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-11-28 02:04:32 UTC
From: Grant Nicholls
Topic: 3938 Message: 3938

I keep getting message "gateway login failed" on the black screen followed by an audio message on my ID-880H "remote system unlinked".

Connecting to gateway REF038
state change 2 connecting to gateway REF038

state change 4 authenticating
missed keepalive from gateway, count=1
login failed

state change 7 disconnecting gateway login failed
gateway response timeout 7

I am new to the DVAP and would appreciate someone's help
I am using a VPN with Hughesnet satellite internet

Thanks in advance

de KC2RCU

3939. Re: USING DVAP dongle with IC92AD

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-04 05:05:48 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 3937 Message: 3939

After installation you double click on the DVAP icon on your desktop, fill in with your callsign and the appropiate COM port(usually COM3 under WIndows Operating System) and the simplex frequency you want to use it with your radio. Once all is filled you press the OPEN button that is beside the COM port dialog box and you should be set. You will get a message telling you have the latest version of DVAP Tool installed. After that you have to link and unlink via RF.

73

3940. Re: Can't login to reflectors with DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-04 05:00:36 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 3938 Message: 3940

Hello, if possible try providing Internet to your equipment via your cellphone, as to verify that the latency involved with satellite Internet is causing problems. I could not use the satellite internet other than for sending emails and browsing web pages. Video streaming was frustrating. If your computing equipment is portable take it along to a place where public WiFi is available,this if you cannot provide Internet with your cellphone.

73

3941. Station for sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-07 19:38:38 UTC
From: Bob Cutter
Topic: 3941 Message: 3941

Just not my thing, everything works well and about a year old.

ID-51A and charger
Internet Labs 450 dongle
Factory manual
N6FN's Nifty Mini-Manual

$525.00 shipped US.

73, Bob KIØG

3942. Re: Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-08 21:12:25 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3942

Terry,
It doesn't look like anyone has answered your question. The DVAP software will run on the Mac Mini just fine with any modern version of OSX, with a caveat. I run Mavericks on my Mac Mini and my MacBook Pro. I too have not upgraded, but for a very specific reason: Apple has disabled the end user's ability to easily disable App Nap in Yosemite and El Capitan. I won't be upgrading until that functionality is restored.

So, you'll be able to run a DVAP fine under your your system. Just remember to go to the "Get Info" item in the contextual menu and check the "Prevent App Nap" box, so that your DVAP won't be forced to nap by the OS.

73,
Scott N9AA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <tredding@...> wrote :

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All thoughts and comments appreciated.

Terry - W6LMJ

3943. Re: Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-10 17:05:21 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3943

I am running El Capitan and the ability to disable App NAP is there and just as easy to control as it ever was. It was just as easy in Yosemite as well. You simply go to the application folder in finder and right click on the application you want to change and select Get Info. The next to the last line in the general selection is a checkbox called "Prevent App Nap". Check the box, close the window and you are all done.

73,

Mark
WB5SLA

3944. Re: Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-10 22:59:08 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3944

I am currently using El Capitan and the ability to disable the App Nap is still there and as simple as always. In fact, it was in Yosemite as well. I don't recall how to disable App Nap in Mavericks but here is how you do it on El Capitan (If I recall it was the same in Yosemite):

Using Finder go to your Applications folder.
Locate your DVAPTool.app file and right click (or Control-click) and you will get a list of options
Click on "Get Info" and the Get Info screen will appear.
Expand the "General" section if it's not already. In the general section you will see two check boxes. Click the checkbox next to "Prevent App Nap" Close the Get Info screen and you are done. You may need to close and reopen the DVAPTool application for the change to take effect. At this point, you are all done and DVAPTool is no longer go to sleep on you.

73,

Mark
WB5SLA

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All thoughts and comments appreciated.

Terry - W6LMJ

3945. Re: Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-11 23:35:20 UTC
From: mark@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3945

Hi Terry and Scott,

I am using a Mac Mini (late 2012 model) with El Capitan, having upgraded from Yosemite. I used a DVAP on Yosemite and now El Capitan without any issues once I ticked the box on the Get Info menu selection to Prevent App Nap. Its easy as.... not sure what your problem is here?

Mark ZL2UFI

3946. Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-12 18:50:36 UTC
From: w9meb@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3946

Stuck with Mac.

Have os ver 10.11. Downloaded a FTDI driver. DVAP tool window shows connectivity but out of my radio come intermittent r2d2 sounds and nothing intelligible.

I kicked the windows machine out of the house. Maybe a bad choice cause it worked fine with the DVAP. On the mac Im missing the secondary, dos looking screen that showed the status and packet info. It is mia on the mac. Also in the window where it displayed the com port in windows, now I have a truncated path saying something about serial….usb//bla bla…

ANY HELP AND I’D BE MOST GRATEFUL!!!!

MIKE, K0MEB
w9meb@yahoo.com

3947. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-12 23:46:39 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 3666 Message: 3947

What about running Parallels as a Winders
emulator on the Mac?
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 12, 2015, at 12:50 PM, w9meb@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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3948. Re: Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-13 15:34:42 UTC
From: dave@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3948

I am not sure what the difference is, but that box is not present on El Capitan for me either. It was there in Yosemite, but after upgrading it is not an option. However, the App Nap box is present in some of the other apps I have looked at. Since this isn't the first complaint I have seen about this, it seems we have a mystery here.

Dave
K9DPM

3949. Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-13 19:14:40 UTC
From: mark@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3949

Hi Mike,

Do you have the latest drivers from FTDI? Maybe thats the issue?

The Terminal Window or DOS Window isn't available on the Mac version.

The com port is as you described.

I also run a Windows emulator, namely Parallels (now at version 11). I have a XP image that I use for radio programming my various ICOM D-STAR radios with. So you can have the best of both the Mac for all your needs and Windows for the few programs that don't exist in the Mac word.

I have been using a Mac Mini (late 2012), on Mountain Lion, Mavericks, Yosemite and now El Capitan with the DVAP/DV Dongles and apart from the Prevent App Nap (just need to turn that feature off) issue has worked great. If fact I too thought I had an issue with El Capitan until I remembered the Prevent App Nap fate upgrading the software and my DVAP has worked as it should.

Mark ZL2UFI

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <w9meb@...> wrote :

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ANY HELP AND I’D BE MOST GRATEFUL!!!!

MIKE, K0MEB
w9meb@...

3950. Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-13 22:28:15 UTC
From: mack_cox@...
Topic: 3666 Message: 3950

Maybe you don't quite have the right driver? You have to be very careful to select the right on. I have a 2009 Mac Mini that worked ok. There was something else you had to deselect in OSX, but I can't recall what it was. I've since moved my DVAP to a Raspberry Pi to free up my mac. More compact & portable besides.

Another note: The 70cm DVAP gets better range due to a less used band. Mine seems to cover a large city block on the lowest power setting, and I'm on the lowest level of an apartment bldg. In a hole so-to-speak.

3951. Re: Which Mac OS to use?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-14 05:07:15 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3914 Message: 3951

Mark,
I don't have any problem, since I no longer run anything past Mavericks. I suggest you Google App Nap and/or Yosemite and El Capitan and you'll find that you're very lucky to have App Nap functionality on your Mac. Lot's of people don't and Terry is not the first ham to have the issue. It may be that the functionality is there in some apps and not in others. I wasn't present in my DVAP app when I upgraded to Yosemite. I haven't upgraded to El Capitan on any of my Macs, but would like to. The loss of the prevent app nap functionality is the only reason I haven't. I'd welcome the return on the check box!

73,
Scott N9AA

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3952. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and Mac Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-14 17:09:54 UTC
From: Ken Boyle
Topic: 3666 Message: 3952

Sounds like it needs to be recalibrated. I know there is a program on windows to do it. Not sure about Mac. Try several frequencies on the dvap about 100 hz apart and see what results you get from the radio. If you get intellageable audio, that means you need to recalibrate the dvap.
Good luckKenKC2IDB

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Sun, Dec 13, 2015 at 5:28 PM, mack_cox@... [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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3953. New DVAP Dongle problem

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-15 01:44:36 UTC
From: dhcody52@...
Topic: 3953 Message: 3953

I am using Win 7 and a fast Comcast connection and can connect to the dvap using Info and Echo test but when I put in a Reflector it replies Gateway Unknown.... I went into my Dstar account and all looks good and I have been operating my IC9100 through a repeater, linking to reflectors and using Dstar. The instructions do not address this issue and I have no idea what might be wrong.... Any help would be appreciated or I guess Ill send it back to where I bought it.

Thanks

WR5DC
Dennis

3954. Cannot connect to Reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-15 17:13:13 UTC
From: dhcody@...
Topic: 3954 Message: 3954

When trying to connect to a reflector with L in the eighth character the unit replies. Reflector unlinked.... I cannot connect.... Any help would be appreciated

Dennis WR5DC

3955. Cannot Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-15 19:20:00 UTC
From: Cody, Dennis H
Topic: 3955 Message: 3955

I have a new DV Dongle on 2 meters with a ID51a. When I put a reflector in UR call with a L in the 8th place, I get a Reflector unlinked. Any ideas?

Thanks,
Dennis WR5DC

Dennis H. Cody
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Aviation Division
Director of Aircraft Maintenance
713-989-3554 Office
713-989-3596 Fax
dhcody@...

3956. RE: Cannot Link

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-16 15:09:03 UTC
From: John Davis
Topic: 3955 Message: 3956

Are you including the module in the link command such as REF030CL? Sounds like you are using standard memories with your ID51a. If you use DR mode, it’s much easier to do linking and unlinking. If you need more info on using DR mode, let us know.

John WB4QDX

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 15, 2015 2:20 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Cannot Link

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Thanks,
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3957. New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-17 01:02:41 UTC
From: cincair@...
Topic: 3957 Message: 3957

At first this looked easy, how wrong can you be?

So I have a red 70cm DVAP and an ICOM IC-7100. I know the IC-7100 should be able to use the DVAP as an access point to the D-Star network so how do you make them do it?

The first simple question is - I am registered on D-Star, do I also have to register the DVAP dongle as
mycall with an 'A' added in the 8th position? If where do you do it and how? The original registration was done by ICOM so I have no access to update it anyway.

In other words if I have registered already do I need to do any addition or modification to the original registration.

I think before I kn0ow that the following is just an indication of how frustrating this is.

The second is, after double clicking the dongle icom the DOS window and the DVAP tool window open then another in top saying No DV AP Dongle found! If you OK this then click OPEN, things happen then another window opens telling me I am running the latest version of the DVAPTool.

Very reassuring since if I OK that window it closes and just sits there with a few red dots going up and down under the squelch

The MY: UR: R1 & R2 remain undefined and does nothing.

Thank you.

3958. Re: New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-17 18:47:01 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3957 Message: 3958

Where are you located? In the U.S. you do not have to register the DVAP, in other countries you may. I'm wondering why you'd have no access to your registration, even if Icom did the registering.

You might try letting us know your callsign. I might make things a little easier.

73,
Scott N9AA

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Thank you.

3959. Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-19 15:24:24 UTC
From: Comcast mail
Topic: 3959 Message: 3959

I just got my new DVAP up and working and can connect to Reflectors, communicate and disconnect. However would like to be able to connect to my local repeater. I am putting it in just like the reflector, example W5HDRC L but no success. Any ideas?

73

Dennis Cody WR5DC

3960. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-19 21:55:17 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 3959 Message: 3960

Dennis,
The repeater needs a module to connect to next to the L
Example: W5HDR CL
Notice the space after the "R"

WB5EKU

On Sat, Dec 19, 2015 at 7:24 AM, 'Comcast mail' dhcody52@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Dennis Cody WR5DC
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3961. DVAP no longer works using El Capitan OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-19 23:17:35 UTC
From: Michael Grace
Topic: 3961 Message: 3961

It started out working just fine, but no longer. The DVAP is no longer seen.
Reinstalled the FTDI driver files to no avail.
I know of and have the ‘app nap’ box checked off.

There is a reference to the need to install a library for D2XX, however it is WAY beyond my capacity to do this, simply looking at the instructions.

Can anyone help me out with this?

Thanks,
Mike
KA1RTW

3962. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-19 21:32:28 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 3959 Message: 3962

Dennis DC wrote:

> I just got my new DVAP up and working and can connect to Reflectors,
> communicate and disconnect. However would like to be able to connect to
> my local repeater… I am putting it in just like the reflector, example
> W5HDRC L but no success. Any ideas?

Just shooting in the dark but should it be W5HDR CL with a space after
HDR to make it 6 characters, then C and L in spaces 7 and 8?

Or do you even need the "C"? Could it be W6HDR space space L ?

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Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

3963. Re: [DVAPDongle] Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 01:49:48 UTC
From: Doug Henry
Topic: 3959 Message: 3963

Be sure to have Use Repeater in to field.

On 19 December 2015 at 11:24, 'Comcast mail' dhcody52@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I just got my new DVAP up and working and can connect to Reflectors,
> communicate and disconnect. However would like to be able to connect to my
> local repeater… I am putting it in just like the reflector, example W5HDRC
> L but no success. Any ideas?
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> Dennis Cody WR5DC
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3964. RE: [DVAPDongle] Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 08:31:44 UTC
From: Ralph Schutz
Topic: 3959 Message: 3964

Dennis, some repeater systems on D-Star do not allow for direct connect of dongles, either the DVAP or DV, you will need to ask the system admin about connections on that repeater. About support for the DVAP, Robin does check this and other groups from time to time and will respond to direct emails. Either the DStar Users or DStar info web site has some you tube videos on both the ID-51 and the DVAP. The DVAP web site does contain detailed instructions on how to get the DVAP up and running.

Ralph N6GVG
If "Plan A" fails... There are 25 more letters in the Alphabet.

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

From: 'Comcast mail' dhcody52@... [DVAPDongle]
Sent: Saturday, December 19, 2015 4:03 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Connect to local repeater

I just got my new DVAP up and working and can connect to Reflectors, communicate and disconnect. However would like to be able to connect to my local repeater… I am putting it in just like the reflector, example W5HDRC L but no success. Any ideas?

73
Dennis Cody WR5DC

3965. Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 12:01:42 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 3959 Message: 3965

Try a space between the repeater and the module... as in "W5HDR CL"
If the callsign is less than 6 characters, you have to pad the callsign.

Ken - KC4YOZ

3966. Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 15:33:00 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3959 Message: 3966

First of all, some repeaters will not allow connections from DVAPs etc, so check into that situation.

I think you also have to format it with the C (assuming you are trying to link to the 2m portion) next to the L such as this.

W5HDR▪CL

WA6JFK

3967. Re: New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 15:35:09 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3957 Message: 3967

What is your call sign?

WA6JFK

3968. Re: Cannot connect to Reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 15:47:14 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3954 Message: 3968

For all the people having problems linking to various reflectors/repeaters the "DSTAR calculator" is an invaluable tool for figuring out what you should be entering to get something to link etc.

DSTAR Web Calculator - D-STAR Info http://www.dstarinfo.com/dstar-web-calculator.aspx

DSTAR Web Calculator - D-STAR Info http://www.dstarinfo.com/dstar-web-calculator.aspx

View on www.dstarinfo.com http://www.dstarinfo.com/dstar-web-calculator.aspx
Preview by Yahoo

Also, if you own "RT SYSTEMS" software for your DSTAR radio, it will populate memories for you, based on what you are trying to connect to.

WA6JFK

3969. Receive only on 30c and 1c

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 13:17:59 UTC
From: kd6jsp@...
Topic: 3969 Message: 3969

Only when I try to connect to 1c and 30 c. My annunciator says receive only on these two reflectors. Other US stations are connecting. Anyone else experiencing this issue? It just happened about 2 weeks ago. Everything else works great.
W5THC
Mark Braun

3970. Re: Receive only on 30c and 1c

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 17:09:16 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3969 Message: 3970

I could be mistaken.

But according to this "checker" your call sign is not registered on the DSTAR gateway.

D-Star Repeater/Gateway WB1GOF
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC

D-Star Repeater/Gateway WB1GOF
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC DStar-Gateway Registration Check Registration Information: Registr.Call Registration Server Date of Registration IP-Address-Pool No Registration!

View on wb1gof.dstargateway.org
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC
Preview by Yahoo

WA6JFK

3971. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 17:11:35 UTC
From: Comcast mail
Topic: 3959 Message: 3971
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Guys,

Thanks for all the helpful info, but it must be the repeaters on the other side of town from me out of RF range will not allow DVAPs…. As I tried W5HDR CL (call sign space module and Link, filling the eight characters, direct in R1 and R2, with no success. Even the ones filling the eight characters like KF5KHMBL and putting direct in R1 and R2 gives me (no gateway found). Thanks so much for all the helpful ideas as now I know it is not my procedure… Hope to catch you guys on the Reflectors as that works fantastic !!!

73 to all

WR5DC

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Sunday, December 20, 2015 9:33 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

First of all, some repeaters will not allow connections from DVAPs etc, so check into that situation.

I think you also have to format it with the C (assuming you are trying to link to the 2m portion) next to the L such as this.

W5HDR▪CL

WA6JFK

3972. Check your callsign for proper DSTAR registration...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 17:16:02 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3972 Message: 3972

D-Star Repeater/Gateway WB1GOF
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=

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D-Star Repeater/Gateway WB1GOF
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign= DStar-Gateway Registration Check

View on wb1gof.dstargateway.org
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=
Preview by Yahoo

Use this tool to check your call sign for proper registration.
If not properly registered all kinds of problems may occur.
One way conversations, problems linking to certain reflectors/repeaters etc.

WA6JFK

3973. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 18:38:35 UTC
From: Michael Grace
Topic: 3957 Message: 3973

As I said in the message, call sign is KA1RTW.

Mike

> On Dec 20, 2015, at 10:35 AM, chp2150@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> What is your call sign?
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> WA6JFK
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3974. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only on 30c and 1c

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 18:40:56 UTC
From: Michael Grace
Topic: 3969 Message: 3974

No, I am there.
Try my call - KA1RTW
Thanks for the heads up though.

Mike

> On Dec 20, 2015, at 12:09 PM, chp2150@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
wrote:
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> I could be mistaken.
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> But according to this "checker" your call sign is not registered on the DSTAR gateway.
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> D-Star Repeater/Gateway WB1GOF
<https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC>
> <https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC>
> D-Star Repeater/Gateway WB1GOF
<https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC>
> DStar-Gateway Registration Check Registration Information: Registr.Call Registration
Server Date of Registration IP-Address-Pool No Registration!
> View on wb1gof.dstargateway.org
<https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=W5THC>
> Preview by Yahoo
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3975. Re: New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 23:21:23 UTC
From: franmiele@...
Topic: 3957 Message: 3975

You are registered. Make sure your radio is in RPT mode with a zero offset.

What problem are you actually having?

Does the computer rally see the DVAP?

Fran, W1FJM

3976. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only on 30c and 1c

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-20 23:11:22 UTC
From: chp2150@...
Topic: 3969 Message: 3976

"Only when I try to connect to 1c and 30 c. My annunciator says receive only on these two reflectors. Other US stations are connecting. Anyone else experiencing this issue? It just happened about 2 weeks ago. Everything else works great.
W5THC
Mark Braun"

I guess the W5THC here threw me off.....

3977. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-21 01:29:40 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3959 Message: 3977

Hi Dennis. I looked through the logs and your registration. You have only registered a "space" terminal in the gateway so you should always use a "space" in the 8th character of MYCALL on your radio and in the DVAPTool software. The logs show that you are using "WR5DC A ", "WR5DC A", and "WR5DC -A". Remove the "-" and the "A", and you should be good.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3978. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-21 11:41:35 UTC
From: Michael Grace
Topic: 3957 Message: 3978

The radio is set up properly, as it works in another mac with OS X 10.8.
The El Capitan mac does not see the DVAP.
> On Dec 20, 2015, at 6:21 PM, franmiele@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
wrote:
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> You are registered. Make sure your radio is in RPT mode with a zero offset.
>
> What problem are you actually having?
>
> Does the computer rally see the DVAP?
>
> Fran, W1FJM
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>

3979. Re: DVAP no longer works using El Capitan OS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2015-12-21 13:12:13 UTC
From: Don Shelton
Topic: 3961 Message: 3979

Couple of comments.

I am using El Capitan OS (10.11.2) with both the DVDongle and DVAP with no problems.

As for the issue with W5HDR, I cannot connect to it with my DVDongle. SysOp must have locked out DV devices.

don

Don Shelton K5OK

Garland, TX

<mailto:djs@...> djs@...

3980. Newbie to DStar

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-01 19:23:59 UTC
From: mickeykidsrn@...
Topic: 3980 Message: 3980

I just got from Santa a new DV Dongle for 2 meters. I looked at the pass board posts to see if my problem came up.

1. installed software my screens don't come to posts listed
2. I get a screen that ask for my call, message and ask for DV device. It will not let you add nothing..
3. When I check the computer is says port_#0002. That does not seem like a com port.
4. My DV dongle is flashing Green, I think that is good.
5. Is there something I need to the radio besides setting the Freq. at 146.55
6. Also I forgot my D Star login, I have asked for it when I go to Dstar it says it will e-mail me instructions on getting a new pass word or how to get to the old one. I never receive a e-mail about a new password.

My Call sign is AD0AN Clifton Avers located in St. Louis, Missouri Phone 314-852-2724

Some of this may sound if it was asked before but I could not find this detailed

Thanks and happy new year.

3981. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-02 20:46:53 UTC
From: jeromecp@...
Topic: 3959 Message: 3981

Hi Robin, I am unable to connect to my WA4TCD repeater with my new DVAP. Reflectors and other gateways is not a problem. I am the sysop for this machine and set it up with Fred from Icom a few weeks ago. All works well but something is missing. When I attempt to connect to the gateway I get an unlinked message. Scratching my head here....My call is K4CPJ and I do believe that I am set up correctly in the Dstar gateways. Any thoughts?

Thanks,
Craig - K4CPJ

3982. Re: New DVAP Maybe an experts here can help me make it work

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-02 21:52:34 UTC
From: tcarver007@...
Topic: 3957 Message: 3982

Very interesting, I'd like to know more about the El Capitan DVAP setup. I most recently pulled my DVAP out of storage... Come to find that the DVAP is only good for Windows 7 and Snow Lion... not enough Youtube info on these guys anymore. I'm running El-Cap on my mac now and my Windows is 10... I was thinking about busting out the an old computer and just running the DVAP with Linux...

3983. Re: Newbie to DStar

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 01:15:58 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3980 Message: 3983

Are you entering the frequency in Hz? 146.55 MHz should be 146550000.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3984. Re: [DVAPDongle] Newbie to DStar

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 03:01:02 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 3980 Message: 3984

Enter frequency as 146550000

On 1/1/2016 2:23 PM, mickeykidsrn@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> pass board posts to see if my problem came up.
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> It will not let you add nothing..
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> like a com port.
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> Some of this may sound if it was asked before but I could not find
> this detailed
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> Thanks and happy new year.
>
>

3985. Unable to connect to WA4TCD gateway with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 14:20:29 UTC
From: jeromecp@...
Topic: 3985 Message: 3985

I have a new DVAP and it works just fine to the reflectors and other gateways but I am unable to connect to my gateway on WA4TCD. I use the UR "WA4TCDCL" and I get an "unlinked" message. Our gateway runs dplus and set up per the Icom manuals.
Any thoughts?
Thanks,
Craig K4CPJ

3986. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 15:25:24 UTC
From: Comcast mail
Topic: 3959 Message: 3986

Craig,

For what it is worth, I have the same problem and have never been able to get my DVAP to connect to a repeater so I could talk to locals. Works great on all the reflectors! I never got a real answer from the experts on whether this can even be done. Good luck !

WR5DC

Dennis

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, January 02, 2016 2:47 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

Hi Robin,

I am unable to connect to my WA4TCD repeater with my new DVAP. Reflectors and other gateways is not a problem. I am the sysop for this machine and set it up with Fred from Icom a few weeks ago. All works well but something is missing. When I attempt to connect to the gateway I get an unlinked message. Scratching my head here....My call is K4CPJ and I do believe that I am set up correctly in the Dstar gateways. Any thoughts?

Thanks,

Craig - K4CPJ

3987. Re: Unable to connect to WA4TCD gateway with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 16:22:00 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3985 Message: 3987

Hi Craig. It looks like that repeater does not have the ports forwarded properly or they are blocking inbound connections. I just tried it and failed but then linked to W4DOC module A and it worked.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3988. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to connect to WA4TCD gateway with a DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 16:44:39 UTC
From: Craig Jerome
Topic: 3985 Message: 3988

Hi robin, are there additional ports required other than what icom requires at set up? Our gateway does work for other functions? I must have missed something.
Thanks,
Craig

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 3, 2016, at 11:22 AM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi Craig. It looks like that repeater does not have the ports forwarded properly or they are blocking inbound connections. I just tried it and failed but then linked to W4DOC module A and it worked.
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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3989. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-03 17:51:06 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 3959 Message: 3989

I have no problem working any repeaters on my 70cm DVAP. What I do is a little different than what you are trying to do. I have two memory settings for a D-Star Repeater in Grand Rapids, MI called WX8GRR. So in my memory for my ID-51A I have a memory channel of WX8GRR L and another for the WX8GRR B and this connects me to the 70cm portion of this repeater. Try this and see if this works for you.

73's
Raymond Jr
kb8ild@...
kb8ild.info

On Sun, Jan 3, 2016 at 10:25 AM, 'Comcast mail' dhcody52@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
> Craig,
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> For what it is worth, I have the same problem and have never been
> able to get my DVAP to connect to a repeater so I could talk to
> locals. Works great on all the reflectors! I never got a real
> answer from the experts on whether this can even be done. Good luck !
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> Sent: Saturday, January 02, 2016 2:47 PM
> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Connect to local repeater
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> gateway I get an unlinked message. Scratching my head here....My call
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> gateways. Any thoughts?
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> Thanks,
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> Craig - K4CPJ
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3990. DVAP Dongle stops communicating with El Capitan?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-06 03:53:51 UTC
From: dale.puckett@...
Topic: 3990 Message: 3990

I was wondering if there are any other Mac OS X users out there. I just got a DVAP Dongle and managed to fire it up without any issues.

I've been waiting for my registration to come back for over a week but in the meantime I wanted to listen. While doing this I noticed that the unit would go inactive after about 10 minutes and/or when the screen would go to sleep.

I had forgotten about the "Prevent App Sleep" checkbox. Could this be the issue. I just checked it and will be listening for awhile tonight.

Are there any other tricks I should be aware of?

Thanks!

73 de Dale

3991. DVAP wont work.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-06 04:29:32 UTC
From: kf0xq9100@...
Topic: 3991 Message: 3991

Hello. Everything is installed, blinking green light,etc.

Doesn't act like it's receiving data - all I see is a red signal strength bar when transmitting.

Flashing blue light on DVAP when everything is running .... nothing else.

Dave, KF0XQ

3992. Re: DVAP wont work.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-06 14:02:14 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3991 Message: 3992

Hi Dave. When you key up, do you see the MY/UR/RPT1/RPT2 fields with data from your radio? If not, you may need to calibrate the DVAP.

Let me know and I can walk you through that.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

3993. Re: DVAP Dongle stops communicating with El Capitan?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-06 20:39:37 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 3990 Message: 3993

This issue has been discussed previously. The App Nap feature works differently in El Capitan and not having the "Prevent App Sleep" box unchecked is almost certainly related to your issue. I'll be interested in seeing if your having checked the app nap box solves the problem. I've avoided upgrading to El Capitan largely because of this issue. Please let us know if it works!

73,
Scott N9AA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <dale.puckett@...> wrote :

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Are there any other tricks I should be aware of?

Thanks!

73 de Dale

3994. Re: DVAP wont work.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-07 02:25:35 UTC
From: kf0xq9100@...
Topic: 3991 Message: 3994

Robin ---

Got things working but the unit indeed needs to be calibrated.

Let me know what I need to do ...

Thank you,

Dave, KF0XQ

3995. Re: how to connect dvap to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-09 17:22:51 UTC
From: g4mhj@...
Topic: 117 Message: 3995

I have a same question using a ID-51E+. Would I have to create an entry in one of the memories first? I want to connect to locals on GB7KH. At present I can only see Reflectors in the "To" list.

3996. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: how to connect dvap to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-10 16:51:13 UTC
From: ferret10987654321@...
Topic: 117 Message: 3996

Good afternoon Bob
Yep you do have to put in a memory first use your simplex channel for dvap as a start then mode as DV and its GB7KH space BL The B is the mode 70cms and the L in 7th position is Link GB7KH BL
Have you got programming software and cable ??

73s M0MBV (martin)

Martin Hennessey ,

> On 9 Jan 2016, at 17:22, g4mhj@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> I have a same question using a ID-51E+. Would I have to create an entry in one of the memories first? I want to connect to locals on GB7KH. At present I can only see Reflectors in the "To" list.
>
>

3997. Re: DVAP Dongle stops communicating with El Capitan?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-10 20:49:48 UTC
From: dale.puckett@...
Topic: 3990 Message: 3997

Scott,

Checking the Prevent App Sleep checkbox appears to have cleared up the problem when receiving from a Reflector. I have not noticed the issue since checking the checkbox.

Unfortunately, I still have not been approved by the gateway sysop I registered with so I am in limbo as far as transmitting.

73
Dale

3998. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: how to connect dvap to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-10 22:22:05 UTC
From: g4mhj@...
Topic: 117 Message: 3998

Thanks Martin. I am now understanding that part of the learning curve. GB7KH has been accessed - just nobody there to talk to! Yes, I am using the software via the SC card. I think I will have to buy the cable as I have trouble getting the SC card out with my fat fingers!

3999. No RF heard out of 70cm DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-17 19:43:48 UTC
From: alang6luu@...
Topic: 3999 Message: 3999

HI MY 1ST POST ON THE GROUP.

I have brought a S/H Red 70cm DVAP to use with a 7100

Think I've successfully loaded drivers on windows 7 and gained a USB Serial Port on COM6
Have tried changing Port Settings but made no difference

DvTool 1.04 sees the DVAP , clink OPEN and inputs freq. of 43150000
Blue blinking LED and that's it

No Tx from DVAP nothing heard 7100 set on 431.500 DV mode

When I Tx the 7100 the DVTool dashboard shows red signal Bar to Max.

4000. Re: No RF heard out of 70cm DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-17 20:42:36 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 3999 Message: 4000

You mentioned "43150000". There should be another "0" at the end to make it 9 digits (in Hz).

Try changing the frequency of the 7100 up/down 5/10 kHz while not changing the DVAP frequency in DVAPTool. Then key up. If you see the MY/UR/RPT1/RPT2 fields fill with data at one of those other frequencies, you will just need to recalibrate. Let me know in a direct email and I can walk you through that.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4001. gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-20 12:31:03 UTC
From: yaesumontana@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4001

Write a message...

4002. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 11:51:29 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4002

What hardware platform are you running? Which operating system? Verified Internet access? Got DNS?

Ken - KC4YOZ

4003. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 20:57:18 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4003

What is your call sign?

FYI it's very important when asking questions in the DSTAR realm that you always include your call.

WA6JFK said that.

4004. DVAP to Repeater????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 21:10:49 UTC
From: nniiss@...
Topic: 4004 Message: 4004

Can one use the DVAP to talk to a repeater in other cities? I'm in San Antonio and would like to link to a repeater in Big Springs, TX. I have a ID-51a HT and 440 DVAP. Anyone know the settings for this?

New To D-Star N5NIS

4005. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 20:58:28 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4005

If you are AB3LI then you are not registered with a dstar gateway and you need to in order to actually use dstar properly.

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=+AB3LI+
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=+AB3LI+

WA6JFK

4006. Re: DVAP to Repeater????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 21:23:17 UTC
From: masterxace@...
Topic: 4004 Message: 4006

as far as I am aware no. Gateway is locked out because of simplex operation to the DVAP as far as I know. I haven't had the DVAP long but I sure as all get have tried different methods.

4007. Re: DVAP to Repeater????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 21:57:25 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4004 Message: 4007

Some repeater owners do block connections from anything other than a reflector.
You might want to check with the trustee or ask your ham friend in that city if he/she can confirm.

WA6JFK

4008. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP to Repeater????

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 23:12:30 UTC
From: Cody, Dennis H
Topic: 4004 Message: 4008

I looked on dstarinfo.com and do not see a dstar repeater in Big Springs, Texas. Closest one is in Tyler.

Dennis H. Cody WR5DC
dhcody@spectraenergy.com

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, January 21, 2016 3:11 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP to Repeater????

Can one use the DVAP to talk to a repeater in other cities? I'm in San Antonio and would like to link to a repeater in Big Springs, TX. I have a ID-51a HT and 440 DVAP. Anyone know the settings for this?

New To D-Star N5NIS

4009. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 23:44:16 UTC
From: yaesumontana@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4009

AB3LI NAME FRED.

4010. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 23:48:57 UTC
From: yaesumontana@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4010

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=AB3LI
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=AB3LI

4011. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-21 23:59:55 UTC
From: yaesumontana@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4011

LOOKS LIKE MY REGISTRATION IS OK

4012. Re: gateway uknown thats all im getting from my dvap ,help please.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-22 22:43:16 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4001 Message: 4012

You are not using a DVAP nor DV Dongle. Your device is unknown and was used to link multiple reflectors together which is not allowed. As a result, access was blocked.

You can contact me directly about this.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4013. DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-24 02:43:47 UTC
From: hammitjim@...
Topic: 4013 Message: 4013

Hello. I am running Windows 7. I purchased my dongle today and installed it without issue. I downloaded DVTool 1.4 and the tool found the dongle without issue on COM27. I then found out that DVTool 2.0 has more features. I uninstalled 1.4 and installed 2.0 and rebooted. When I open 2.0 it states it cannot find the dongle although the device manager shows it in place on COM27. I uninstalled driver and reinstalled with no change.

Then I uninstalled DVT 2.0 and installed DVT 1.4 and it found the dongle. Why doesn't 2.0 work for me and find the dongle? Any help would be appreciated.

Jim

4014. Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-24 17:16:09 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4013 Message: 4014

Hi Jim. There are two product families, the DV Dongle/DV3K Dongle and the DV Access Point Dongle 2M/70cm. You use DVTool version 2.1 with the DV Dongle/DV3K Dongle and you use DVAPTool 1.04 with the DVAP 2M/70cm.

It looks like you are confusing DVTool with DVAPTool.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4015. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-24 22:13:51 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 4013 Message: 4015
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Thanks Robin,

I am a newbie to this so hope I can impose on you for another question.

It looks like the DV Dongle and DV Access Point do the same functionality. Is that correct or am I missing something. I can't find any documentation on the difference.

My second part of this question is I am in fact using the DV Access Point and 1.04 DVAP Tool. I am able to connect to the dongle on 446.225 without issue. I can connect to the REF001C Reflector without issue. The problem I'm having is when I key the mic, I get the message "link currently established" every time I key. I'm unable to communicate. I'm sure it's me but I can't figure it out. Attached is my short DV setup list.

On 1/24/2016 10:16 AM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> Hi Jim. There are two product families, the DV Dongle/DV3K Dongle and
> the DV Access Point Dongle 2M/70cm. You use DVTool version 2.1 with
> the DV Dongle/DV3K Dongle and you use DVAPTool 1.04 with the DVAP 2M/70cm.
>
>
> It looks like you are confusing DVTool with DVAPTool.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
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>

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James "Jim" Leahy
Denver, Colorado
KE0DED
KE0DED@...

4016. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-24 17:22:43 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 4013 Message: 4016

Version 2.1 is available for the DV Dongle? When I go to
http://opendstar.org/tools/ I only see version 2.0. Is there another
place to download version 2.1?

Jeff VE6EFR

On 1/24/2016 10:16 AM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> Hi Jim. There are two product families, the DV Dongle/DV3K Dongle and
> the DV Access Point Dongle 2M/70cm. You use DVTool version 2.1 with
> the DV Dongle/DV3K Dongle and you use DVAPTool 1.04 with the DVAP 2M/70cm.
>
>
> It looks like you are confusing DVTool with DVAPTool.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>

4017. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-25 00:58:39 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4013 Message: 4017

The DV Dongle and DV Access Point Dongle are two completely different devices. They do not have the same functionality.

As for getting "link currently established", you need to change URCALL from the link command to "CQCQCQ " to talk.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4018. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-25 00:57:10 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4013 Message: 4018

Hi Jeff. The official site for DVAP Dongle software is http://www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com. The official site for DV Dongle software is http://www.dvdongle.com http://www.dvdongle.com. The opendstar site is for test code.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4019. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-25 01:48:58 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 4013 Message: 4019

Hi, Robin.

The DVTool Installer that is on the DV Dongle website points to version 2.0 of DVTool. In your previous message I thought you mentioned to Jim that version 2.1 was the latest but I could have been mistaken. Thank you for the clarification.

I do have a question however. Is it possible in a future release of DVAP Tool and DVTool to enable us to place a call sign in the UR field for call sign routing between dongles and dvaps? This is one feature that is available in another software package that is compatible with the devices, however there is a problem. When running that software and DVTool or DVAPTool side by side with 2 different devices, DVTool decodes perfectly where the other software from time to time will have R2D2 issues on the exact same signal. So when we need call sign routing between two stations and not wanting to tie up a reflector with a long conversation, we use the alternative software package. However since DVTool and DVAPTool tends to work more reliably, I would much rather use the software that is intended for the device instead of a 3rd party option.

Thank you again for all of the work in bringing us a dstar solution that would otherwise keep people from enjoying this aspect of the hobby.

Jeff VE6EFR

On 1/24/2016 5:57 PM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> Hi Jeff. The official site for DVAP Dongle software is
> http://www.dvapdongle.com. The official site for DV Dongle software
> is http://www.dvdongle.com. The opendstar site is for test code.
>
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>

4020. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVTool 2.0 Not Finding Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-25 22:41:38 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4013 Message: 4020

Hi Jeff. Thanks for catching that. The installers now point to the 2.1 version.

I do plan on allowing DVAPs/DVDs to link to each other. :)

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4021. Unable to Transmit - DV Access Point

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-25 23:20:52 UTC
From: hammitjim@...
Topic: 4021 Message: 4021

Robin,

I apologize in advance for the newbie question. I have an IC-7100 that I have configured using RTSystems. I have acquired a DV Access Point and am using DVAPT Tool 1.04. I am able to link to reflectors and listen to conversations. When I transmit and let off, I get the message, "link currently established" and my Tx does not go though.

I have tried changing the "Your Call Sign" field from the reflector number (REF0001) to CQCQCQ but it does not connect at all. I can only connect when the CQCQCQ field contains the reflector number.

My station callsign on the DVAPTool is set to my FCC license.

Any help would be appreciated.
Jim
KC0JIM

4022. Re: [DVAPDongle] Unable to Transmit - DV Access Point

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-26 21:25:15 UTC
From: Matthew Pitts
Topic: 4021 Message: 4022

What Robin is saying is that once you have connected, put CQCQCQ back in the UrCall; that should allow you to transmit to the DVAP and have it pass the data to the reflector.

Matthew Pitts
N8OHU

On Mon, 1/25/16, hammitjim@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Subject: [DVAPDongle] Unable to Transmit - DV Access Point
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Date: Monday, January 25, 2016, 6:20 PM

Robin,

I apologize
in advance for the newbie question. I have an IC-7100 that
I have configured using RTSystems. I have acquired a DV
Access Point and am using DVAPT Tool 1.04. I am able to
link to reflectors and listen to conversations. When I
transmit and let off, I get the message, "link
currently established" and my Tx does not go though.

I have tried changing the
"Your Call Sign" field from the reflector number
(REF0001) to CQCQCQ but it does not connect at all. I can
only connect when the CQCQCQ field contains the reflector
number.

My station callsign
on the DVAPTool is set to my FCC license.

Any help would be
appreciated.
Jim
KC0JIM

4023. Re: Unable to Transmit - DV Access Point

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-01-26 23:27:01 UTC
From: hammitjim@...
Topic: 4021 Message: 4023

Thanks everyone. It was a newbie error not having a "talk" option i.e. CQCQCQ. I'm learning.

4024. Re installing Dvap to windows 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-01 17:18:15 UTC
From: gx0tbh@...
Topic: 4024 Message: 4024

I am having difficulty in reinstall dvap dongle to windows 10 .
error message received ...No DVAP DONGLE FOUND check green light is flashing which it is.
version 1.04 Installed.

Any Help would be appreciated.

Jim GM0TBH

4025. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-01 22:04:17 UTC
From: kc0zhf@...
Topic: 432 Message: 4025

i have the same problem, now for some reason, i was going though a local repeater, and now i am going through a dvap, i also get a gateway unknown error also, any help thanks Rodney kc0zhf

4026. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-03 11:59:51 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 432 Message: 4026

Hi Rodney, your main problem is that you're registered on TWO gateways, KD0LUX and NU7TS. Your other problem is that you don't have a space terminal registered at either gateway.

1. Delete your registration from ONE of these gateways.

2. Log in at the other gateway and complete your registration. Follow the cookbook at the following link, starting at Step 8.

http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html
http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html

That should get your D-Star network stuff going.

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

4027. DAVP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-07 01:36:25 UTC
From: zane310@...
Topic: 4027 Message: 4027

I just bought a 70CM DVAP, no matter what freq I use the software 1.04 only sees when I key up my volume, the red lines go up but never see call sign or ur are nothing, I have tried it on a mac , windows 7 and windows 10 just want work, it seems the dap see the radio key up because of the red volume lines going up, I see others on here say needs to be recalibrate but I don't see how to do that on the software, so is there another version I need to download, Thanks for any help

Jeff

4028. Re: DAVP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-07 14:11:33 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4027 Message: 4028

Hi Jeff. Send a direct email and I'll walk you through the recalibration process.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4029. Data Burst audio while using DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-09 02:50:42 UTC
From: jeromecp@...
Topic: 4029 Message: 4029
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hello Robin,
We have been attempting to get an ID51 Plus to work on a 2M DVAP and a Raspberry Pi. My set-up is exactly the same and works without issue. The other set-up does not and creates a data burst for audio output as you can hear from the attached video. I have swapped all external gear and we still get the noise. Any thoughts?
Thanks,
Craig - K4CPJ

4030. Re: Data Burst audio while using DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-09 14:11:08 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4029 Message: 4030

Hi Craig. Can you verify that the 2M DVAP works properly on a PC? Is the RPi identical to the one that works? Can you take the sd card from the one that works and plug it into the one that doesn't?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4031. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Data Burst audio while using DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-09 15:11:37 UTC
From: Craig Jerome
Topic: 4029 Message: 4031

Hi Robin,
The noise in the file we attached follows the DVAP. Same noise on the Pi, Mac or PC. Yes we did use the SD card from the working Pi as well and the same issue. I think the DVAP is the issue? Maybe the recalibrate application is the next thing to look at? The firmware matches on the working DVAP b the way.
Thanks,
Craig

> On Feb 9, 2016, at 9:11 AM, aa4rc@interlabs.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Hi Craig. Can you verify that the 2M DVAP works properly on a PC? Is the RPi identical to the one that works? Can you take the sd card from the one that works and plug it into the one that doesn't?
>
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> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>
>

4032. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Data Burst audio while using DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-10 00:14:21 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4029 Message: 4032

When running on the PC, do you see the MY/UR/R1/R2 fields fill in when you key up? If you do not and you see the signal strength meter value go up, it might be a calibration issue. In that case, change the frequency in DVAPTool up/down 5/10 kHz while not changing the radio frequency and key up. If you see the data fields with this test, then a simple recalibration is in order.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4033. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Receive only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-16 06:31:41 UTC
From: kc0zhf@...
Topic: 432 Message: 4033

thank you problem fixed

4034. A newbie question, but I am going around in circles

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-17 07:28:03 UTC
From: sysconp1@...
Topic: 4034 Message: 4034

Hi,
I am new to the group and I have just recently dipped my toe in the water that is D-Star. I have purchased an Icom ID-5100e and a DVAPDongle to try and access the big wide world. As I live in Southern Ireland and there is a distinct lack of activity down here (count zero repeaters!) I have been forced down the DVAPDongle route.
The story so far is that I have registered my call on a repeater (GB7WC) and configured my DVD with my call (EI2HWB A), a 2m frequency (145375000) and all connects to my 5100 swimmingly. I set up my from on the 5100 as Simplex/2m Calling 145.375 and on the To I am able to link to Reflector or so it says, but I cannot here anyone and echo tests come back in the DVD command window as ignoring transmit whilst not connected??? I know there is probably something really simple that I am not doing and I only need that single piece to fall into place, can anyone help? I have included the bottom half of my command screen that may help in diagnosing the issue... thank you in advance.

Cheers
Andy EI2HWB

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Finished transmitting to gateway, 73 packets sent on stream cc71
Remote receiver reported 73 packets received on stream cc71
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
Closing DVAP device COM5
Callsign set to (EI2HWB A)
Opening DVAP device COM5
Opened device COM5
Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Device serial number (AP083270)
Device boot firmware version (1.09)
Device app firmware version (1.07)
Device transmit frequency range (144000000 - 148000000)
Device receive frequency (145375000)
Device transmit frequency (145375000)
Device receive frequency (145375000)
Device transmit frequency (145375000)
Finished reading from name server
Device modulation mode (GMSK)
DStar name server text message received ->You are running the latest version of DVAPTool.
Please check the DVAPDongle yahoo group for future software updates

Ascp device started
Squelch open, device rss (-64)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my EI2HWB A/ fc 2b62 OK
Checking callsign (EI2HWB A) against station call (EI2HWB A)
Ignoring transmit while not connected (CQCQCQ )
rss (-58)
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rss (-55)
rss (-52)
rss (-50)
rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Local RF stream end
Squelch closed, device rss (-59) min (-64) max (-47)
Sent transmission response to radio
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-67)
rss (-60)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur CQCQCQ my EI2HWB A/ fc 2b62 OK
Checking callsign (EI2HWB A) against station call (EI2HWB A)
Ignoring transmit while not connected (CQCQCQ )
rss (-56)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
rss (-49)
Local RF stream end
Squelch closed, device rss (-64) min (-67) max (-49)
Sent transmission response to radio
Transmit state (ON)
Transmit state (OFF)
Squelch open, device rss (-68)
rss (-61)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur E my EI2HWB A/ fc e503 OK
Checking callsign (EI2HWB A) against station call (EI2HWB A)
Ignoring transmit while not connected ( E)
rss (-57)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
rss (-50)
rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Local RF stream end
Unknown command ( E)
Squelch closed, device rss (-62) min (-68) max (-47)
Squelch open, device rss (-60)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur REF010BL my EI2HWB A/ fc 1c20 OK
Checking callsign (EI2HWB A) against station call (EI2HWB A)
Starting Link request (REF010BL)
rss (-56)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
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rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Squelch closed, device rss (-62) min (-60) max (-47)
Local RF stream end
Connect requested
Connecting to gateway REF010
Squelch open, device rss (-67)
New local RF stream:
hdr f 00:00:00 r2 DIRECT r1 DIRECT ur E my EI2HWB A/ fc e503 OK
Checking callsign (EI2HWB A) against station call (EI2HWB A)
Ignoring transmit while not connected ( E)
rss (-61)
rss (-56)
rss (-53)
rss (-51)
rss (-50)
rss (-49)
rss (-48)
rss (-47)
Local RF stream end
Unknown command ( E)

Squelch closed, device rss (-62) min (-67) max (-47)
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4035. Re: A newbie question, but I am going around in circles

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-17 14:36:43 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4034 Message: 4035

Reflector 10 may not have been available when you tried. It would show a connected message and play a connected audio message if it linked.

Try REF001 or REF030. Don't forget to change back to "CQCQCQ " in urcall once connected.

Also, if you were trying an echo test, use "DVAP___E" instead of "_______E".

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4036. DVAP Stopped working,.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-18 16:26:08 UTC
From: emoore4422@...
Topic: 4036 Message: 4036

My DVAP was running perfectly yesterday and now, I am not able to connect to any Reflectors. My DVAP connect, blue light flashes. ASCP device is started and that is as far as I get. I was so enjoying my DVAP! I have tried uninstalling and reinstalling and still not working. I still see my squelch level indicator show activity.

Any suggestions. Thanks!

4037. Re: A newbie question, but I am going around in circles

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-20 17:20:07 UTC
From: sysconp1@...
Topic: 4034 Message: 4037

Thanks Robin,

I received some valuable assistance over BookFace and it transpired that the DVAPDongle was off frequency. It seems this is a common problem and a gentle tweak with the calibration using DVAPutil did the trick. So I am now able to link to a reflector and talk with folks there... Here is a real newbie question though, are we limited to the reflectors? The reason I ask is that I moved to Ireland a few years ago and many of my old radio buddies are still in the UK in the North West. As there are no repeaters over here it is not easy to link up to them and the reflectors only seem to go into hubs. I do not seem to know how to connect to a gateway or repeater in the UK... am I missing something here? Don't get me wrong... after a number of years on HF this is a real leap forward for me and I would like to get the most of it if possible.

Thanks

Andy EI2HWB

4038. Re: DVAP Stopped working,.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-20 21:28:11 UTC
From: alang6luu@...
Topic: 4036 Message: 4038

hi . Your DVAP may have driffed off frequency try tuning 5kHz either way of your choise of target freq. Mine is set for 431.0000 but on dvap software is

set to 431.00500

regards

G6LUU

4039. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Stopped working,.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-21 01:43:51 UTC
From: Gene4422
Topic: 4036 Message: 4039

I appreciate the feedback I have been receiving. Based upon a few trial and errors and some great suggestions, it turns out my DVAP did go off frequency. I was able to use the DVAP utility and corrected the problem; all is well! Also, Robin was very responsive and was willing to provide some assistance along the way.

Regards,

Gene
KM4NSI
> On Feb 20, 2016, at 4:28 PM, alang6luu@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> hi . Your DVAP may have driffed off frequency try tuning 5kHz either way of your choise of target freq. Mine is set for 431.0000 but on dvap software is
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4040. For Sale: 70-CM D-Star DV Access Point Dongle (DVAP)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-21 21:24:01 UTC
From: w2gld@...
Topic: 4040 Message: 4040
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

For Sale:

Mint condition, 70-CM D-Star DV Access Point Dongle (DVAP) http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Home.html with original box, cable, case, antenna and also includes the translucent red case upgrade and a short USB cable for use with the Raspberry Pi. Asking: $250 shipped via USPS. Please email me directly at: W2GLD@arrl.net mailto:W2GLD@arrl.net with any questions.

4041. RPI freeze when loading

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-22 20:36:56 UTC
From: kb9mnm@...
Topic: 4041 Message: 4041

Hi everyone.
I was trying to load the Maryland D-Star image on MI Pi2 B. I had it on a monitor and it would freeze once it got to a certain point. I have the image on a 32gb SDHC card. The card had been used previously in a GoPro. Could this affect it?

Thanks!
Dave
KB9MNM

4042. Run DVAPTool silently on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-23 00:20:34 UTC
From: n0zld@...
Topic: 4042 Message: 4042

I just got my DVAP today in the mail, yay! I plan to have it run connected to my internal server. The issue is, it doesn't appear to be designed to run silently.

Firstly, when it starts up, you have to click the 'open' button. How about a checkbox next to it that says something like, 'Automatically connect to last known COM port'? I don't intend to unplug it ever. In the event the server gets rebooted and the COM port changes, DVAPTool could just not connect. Maybe write a log?

After clicking the open button, a message box comes up informing me I'm running the latest version, to which I have to click ok.

Personally, I'd like to run it as a Windows service running under the SYSTEM account. I can create the service installer, I just need to know the command line to run silently.

4043. RE: [DVAPDongle] RPI freeze when loading

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-23 03:30:08 UTC
From: Cody, Dennis H
Topic: 4041 Message: 4043
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I used the attached doc to set up my rasp pi and DVAP…. I had no problems with lockup as the image works GREAT ! When I burned the image it gave me the opportunity to format the SD card prior to the load which I did.

73 de WR5DC
Dennis H. Cody

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Monday, February 22, 2016 2:37 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] RPI freeze when loading

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4044. RE: [DVAPDongle] RPI freeze when loading

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-23 14:57:30 UTC
From: Dave Wright
Topic: 4041 Message: 4044

Well I figured out that it was the SD card. I got a new one and it works fine. Just a little more complicated than I was expecting during set up.

I printed out the same document and followed step by step. Just some things didn't make sense to me. I guess I'll give it another go and see if I can get it right.

Dave
KB9MNM

4045. Re: Run DVAPTool silently on Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-02-24 04:21:38 UTC
From: n0zld@...
Topic: 4042 Message: 4045

Well, I discovered -open and -nolock by reading through some previous posts.

Robin - any chance you can publish an updated Windows version that..

- Disables the "Dstar name server text message" on startup?
- Supports hiding the GUI and show only the console window?
- Allow form resizing on the GUI window?

4046. ICOM ID-880 and DVAP Not Communicating

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-01 07:34:29 UTC
From: hammitjim@...
Topic: 4046 Message: 4046

Hello,

I'm hoping this is simple for the experts here so here goes. I currently have a DVAP attached to a Pi. It works great. I currently use it on my IC-7100 and ID-51A without any issues.

Today I bought a ID-880H and utilizing RT-Systems software and cable programmed my repeater frequencies and D-Star reflectors. I am unable to connect to the DVAP i.e. no response heard from Unlink or Echo.

Thinking I did something wrong I copied all my reflectors and information from the ID-51A RT-Systems and copied it into the ID-880H RT-Systems and sent to radio with no success.

The 880 works well on 2 meter and 70 cm so I don't think it's the radio. The DVAP is the 70 cm version and as said before, runs well on my other radios.

My last effort was to clear the radio and reload the information from RT-Systems with no success.

Any ideas?

Thanks - Jim

4047. Enclosures/cases

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-01 22:38:03 UTC
From: kb9mnm@...
Topic: 4047 Message: 4047

I'm looking for a way to put the Pi, dongle and battery into a convenient carrying device. Would love to see what others have come up with. Share them here or directly to me kb9mnm@gmail.com

73!
Dave
KB9MNM

4048. Re: [DVAPDongle] Enclosures/cases

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-02 02:02:50 UTC
From: troy creed
Topic: 4047 Message: 4048

Contact N8LN, Terry. He has a great setup. Battle creek, mi

73 de w8tcc, Troy
On Mar 1, 2016 8:56 PM, "kb9mnm@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Dave
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4049. Re: ICOM ID-880 and DVAP Not Communicating

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-02 04:45:53 UTC
From: hammitjim@...
Topic: 4046 Message: 4049

Issue Resolved -

An erroneous space was added in the call sign setup on the ID-880h radio. The DVAP would not allow pass through. Once corrected all systems work.

Take Care

4050. Re: ICOM ID-880 and DVAP Not Communicating

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-02 10:35:45 UTC
From: David Woodnutt
Topic: 4046 Message: 4050

I don't know the RT systems s/w but I believe your problem lies in trying to use data from the ID51 in the IC880. I recently bought an 880 and used the Icom s/w which required a switch of model number, from my old E80D handy, in the settings before starting to load the data. My ID51 data is in a separate file and I wouldn't try using that on the 880.

I suggest you try using the Icom s/w to load a few test settings. I.e. your DVAP as a simplex repeater and maybe a local repeater if you have one together with some "UR" settings. I would be surprised if that doesn't work unless you have a fault in the radio.

Good luck and 73

Dave G0RAU

4051. Re: Enclosures/cases

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-03 11:01:17 UTC
From: Gary Ownsby
Topic: 4047 Message: 4051

http://www.portableuniversalpower.com/our-products/ham-radio-power/dhap-mini/

I have two of these. Works very well.

Gary, AK4ZX

4052. Re: [DVAPDongle] Enclosures/cases

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-02 20:30:13 UTC
From: Jerry Wade
Topic: 4047 Message: 4052

Would love to contact Terry, N8LN, although he has no email address on his QRZ page. Anyone know his email?

Jw, KG5JBC

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 1, 2016, at 8:02 PM, troy creed w8tcc.tcc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4053. Maryland-DSTAR

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-09 12:38:14 UTC
From: gary@...
Topic: 4053 Message: 4053

Hello All,

I've been trying to register for the community forums on the Maryland-DSTAR group's website but get no reply. I also sent emails to the contact email address on their website but no reply. Any ideas on how to get hold of someone there? I check my spam folder carefully so I don't think I've missed a reply from anyone.

I was hoping to learn more about their image for the Raspberry Pi as I've been evaluating it vs. other images for D-STAR use.

Thanks.

Gary Ownsby, AK4ZX
Chattanooga, TN

4054. Re: [DVAPDongle] Maryland-DSTAR

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-09 14:54:30 UTC
From: Gene Moore
Topic: 4053 Message: 4054

Did you use your call sign as your userid? If not, it will be rejected.

Just a thought.

Gene
KM4NSI

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 9, 2016, at 07:38, gary@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Thanks.
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> Gary Ownsby, AK4ZX

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4055. Re: Maryland-DSTAR

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-10 11:21:56 UTC
From: Gary Ownsby
Topic: 4053 Message: 4055

Thank you Gene. That may be it. I'll try it again.

Gary AK4ZX

4057. Re: Enclosures/cases

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-13 06:02:47 UTC
From: kb9mnm@...
Topic: 4047 Message: 4057

I have decided to go with the Pelican 1050 case and I have the pick and pluck foam but I may not be able to use that as there really isnt much room in there. Seems to be working really nicely.

4058. DVAP, Rasp (Jessi image) and Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-14 14:51:44 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4058 Message: 4058

Hello,

I have the following problem.

DVAP, Rasp (actual Jessi image from Westerndstar) and my home wlan no problems to work. Replacing the home wlan with an Iphone with hotspot setup no problems too. Replacing the Iphone (my wifes handy) with my Android handy (Samsung S6 edge) with hotspot and mobile data transfer available it is not possible to work with DVAP (and DVmega as well, so it seems not a problem of the DVAP). I can connect with the rasp and the Samsung to go into the internet but not with the software for the DVAP/DVmega

I can see at the screen after pressing the PTT the message "linking to xxxxxxxx" but there is no further process like "linked to xxxxx" as with the home Wlan or Iphone.

So my question - perhaps a problem with the linux image (may be missing drivers etc) or a problem with Android ?

Many thanks for any assistance

73 Rolf, DC1ZZ

4059. DVAP, Rasp (Jessi image), Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-14 17:03:43 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4059 Message: 4059

Hello,

I have ashort question.

Can't work with an Android handy (Samsung S6 edge) as a mobile Hotspot. DVAP and Rasp (Westerndstar latest Jessie image) will work with the local wlan and Iphone (as a hotspot) without any problem but not with Android. Can see the message "Linking to xxxxx" but not "Linked to xxxxxxx". Waiting for hours with no success. Any idea what is going wrong ?

Can connect the Rasp with the Android to go into Internet etc but starting the software for DVAP/DVmega etc no success.

Thans in advance

73 Rolf, DC1ZZ

4060. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP, Rasp (Jessi image), Android

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-14 23:46:28 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4059 Message: 4060

Trying using a vpn with android hotspot. I run a dv and android Samsung galaxy grand prime using a netbook and vpn from strong. Only way I could get mobile dstar hotspot to work. Good luck
73 AI4LL
On Mar 14, 2016 1:43 PM, "allister_mclane@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4061. Re: DVAP Stopped working,.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-15 14:51:42 UTC
From: yaesumontana@...
Topic: 4036 Message: 4061

last nigth just stop working my dvap and the green light stay blinking and won,t reboot now what.

4062. DVAP and Surface Pro 3 Windows 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-17 15:30:38 UTC
From: John Deegan
Topic: 4062 Message: 4062

Good morning from sunny Indiana, USA. Is anyone using a Surface Pro 3 (Windows 10 Pro) and a DVAP? I loaded DVAP Tool 1.04 on the Surface today and the control display is extremely compressed while (at the same time) the black screen is very large.

No doubt, these conditions are possibly due to the Surface's HD screen configuration. Any thoughts are greatly appreciated. Best 73s de K9XT

John Deegan

4063. DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-27 14:29:37 UTC
From: doug121855@...
Topic: 4063 Message: 4063

I have a DVAP up and running on a raspberry pi. I know it's working because at one point I was able to create a connection between it and link to refoo3cl. I listened to it for quite some time. My problem is I an unable to program my radio to use the dongle. I have searched for info on the topic but have come up empty handed. Can anyone point me in the direction of help learning to program the radio for DVAP use? The manual is quite clear about repeater operation but nothing about DVAP. Thanks in advance for your help.

4064. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-27 14:54:43 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 4063 Message: 4064

Make sure you setup for rpt with a zero offset

--Fran

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On Sun, Mar 27, 2016 at 10:29 AM, doug121855@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4065. Re: DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-27 15:17:08 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4063 Message: 4065

You should add under Repeater Group (where you can find Africa, Asia etc) a new group let say "Simplex" and within this new group new entries let say 2m or 70cm or something else. Then you have to enter within the 2m (I assume you will have the 2m red dongle ?) a simplex frequency corresponding with the frequency you entered within the setup of the DVAP software on the Rasp (for example images from Westerndstar) .

This frequency is then the "From" entry at DR.. Then you can move to "To" and can move to any repeater, reflector etc. by "linking to ....." and then "Use" CQ CQ CQ ....

Best is to program the ID-51 with a software on the PC and the SD card of the ID-51 using the ICOM software. (See ICOM download site)

73 Rolf. DC1ZZ

4066. Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-27 17:15:25 UTC
From: frastephen@...
Topic: 4066 Message: 4066

Dear Group,

I have had my DVAP for quite a while. Ran it with the MAC version of the DVAP software, and then later ran it on a Raspberry PI using the DVAPTool software. Other than, in time, the frequency being off by about 5 kHz, all has been OK.

Recently, I have tried using some of the various flavors of the Raspberry PI distro's (Dstar Commander & the MD distro). I notice using these versions of software that the DVAP will run for some period of time … hours, or days … and then at some point I get a seeming solid RED led (it might be described as blinking REALLY fast) and perhaps other blinking LED"s and the DVAP is transmitting constantly. In that state I notice that on my IC-80AD the "FM" and "DV" icons are blinking … And it will stay in that state until I reboot the Raspberry PI.

Any thoughts?

Happy Easter!

Regards,
Stephen
W3SMK

4067. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-27 14:58:04 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4063 Message: 4067

What software are you running on the Raspberry Pi?
If it's in your budget RT systems cable and software $49.00 will help you with the programming.

I can also send you pointers, once you figure it out it's pretty easy.

WA6JFK at me.com

On Sun, Mar 27, 2016 at 7:29 AM, doug121855@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4068. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-27 20:16:29 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 4066 Message: 4068

It's me again!

I just want to add some details to my previous post…

The DVAP running on the MD DSTAR distro "crashed" (not sure what the right word would be) … This time a solid RED, a solid YELLOW and a blinking BLUE LED …. When I listen to the signal on the IC-80AD in FM mode it sounds like a signal, with no audio.

Again, looking for insight …

Thanks!

Best Regards,

Steve/W3SMK

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"Invisible airwaves crackle with life
Bright antennae bristle with the energy
Emotional feedback on timeless wavelength
Bearing a gift beyond price, almost free"
-- "The Spirit of Radio"

On Mar 27, 2016, at 10:15 AM, frastephen@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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4069. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-28 01:23:22 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4066 Message: 4069

2 meter dvap?

WA6JFK

On Sun, Mar 27, 2016 at 1:16 PM, Stephen King frastephen@...
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4070. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-28 07:46:30 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4063 Message: 4070

You can save the money for a RT system. Remove your Micro-SD-Card from the ID-51, put it into a SD to Micro-SD adapter and the the complete adapter into your card reader/writer of your PC (only windows). Then download the cloning software for your model from the ICOM download site. After programming you put the Micro SD card again into your ID-51, after starting the ID-51 you have to go into menue, others, and reading the new files you have programmed before. That's all.

73 Rolf, DC1ZZ

4071. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-28 18:57:54 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4063 Message: 4071

Yes, you can save money and not buy the RT systems software and cable.
But the Icom software does not have built in DSTAR calculator to help you
program that I know of.

Nothing wrong with the "Free" Icom software, it just does not do all the
stuff the RT Systems software is capable of.

WA6JFK

On Mon, Mar 28, 2016 at 12:46 AM, allister_mclane@... [DVAPDongle] <
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4072. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-28 19:19:02 UTC
From: Stephen M King
Topic: 4066 Message: 4072

Thanks for the good question.

Yes, a 2m DVAP using the stock antenna. I am operating on 145.730 MHz.

73
Steve

On March 28, 2016, at 10:50 AM, "Brian Frobisher bfrobisher@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

2 meter dvap?

WA6JFK

On Sun, Mar 27, 2016 at 1:16 PM, Stephen King frastephen@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

It's me again!

I just want to add some details to my previous post…

The DVAP running on the MD DSTAR distro "crashed" (not sure what the right word would be) … This time a solid RED, a solid YELLOW and a blinking BLUE LED …. When I listen to the signal on the IC-80AD in FM mode it sounds like a signal, with no audio.

Again, looking for insight …

Thanks!

Best Regards,

Steve/W3SMK

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"Invisible airwaves crackle with life
Bright antennae bristle with the energy
Emotional feedback on timeless wavelength
Bearing a gift beyond price, almost free"

-- "The Spirit of Radio"

On Mar 27, 2016, at 10:15 AM, frastephen@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] wrote:

Dear Group,

I have had my DVAP for quite a while. Ran it with the MAC version of the DVAP software, and then later ran it on a Raspberry PI using the DVAPTool software. Other than, in time, the frequency being off by about 5 kHz, all has been OK.

Recently, I have tried using some of the various flavors of the Raspberry PI distro's (Dstar Commander & the MD distro). I notice using these versions of software that the DVAP will run for some period of time … hours, or days … and then at some point I get a seeming solid RED led (it might be described as blinking REALLY fast) and perhaps other blinking LED"s and the DVAP is transmitting constantly. In that state I notice that on my IC-80AD the "FM" and "DV" icons are blinking … And it will stay in that state until I reboot the Raspberry PI.

Any thoughts?

Happy Easter!

Regards,

Stephen

W3SMK

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4073. DVAP connects normally to some repeaters but RX only on others

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-29 02:02:33 UTC
From: trjeep@...
Topic: 4073 Message: 4073

I am using a 70cm DVAP and ID51 (original) HT. I can connect to reflectors with no problems and some repeater gateways with no problems. Some repeater gateways will respond with rx only connection. Anyone seen this issue before? I'm using DVAP Tool and have verified the symptoms with either Win 10 laptop or DVAP/Ras PI setup. I tried the DV Node for Windows software and can link to a repeater gateway that the DVAP Tool software only links in RX only mode. Kind of stumped on this one.

Thanks for any suggestions.

Tony KI4OHI

4074. Re: DVAP connects normally to some repeaters but RX only on others

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-03-30 23:21:25 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 4073 Message: 4074

Just a thought... but gateway admins can restrict incoming connections to a list of DVAP/Dongle serial numbers... which (I'm sure) is supported by DVAPTool, perhaps not by DV Node.

Post an example gateway callsign which is consistently RO for you and let me try it from here.

Ken - KC4YOZ

4075. Re: DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-01 01:35:12 UTC
From: doug121855@...
Topic: 4063 Message: 4075

Ok, time for an update. I got the RT Systems software and was able to get the radio programmed for DAVP use. I did notice that the most complete Youtube video I saw for the software didn't include instructions for DVAP use. It was enough info to get me started though. I am loving having the radio up and running. I've yet to make a contact but listening out quite a bit. I'm thinking about stetting another one up for mobile use. Thanks so much for all your help. 73 Doug

4076. D-STAR InfoCon returns to Dayton

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-04 23:02:52 UTC
From: wb4qdx@...
Topic: 4076 Message: 4076

The ultimate D-STAR training class, D-STAR InfoCon, returns to Dayton Hamvention for the fifth straight year to provide an introduction to D-STAR for the many new users getting on the air and more advanced topics for more experienced D-STAR users. The three-hour class will be held on Friday, May 20th beginning at 8:00am local time at the Drury Inn Ballroom at 6616 Miller Lane in the heart of hotel row near Hamvention. This year’s topics will include getting started in D-STAR and basic operation, programming for all models of D-STAR radios, using DR Mode, downloading and updating your radio memories and using other D-STAR devices.

All registered class participants will receive a D-STAR InfoCon mouse pad and are eligible to win an ID-51A Plus dual-band D-STAR handheld to be given away during the class.

The cost of the class is $20.00 and includes all course material. Pre-registration is required and seating is limited. Registration and payment via PayPal can be found at http://www.dstarinfo.com/d-star-infocon--dayton-hamvention-2016.aspx. For more info, send an email to Info@DSTARInfo.com .

4077. Re: DVAP connects normally to some repeaters but RX only on others

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-06 11:20:46 UTC
From: trjeep@...
Topic: 4073 Message: 4077

Try this one:

KD8QOF

I am always getting RX only replies.

Thanks for your reply.

4078. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and the ID 51A Plus

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-07 03:39:57 UTC
From: mike martin
Topic: 4063 Message: 4078

where did you find the video, I have yet to get mine working, any help would be grreat

On Thu, Mar 31, 2016 at 8:35 PM, doug121855@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Ok, time for an update. I got the RT Systems software and was able to get
> the radio programmed for DAVP use. I did notice that the most complete
> Youtube video I saw for the software didn't include instructions for DVAP
> use. It was enough info to get me started though. I am loving having the
> radio up and running. I've yet to make a contact but listening out quite a
> bit. I'm thinking about stetting another one up for mobile use. Thanks so
> much for all your help. 73 Doug
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73's
Mike
KF5DAS

4079. FS: UHF DVAP Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-18 19:39:41 UTC
From: scott.manthe@...
Topic: 4079 Message: 4079

I've got a like new, barely used UHF DVAP Dongle for sale. I'd like $200 shipped for it. Email me off-list if you're interested.

Thanks and 73,
Scott N9AA

4080. FS: 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-22 12:49:27 UTC
From: n1zzn@...
Topic: 4080 Message: 4080

I have a 2 meter DVAP for sale, all set up with a Raspberry Pi B+, wifi dongle, power cord, USB cable, case. The Pi case isn't the greatest one, doesn't hold things all that secure, but I'll throw it in anyway. I have the original box and antenna with the DVAP. I'll even set it up with your callsign and choice of frequency before shipping. All you'll need to do is configure the Pi for your wifi, or hard wired Internet.

$250 shipped, pay with PayPal.

Pictures available if you contact me directly.

73
Jeff N1ZZN

4081. Re: FS: 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-23 20:33:43 UTC
From: n1zzn@...
Topic: 4080 Message: 4081

This has been sold. Thanks for the quick response!

73
Jeff N1ZZN

4082. DVAP and I Pad 2 Mini?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-04-28 20:24:16 UTC
From: artwalsh@...
Topic: 4082 Message: 4082

Is there any way to hook up an Apple I Pad 2 mini to my DVAP and run some sort of App to let the DVAP access Internet via that App?
Thanks for any info...Art

4083. two call signs on a DVAP...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-06 17:01:02 UTC
From: rbgary45@...
Topic: 4083 Message: 4083

Is it possible to setup a DVAP for two call signs?

Xyl is licensed, would be nice for her to use the DVAP also.

A pointer or two would be appreciated

Gary...wa6fgi

4084. Missed Keepalive from Gateway count

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-08 11:04:31 UTC
From: vk3pg@...
Topic: 4084 Message: 4084

I am writing this message for any body who knows why a perfectly New DVAP only 1 week old all of a sudden

first announces twice (2 times) " Reflector linked " then my dialog box announces:

"" Missed Keepalive from Gateway count from 3 to 11 ""

Then forces a disconnect leaving me have to reconnect again.

I have re-installed DV tool 3 times on my computer still no joy the DVAP still faults.

Using ID-51A Plus Windows 10 platform. RT Program to program hand held.

On first using this DVAP worked perfect for the first week, then fails after that.

Phil VK3PG

4085. Re: Missed Keepalive from Gateway count

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-08 12:47:41 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4084 Message: 4085

Hi Phil. That is almost always an internet connectivity issue. Try going to both speedtest.net and pingtest.net to check out your internet connection. If you are using wifi, try a hardwired connection.

Note that nothing in the DVAP hardware or software can cause this issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4086. Re: two call signs on a DVAP...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-08 12:05:29 UTC
From: Ron Boyle K2TJW
Topic: 4083 Message: 4086

No real need to do that. The call of the person using the DVAP comes from the radio and not the DVAP itself.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

4087. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Missed Keepalive from Gateway count

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-08 13:15:22 UTC
From: Gene Moore
Topic: 4084 Message: 4087

One this I would try as well.... Check to see the settings on what your computer does regarding sleep mode, open/close cover mode; etc.. I had to increase the settings and that seemed to have corrected almost the same issue.

Gene
KM4NSI

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 8, 2016, at 08:47, aa4rc@interlabs.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Hi Phil. That is almost always an internet connectivity issue. Try going to both speedtest.net and pingtest.net to check out your internet connection. If you are using wifi, try a hardwired connection.
>
>
> Note that nothing in the DVAP hardware or software can cause this issue.
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>

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4088. configuring dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-13 15:10:43 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4088 Message: 4088

How do you configure a dongle. I also get a message saying that I have no gateway
73 thanks

4089. dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-13 18:24:27 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4089

my dvap seems to not have been configured... the green led pulses, drivers are ok. does any one know how to configure it? I run on an iMac.
thanks 73 KB1SYX

4090. access point Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-13 17:27:47 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4090 Message: 4090

Green LED pulses like it should. No gateway access due to configuration.
How do i configure the dongle?

thanks, 73

4091. Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-14 12:17:20 UTC
From: bushong@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4091

Hi KB1SYX,

Just to get to a common starting point, have you gone through this process:

Using the DVAP http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html

Using the DVAP http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html Enter the following values in the URCALL field on your radio: "DVAP I" (request voice ID from the DVAP) "DVAP E" (key down and speak for echo test) "CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system)

View on www.dvapdongle.com
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html
Preview by Yahoo

This is the basic stuff to get configured. After this, please say which part is not working right for you. And report back here with your results!

73,
Dave
KZ1O

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <jayman012348@...> wrote :

my dvap seems to not have been configured... the green led pulses, drivers are ok. does any one know how to configure it? I run on an iMac.
thanks 73 KB1SYX

4092. Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-14 15:31:25 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4092

I have the dvap tool operational and I have entered values for it. That seems to work. I also have the leds working-green pulse, blue strobe. if I open the dongle I get an error message saying " no gateway found". at this time the blue led strobes.

4093. Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-14 18:50:03 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4093

I get a message saying "no gateway".

4094. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-14 19:11:58 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4089 Message: 4094

That means no Internet connection. Check your Internet connection.
On May 14, 2016 2:50 PM, "jayman012348@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> I get a message saying "no gateway".
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4095. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-15 05:18:44 UTC
From: Lorenzo JIMENEZ
Topic: 4089 Message: 4095

> El 14 may 2016, a las 14:17, bushong@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> escribió:
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> Hi KB1SYX,
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>
> Just to get to a common starting point, have you gone through this process:
>
> Using the DVAP

> Using the DVAP
> Enter the following values in the URCALL field on your radio: "DVAP I" (request voice ID from the DVAP) "DVAP E" (key down and speak for echo test) "CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system)
> View on www.dvapdongle.com
> Preview by Yahoo
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>
> This is the basic stuff to get configured. After this, please say which part is not working right for you. And report back here with your results!
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> 73,
> Dave
> KZ1O
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> ---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <jayman012348@...> wrote :
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> my dvap seems to not have been configured... the green led pulses, drivers are ok. does any one know how to configure it? I run on an iMac.
>
> thanks 73 KB1SYX
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4096. Re: [DVAPDongle] dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-16 09:50:00 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4089 Message: 4096

Your call sign
KB1SYX is not registered on the DSTAR trust servers. You need to find a gateway and register. And only do it one time.
WA6JFK

> On May 13, 2016, at 11:24 AM, jayman012348@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> KB1SYX

4097. Re: [DVAPDongle] dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-16 19:25:41 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4097

Where do I find a gateway, on the internet? Thanks, KB1SYX

73

4098. Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-16 16:17:05 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4098

If you go to PAPA System http://www.papasys.com

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PAPA System http://www.papasys.com PAPA Amateur Ham Radio DSTAR Analog Repeater System Southern California

View on www.papasys.com http://www.papasys.com
Preview by Yahoo

and register as a "GUEST" (It's free, don't worry) and then after you are on as a guest, you can register on the DSTAR gateway there and I will get you setup pronto.

Without that registration you will NOT be able to use DVAP

WA6JFK

4099. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-16 19:48:12 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 4089 Message: 4099

You should register on a gateway close to you/ Go to DSTARUSERS.org for a list in the repeater section

--Fran

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On Mon, May 16, 2016 at 12:17 PM, bfrobisher@...m [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> If you go to PAPA System <http://www.papasys.com>
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> PAPA System <http://www.papasys.com>
> PAPA Amateur Ham Radio DSTAR Analog Repeater System Southern California
> View on www.papasys.com <http://www.papasys.com>
> Preview by Yahoo
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> and register as a "GUEST" (It's free, don't worry) and then after you are
> on as a guest, you can register on the DSTAR gateway there and I will get
> you setup pronto.
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> Without that registration you will NOT be able to use DVAP
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> WA6JFK
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4100. Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-17 00:42:13 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4100

Im in vermont, so the papa system is out of range. Can any one recomend some here

KB1SYX 73

4101. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-17 03:46:17 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4101

It actually does not matter where you register, and I was more than willing to get you setup on PAPA.

We have registered users from all over the US and beyond.

I would also make sure you got it done correctly.

Offer still stands.

WA6JFK

4102. Re: dap Dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-17 03:47:10 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4089 Message: 4102

Gateway registration has nothing to do with "being in range" of the gateway etc, believe me.

Offer still stands.

WA6JFK

4103. HAMVENTION Purchase???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-19 03:55:05 UTC
From: globalreman@...
Topic: 4103 Message: 4103

I will be going to this years Hamvention. Where is the best place to buy a DVAP Dongle there?
Will the manufacturer be there?
Who is the manufacturer?
Thanks -Aaron
W8VIP

4104. Re: HAMVENTION Purchase???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-19 17:23:15 UTC
From: jrauh@...
Topic: 4103 Message: 4104

AAron,

Where is the best place to buy a DVAP Dongle there?

In the past there has been. I purchased mine there several years ago.
According the their website the units are carried by HRO, R&L, DX Engineering, and others.

Will the manufacturer be there?

In the last several years he has been there are presented during the DSTAR forum.
The last several years their booth has been at the end of "Audio Alley" on the left

Who is the manufacturer?

The website for the DVAP dongle is:

http://www.dvapdongle.com

The website for the DV Dongle is:

http://www.dvdongle.com http://www.dvdongle.com

- Jeff

KC8ZRM

4106. Re: HAMVENTION Purchase???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-20 21:38:16 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4103 Message: 4106

Hi Jeff.

You are correct on the dealers. For the last few years, the booth has been in Hara Arena. This year, we decided not to exhibit due to the fact that it rained in the booth last year damaging some of the contents.

I'll be at the hamfest all day Saturday, spending some time visiting the Icom d-star booth.

Hopefully, they will get the roof repaired and we can return next year with a booth.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4107. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: HAMVENTION Purchase???

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-20 16:46:37 UTC
From: John Lorenc VA3WM
Topic: 4103 Message: 4107

Internet Labs manufactures the dv dongle and the dvap.

John VA3WM

Sent from my iPad Air 2

> On May 19, 2016, at 1:23 PM, jrauh@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> AAron,
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> Who is the manufacturer?
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> The website for the DVAP dongle is:
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4108. Western D-Star Software Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-21 16:24:47 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4108 Message: 4108

Greetings all,

I just setup a Raspberry Pi B with a 70cm DVAP dongle and have a question about some of the settings in the Western D-Star software I'm running...

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Thanks in advance and 73,

John

AA7US

4109. Re: [DVAPDongle] Western D-Star Software Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-21 23:52:58 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 4108 Message: 4109

There is a good explanation on the K6JM site with screen shots. Take a look there

In a message dated 5/21/2016 6:44:15 P.M. Central Daylight Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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4111. DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-25 23:13:04 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4111 Message: 4111

Hi gang,

I'm trying to help out a friend get his new DVAP Dongle setup. I'm doing this over the telephone because he lives almost 2 hours away from me. He'll be using his DVAP with a new, top brand laptop runing Windows 10.

He's installed the FTDI USB driver, Apple Bonjour, and the DVAPTools app, but when he launches the DVAPTools app it shows up in a VERY tiny window, so small in fact, he can barely read the contents! He's tried using the Windows 10 screen magnifier to deal with it, but he said this just revealed the elements in the window are a mess. Apparently the text elements are much larger than the input boxes for the station callsign, frequency, etc. Besides being shrunken, it sounds like the DVAPTools window elements are terribly out of proportion to each other.

He says all his other apps and icons look fine on this laptop.

He's right-clicked on the DVAPTools icon, clicked properties, and tried changing the window size settings, but he says the "Apply" button isn't active so he can't save the changes.

He's tried uninstalling and reinstalling the DVAPTools app, but that didn't cure the problem.

Any suggestions? I'm not a Windows 10 user so I'm at a loss to help him.

Thanks!

John
AA7US

4112. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-26 19:13:14 UTC
From: Gene Moore
Topic: 4111 Message: 4112

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Gene Moore
KM4NSI

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 25, 2016, at 19:13, landrjoh@postpro.net [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4113. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-26 21:36:18 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 4111 Message: 4113

What computer is he using? It sounds as if it might a high resolution monitor with a 100% item size. (Display Settings)

Ed WA4YIH

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 25, 2016 7:13 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

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4114. DVAP software "auto-open"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-27 19:02:25 UTC
From: vishnusinghfl@...
Topic: 4114 Message: 4114

I am trying to make a self contained unit for my DVAP using a Win Tablet. Everything is working great! The only thing that would make it work 100% perfectly is a way for the program to automatically select the "open" button. Is there a way?

73,
Singh - AJ4VS

4115. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 03:52:03 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4111 Message: 4115

Hi Glen,

After forwarding a copy of your response to my friend, he tells me he his laptop is also a Lenovo YOGA!

He's going to see if he can get that tiny initial screen filled in and then move beyond it.

Thanks to you and everyone who replied.

73,

John
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---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <emoore4422@...> wrote :

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4116. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP software "auto-open"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 04:21:42 UTC
From: al w
Topic: 4114 Message: 4116

Hi Singh

I have a similar setup but have not been able to find that answer yet. If you make progress please share. I have not tried using cortana. I wonder if she can open programs via voice command?

73
Al
W1NGA

Sent from my iPad

> On May 27, 2016, at 1:02 PM, vishnusinghfl@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4117. no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 08:29:13 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4117 Message: 4117

hi

Just starting out, so forgive , hoping someone might suggest what I've overlooked...

Have a dvap, 51a+ and set up dvaptool on computer. Seems when I tx I do show up on the reflector and it says 'linked' but I can't here anything.

was trying to just connect to the reflector and sure I must have overlooked something any suggestions appreciated .

Thanks

4118. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP software "auto-open"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 11:58:13 UTC
From: Singh, Vishnu
Topic: 4114 Message: 4118

I'll keep you posted if I come up with anything
On May 28, 2016 7:24 AM, "al w awinger2001@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4119. Re: [DVAPDongle] no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 15:14:32 UTC
From: Gene4422
Topic: 4117 Message: 4119

I am not trying to be funny here, but the reason you might not hear anything is because no one is around. This is one of the many things I have learned along the way.. I would suggest going to either reflector REF0030C or REF001C and ask for a radio check. Again, depending upon the reflector and the time of day, it may be very quiet. The two reflectors I noted are usually busy or someone is around.

Good luck,

Gene Moore
KM4NSI

> On May 28, 2016, at 4:29 AM, photo2000a@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4120. Re: [DVAPDongle] no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 22:18:06 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4117 Message: 4120

hi

Turns out your correct I retract my earlier statement, still dunno why i can't do the echo test at all, but someone got back to me on reflector so thanks

4121. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-29 01:45:38 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4111 Message: 4121

I am a DVAP on a windows 10 machine. Mine is a HP laptop. I found that I needed to run the dvap software in Windows 8 computability mode. Try these and see if it works any better. Just a suggestion.

73's/Al4LL

Jack L. Blake

On Fri, May 27, 2016 at 11:52 PM, landrjoh@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hi Glen,
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> laptop is also a Lenovo YOGA!
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4122. HELP NEEDED....RECEIVE ONLY WHEN CONNECTED TO SOME REFLECTORS

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-29 17:59:24 UTC
From: radiodog1234@...
Topic: 4122 Message: 4122

When I connect to many, but not all of the reflectors, I get a "connected" message saying that I have "RECEIVE ONLY" access?
Anyone have a fix?

Help is appreciated.

4123. Re: no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-30 12:45:10 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 4117 Message: 4123

Hello. You may link your DVAP to Module E(ie REF030E) and check your audio via echo, you will hear yourself. No need to call for a radio check that way.

73 de TG9AOR

4124. Re: [DVAPDongle] no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-28 18:13:51 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4117 Message: 4124

thanks very much I thought for a moment it might just be dead but I can't do the echo test
I did fwd the ports on my linksys kinda stuck at this point

4125. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-31 02:56:09 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4111 Message: 4125

Thanks for the suggestion Jack. I'll pass it along.

73,

John
AA7US

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <jblake8061@...> wrote :

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Jack L. Blake

4126. Re: [DVAPDongle] no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-31 13:01:45 UTC
From: agroaviation@...
Topic: 4117 Message: 4126

The program you are using does not require any port forwarding. After you press the OPEN button you select on your radio's "Call Sign" menu option to link up to REF012E (Reflector 12 Module E) (page 2/4 of the radio's menu) and it should read:

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UR:REF012EL
R1:--------------
R2:--------------
MY:>>Your Callsign should be here<<<
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You key up once for 2 seconds, the DVAP should come back saying "REMOTE SYSTEM LINKED", after which you go back to the Radio's Callsign Menu and change the UR: to:

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UR:CQCQCQ
R1:--------------
R2:--------------
My:>>Your Callsign should be here<<<
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Then you may proceed to key up and talk and after you release the PTT you will hear your transmission, along with your callsign and slow text displayed on your screen.

I do this to test my internet connection whenever I move somewhere unfamiliar, before I go about reflectors or nets.

73

4127. Re: [DVAPDongle] no rx

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-31 15:00:09 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4117 Message: 4127

Photo2000a.....

What is your call sign?

WA6JFK

4128. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTools App has Tiny Window on Win10 Laptop

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-05-31 16:04:52 UTC
From: Donna Avers
Topic: 4111 Message: 4128

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 30, 2016, at 21:56, landrjoh@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4129. Unable to get 70cm DVAP connnected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-05 18:54:18 UTC
From: periopnurse@...
Topic: 4129 Message: 4129

Hello everyone,

Finally getting around to install my 70cm dvap and not able to get connected. I checked my call sign and am registered with WC7SO in Bellingham, WA and have both my call sign and the call sign space A listed as registered. I tried connecting on both my mac and MS Surface Pro 3 tablet using DV tool software but never get connected to D-Star repeater. The repeater that I'm registered with is currently down, so not sure if that is what's keeping me from connecting. Tried looking via google search but haven't had any luck. Drivers installed and get the flashing blue light as well as the slow/steady green light. Any ideas in getting this going?

Thanks,

Leon
KG7PMS
Oak Harbor, WA

4130. Trying to get my DV Dongle working again

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-06 22:05:17 UTC
From: 1revgary@...
Topic: 4130 Message: 4130

I have v. 1.04 up on computer.....windows
When I key my ID 51 on 145.670 I see my call and CQ on computer screen,
But I don't hear anything and don't seem to be getting to the gateway.....

Any suggestions please.

Gary/NX8L

4131. Re: [DVAPDongle] Trying to get my DV Dongle working again

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-07 00:55:48 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 4130 Message: 4131

Hi Gary!

Did you program the radio with a "Link" command for the reflector that you want to connect to? Before you can access any reflector (a good place to start is REF001C or REF030C -- LOTS of traffic) or repeater (NOT a good place to start -- not every repeater can be connected to via a DVAP) you need to link to that reflector/repeater …. SO … in your UR field you should have, say, REF001CL. Kerchunk the HT, you should get a message back from the DVAP … Once you are connected then set UR to CQCQCQ … Any traffic on the reflector will now be heard and you can join in the fun!

Try that and let us know …

Best Regards,

Steve/SM
W3SMK

"Invisible airwaves crackle with life
Bright antennae bristle with the energy
Emotional feedback on timeless wavelength
Bearing a gift beyond price, almost free"
-- "The Spirit of Radio"

On Jun 6, 2016, at 3:05 PM, 1revgary@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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> Gary/NX8L
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4132. DVAP and Ubuntu 16.04 on my notebook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-07 11:06:40 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4132 Message: 4132

Hi,

I'm using the DVAP with my Rasp without any problem at my home network. Problen when traveeling I have to chance the WIFI setup for each new hotel/location. Now I changed an older notebook from Win XP to Ubuntu 16.04 so that I could use this notebook instead off the rasp. Unfortunately I'm not a Linux pro so I'm looking now for the part of the respectiive D-star software which is on a Rasp D-Star image. I read that I have to compile this software with different libs etc. Before I will try this here my question.

Rolf DC1ZZ

4133. Re: Unable to get 70cm DVAP connnected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-07 15:13:27 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4129 Message: 4133

Hi Leon,

The repeater system which you're callsign is registered through should have no effect on the operation of your DVAP. Your D-Star registration looks good.

You said: "...never get connected to D-Star repeater."

Are you able to connect to a D-Plus reflector like REF001C?

73,

John
AA7US

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4134. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to get 70cm DVAP connnected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-07 18:40:45 UTC
From: Lee
Topic: 4129 Message: 4134

Hi John,

I was able to connect (link) to a reflector last night (30C). That after I reset the radio then back to simplex mode. That seemed to work. Still not getting feedback message saying I'm connected to DVAP, but am getting linked and unlink messages.

Thanks again for the reply back for help!

73,

Leon
KG7PMS
Oak Harbor, WA

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 7, 2016, at 8:13 AM, landrjoh@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4135. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to get 70cm DVAP connnected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-08 12:06:31 UTC
From: Ted Wrobel
Topic: 4129 Message: 4135

Hi Leon,

Just lurking when I noticed the “simplex” comment in your email. Dstar radios have a quirk/feature that causes endless confusion and may be at the core of your problems.

When in simplex mode the radios do not transmit all the data, in particular they do not send RPT1 or RPT2 values out in the data stream. The solution is to program the radio in duplex mode with zero offset. Same frequency result, but now the complete data content is included.

FWIW – sorry for butting in if not helpful.

Ted

W1GRI

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Tuesday, June 07, 2016 2:41 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to get 70cm DVAP connnected

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4136. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: Unable to get 70cm DVAP connnected

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-09 18:28:43 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4129 Message: 4136

The DVAP does not use RPT1/RPT2 for routing so that is not an issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4137. Re: 0VAP Dongle Suddenly Quits

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-12 05:15:33 UTC
From: nc6k@...
Topic: 3847 Message: 4137

I have a previously working DVAP Dongle, and it does the exact same thing - green flashing light until I connect, then pulsing blue light. The DVAPTool window shows a signal being received, but no change on the DOS screen. I used to see it telling me there was a carrier, but nothing now after "ASCP device started". The DVAP Util shows the signal, so the RF portion is working. I've tried on two different PCs with exactly the same result.

Any ideas???

Thanks,

Eric NC6K

4138. I have DVAP working but now how do I link to Reflector?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-15 00:35:01 UTC
From: 1revgary@...
Topic: 4138 Message: 4138

I have DVAP running, talking to my Computer with DVTools V. 1.04. but don't know how to link to reflector.

Been watching YouTube and reading but it's all very technical. Anyone have simple instructions for me?

NX8L
Gary

4139. Re: [DVAPDongle] I have DVAP working but now how do I link to Reflector?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-15 14:56:37 UTC
From: Singh, Vishnu
Topic: 4138 Message: 4139

Hi Gary,

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4140. Re: [DVAPDongle] I have DVAP working but now how do I link to Reflector?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-15 19:06:24 UTC
From: JamesJ McCloskey
Topic: 4138 Message: 4140

Also remember to change the UR field to CQCQCQ after you have established your link to a reflector.

Jim,NS3K

On June 15, 2016, at 1:59 PM, "'Singh, Vishnu' vishnusinghfl@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4141. Re: 0VAP Dongle Suddenly Quits

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-15 22:55:14 UTC
From: nc6k@...
Topic: 3847 Message: 4141

I just wanted to let everyone know that my issue was a calibration problem and very easily remedied. I wanted to post that here in case others are having the same problem.

A big thanks to Robin for quickly helping me out!

73,

Eric NC6K

4142. Snapshot of your Freq's in your ID-51

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-19 01:02:29 UTC
From: 1revgary@...
Topic: 4142 Message: 4142

I've got the DVAP working, now I need to put freq's into the ID-51, chaning the URL from CQ to a repeater/reflector in my area.

Would like to see a snapshot of what that looks like in someones RT system for the ID-51

Gary/NX8L
Near Cincinnati

4143. disconnect help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-22 09:16:13 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4143 Message: 4143

hi

I have been using a dvap at 2 location in NY both on cablevision, and my Imac w/o any problems, works great.

Traveled to FL which is comcast all three locations are using linksys routers and I've programmed them the same. but using my macbook computer and have set sleep to off. Using a ID51+

When I connect all seems great while i am watching the screen (and dongle lights) all is good for what seems to be 2-3min then suddenly w/o any indications or error messages it just seems to not work, presume to disconnect leaving me w/the green only light if I key up ....nothing

if I manually disconnect (open/close on dvaptool) and reconnect works again for a few moments using dvap tool

any ideas what I can try to get it going ?

Thanks

4144. Re: disconnect help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-24 10:55:07 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4143 Message: 4144

anyone would really appreciate some help

4145. Re: disconnect help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-25 14:12:46 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4143 Message: 4145

Greetings,

Presumably you're using WiFi for internet connectivity at both locations?

If yes, then something you might want to look at is a WiFi packet collision problem between your laptop and wireless router. This can occur in crowded WiFi environments where many signals are trying to use the same RF spectrum... unfortunately an all too common problem with all the WiFi connected gadgets we have around us. One way to eliminate this as the potential cause is to temporarily connect your computer directly to the router via an Ethernet cable and see if the problem disappears.

73,

John
AA7US

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4146. 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-27 15:21:32 UTC
From: 1revgary@...
Topic: 4146 Message: 4146

I have my 2 meter DVAP running with my Pi Hot Spot, I'm using DStar Commander software, the DVAP has the blue light blinking, my WIFI is getting me to the internet, but when I key my ID-51 I'm not linking to 1C. I believe I have my settings in the radio correct....confused why I get the message....NOT LINKED.

Where can I look or where can I find help?

73
NX8L/Gary

4147. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-27 18:13:06 UTC
From: Jack Prindle
Topic: 4146 Message: 4147

Send the hostupdate command from the radio to update the host file of your DSTAR Commander software on the Pi. Once it is updated you should be able to link. When you hear the not linked announcement after sending a link command it usually means that it cannot find the reflector you are trying to link to. The host file handles telling the Pi how to find the reflector to link to, so if the host file is outdated or wrong you will get the message. Updating the host file usually solves this issue.

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Jun 27, 2016, at 11:21, 1revgary@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4148. Re: 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-27 23:19:50 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4146 Message: 4148

Are you able to link to any other reflectors? 12A etc?

WA6JFK

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4149. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-29 11:11:31 UTC
From: beischel@...
Topic: 4066 Message: 4149

Did you ever get an answer to this issue? I experience the same issue. Cannot even initiate a remote reboot of the RPi since the DVAP is stuck in transmit.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

4150. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-29 11:41:47 UTC
From: beischel@...
Topic: 4146 Message: 4150

Or, you don't have the radio programmed correctly so the software is not receiving the command to link.

Can you send a screen capture of your programming?

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

4151. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-29 16:16:13 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 4066 Message: 4151

No, Duffy, never got a response to this issue. I am "glad" to see that it is not just me!

Just to put this out on the forum again …

The issue is that when running any of the Raspberry Pi G4KLX-based DSTAR software images that after some period of time … minutes, hours, sometimes days … that the DVAP will get locked in transmit mode … with the RED LED on and the DVAP transmitting continuously … Sometimes the Yellow LED is on as well … Because it is continuously transmitting there is no way to remotely restart the Raspberry Pi. You have to cycle the power to restart it.

The strange thing here is that this never happens (to me) when running DVAPTool on the Raspberry Pi.

So, if there are any thoughts on this, please let us know …

Best Regards,

Steve/W3SMK

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On Jun 29, 2016, at 4:11 AM, beischel@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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4152. Re: disconnect help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-29 21:27:03 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4143 Message: 4152

hi

Thanks very much unf that wasn't the problem i can run other programs to test general net connectivity and it works great unless comcast is just blocking those particular bits, presume not.

if i am unkeyed and no traffic on rx does the dvap or it's software communicate to the far end? if not then the problem is def on my end i would guess

Thanks again John, was hoping for a few more responces/tips

4153. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-30 16:17:38 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4066 Message: 4153

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View on w6kd.boards.net http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/6/dstar-commander-faq
Preview by Yahoo

There is an issue with the G4KLX software and the 2 meter DVAP.

No fix is currently known.

WA6JFK

4154. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2 Meter DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-06-30 16:20:52 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4146 Message: 4154

Also what is your internet connection? I have noticed that my AT&T hotspot does not work with all reflectors using it in wifi mode but when I use the USB connection it work on all.

Try an ethernet connection?

4155. Re: [DVAPDongle] Solid RED light

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-01 02:00:12 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 4066 Message: 4155

Thanks ever so much for passing that information along! I really appreciate it! I have asked this question twice on this forum and once on the MD image forum and no one has ever responded …. Glad to know that it is a known problem … Unfortunately, sounds like a problem that won't be fixed …

Thanks again! I appreciate your sharing that info …

Best Regards,

Steve/W3SMK

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On Jun 30, 2016, at 9:17 AM, bfrobisher@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

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4156. Re: disconnect help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-04 21:13:03 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4143 Message: 4156

can anyone perhaps suggest a board that might have some more info on my issue, i.e. someplace else I could try, perhaps if I could bounce it off a few I might be able to resolve the issue ?

Thanks

4157. Re: disconnect help

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-04 22:07:18 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4143 Message: 4157

We have seen a handful of routers that would not pass traffic on the ports used by DVAPTool. Some were helped with a reboot, a couple had to be replaced by the ISP.

If you'd like to provide your callsign, I can take a look in the logs for any issues.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4158. DVAPTools as a snap package

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-08 23:56:18 UTC
From: kb8ild@...
Topic: 4158 Message: 4158

Greetings Everyone!!!

I'm curious to see if anyone has put together a snap package of the DVAPTools for Linux? I think that this would be a great way to get more Hams into running the Tools on other distros of Linux. All answers are appreciated!

73's
Raymond Larabee Jr.
kb8ild@gmail.com
kb8ild.info

4159. Newbie...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-09 23:46:03 UTC
From: n1kpw@...
Topic: 4159 Message: 4159

Hello all,
Ordered a 440 DVAP today, along with an ID-51A+ and can't wait for the UPS man to drop them off.... anyway, any pointers on getting everything running smoothly on a Win10 machine? I've enjoyed the time I've spent on D-Star with the ID-5100 I got at the Centenial Convention, and I'm looking forward to using the DVAP with both radios to fill the gap in coverage of the semi-local repeaters here at home. I'm thinking that the HT will work fine with the dongle around the house, but I may need to add an external, hi-gain antenna to gain any usefullness from the mobile. Any thoughts or advice on that front?

Thanks in advance for any pointers, advice etc. you all may have..

73, for now,
Greg
N1KPW

Norwich CT

4160. Re: Newbie...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-10 15:45:30 UTC
From: landrjoh@...
Topic: 4159 Message: 4160

Hi Greg,

Ya know, for portable/mobile D-Star operations, you might want to consider going the Raspberry Pi route with your DVAP... that's what I did. All you need is your DVAP, an inexpensive Raspberry Pi 3B motherboard, a portable USB battery pack (or a 12v power cord for your vehicle's cigar lighter), your cell phone as a Internet hotspot, and easy-to-use free D-Star Commander software to run everything. All the parts needed can be purchased from a place like Amazon.

A how-to guide can be found HERE https://storage.googleapis.com/dstar/How%20to%20Build%20a%20Raspberry%20Pi%20Hotspot%20(illustrated)%20V1.0.pdf on the D-Star Commander website.

It works GREAT!

73,

John
AA7US

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <n1kpw@...> wrote :

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4161. Re: Newbie...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-12 05:09:15 UTC
From: n1kpw@...
Topic: 4159 Message: 4161

Thanks, John, That does look interesting, although I think the ID-5100 does a good job from the car, this could be the perfect solution to tuck into a saddlebag on the motorcycle for the summer commute. I'm also thinking about resurrecting an older XP laptop that is sitting on a shelf collecting dust to dedicate to running the DVAP station. Lots of ideas bouncing around in my head, just waiting for it to come in the mail... The HT should be here tomorrow, DVAP shipped Priority Mail CA to CT delay, but all should be up and running by the weekend, hopefully.
Its going to be interesting to be able to do a bit of Reflector hopping around the world rather than sitting on the same reflector the local repeater is connected to and I'm sure I'll be perusing older posts here as time goes by for some tips and tricks.

Thanks again for the input, hope to catch you on the air,
73
Greg
N1KPW

4162. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newbie...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-11 20:35:13 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4159 Message: 4162

Hello Greg,
I have the 440 DV dongle and the Icom ID-51A also. I don't have access to a local dstar machine and I love my dongle and 51A. It is a great little combo for DStar. You can take the dongle on vacation with your 51A and get on the network. In the mobile, I would go the raspberry pi route instead of trying to put a high gain antenna on the dongle. It doesn't have a lot output and you would lose a lot in the cable unless it is a very short run. Have fun and enjoy DStar. It is great.

Jack L. Blake

On Sun, Jul 10, 2016 at 11:45 AM, landrjoh@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4163. Re: Newbie...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-13 22:13:53 UTC
From: n1kpw@...
Topic: 4159 Message: 4163

DVAP came in today's mail (a day earlier than predicted, YAY!) working on getting it up and running with the ID51. Not exactly a smooth process but I think i'm getting there...finally got it connected to Reflector 69c, and monitoring now, took a little bit to recognize the fact that its just a connection device and the 'hard work' is all done from the radio side. Seems to be working OK at this point, on the 'main' desktop comp. Figure I'll keep it there to play around with for now, and then change over to one of the laptops for a dedicated set up. So far, so good.... reflector status page shows connection, DStarUsers 'last heard' shows call logged, this is going to be fun.... lol

4164. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newbie...

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-14 00:10:24 UTC
From: KB9VZU
Topic: 4159 Message: 4164

Welcome to the real fun mode of Dstar. Please join us tonight on Ref 14c for the HamNation Dstar after show net on Ref 14c. We start it up around 10:00PM est. every Wednesday evening. Also check out

Hamnationdstar.net for tips & tricks = you can listen to your audio quality on the live stream on that site .

73
KB9VZU
Dave

Sent from my IPaD

On Jul 13, 2016, at 6:13 PM, "n1kpw@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4165. Re: DVAPTools as a snap package

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-24 21:23:36 UTC
From: davidjolly273@...
Topic: 4158 Message: 4165

Good afternoon Name is Dave. I am located in Carstairs Alberta and looking to set up a hot spot
and like you said linux, raspberry pi would be a good way to go
I could then make it a stand alone unit dedicated to that one chore.
but have had a problem getting a download of dvaptools to load in
my pi have you any ideas.

Dave (ve6ud)

4166. Re: DVAPTools as a snap package

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-27 21:53:52 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 4158 Message: 4166

Hi Dave; Using DVAPTool on a Pi can be a challenge, if I remember correctly, you need a distribution of Linux already built, then (google for) the DVAPTool installation, which includes the executable and some libraries... which you need to know where to put the libraries. This was released several years ago and (IIRC) was limited in what it could do... it supports the DVAP, of course, but I don't think it'll do the DVmega.

There are several distributions based on ircDDBGateway which are SD card images, each has its own method of configuring the software, but are generally easy to set up, and support a variety of radio hardware.

- Maryland Dstar Image (google it)
- Dstar Commander (google it)
- my own YOZ-Lite kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap
- the original westerndstar.co.uk

Have fun.

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

4167. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAPTools as a snap package

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-07-27 23:49:38 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 4158 Message: 4167

Hi Dave,

Which version of the DVAPTools are you trying to get running? If it is the one off the DVAP Dongle website, then you are using the wrong version. I would take a look at this link

http://ab4bj.com/wordpress/2013/02/setting-up-a-raspberry-pi-to-work-with-a-dv-access-point-dongle-dvap/

73's

Raymond Larabee Jr

kb8ild@...

kb8ild.info

> Good afternoon Name is Dave.
>
> I am located in Carstairs Alberta and looking to set up a hot spot
> and like you said linux, raspberry pi would be a good way to go
> I could then make it a stand alone unit dedicated to that one chore.
> but have had a problem getting a download of dvaptools to load in
> my pi have you any ideas.
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> Dave (ve6ud)
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4168. no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-02 17:49:15 UTC
From: w5umq@...
Topic: 4168 Message: 4168

Good Morning, I'm Bill in Issaquah, Washington. I am attempting to set up a new dvap. It looks as thou it is working but I do not have audio.
Any suggestions will be appreciated.

4169. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-05 21:35:35 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4168 Message: 4169

Is your radio tuned to the simplex transmit frequency of the dvap?

Jack L. Blake

On Tue, Aug 2, 2016 at 1:49 PM, w5umq@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> up a new dvap. It looks as thou it is working but I do not have audio.
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> Any suggestions will be appreciated.
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4170. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-06 20:54:23 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4168 Message: 4170

Jack, thanks for responding to my problem.Yes , I am on simplex and all indications look as though the radio and dongle are functioning properly.I am using a public wifi system that serves the building. The computer is Windows System 10 the dongle has the latest software and the tools window displays dongle serial number.I now believe the dongle is not getting it's signal back to the internet and that may be a problem with the wifi.Do you know of anyone who is using a dvap dongle on a public wifi system ?
Bill Brown - w5umq

From: "Jack Blake jblake8061@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, August 5, 2016 2:35 PM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

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4171. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-09 13:32:11 UTC
From: Gene Moore
Topic: 4168 Message: 4171

Not sure if I missed this, but what radio are you using?

Gene Moore
W4ETM

Sent from my iPhone

> On Aug 6, 2016, at 16:54, Bill Brown w5umq@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> appreciated.
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4172. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-09 15:13:35 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4168 Message: 4172

Gene,I am using an ID-31 & RT software to program.I believe my problem is in the buildings public wifi system.Do you know of anyone using a dvap dongle with wifi ?Bill Brownw5umq

From: "Gene Moore emoore4422@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, August 9, 2016 6:32 AM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

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Gene MooreW4ETM
Sent from my iPhone
On Aug 6, 2016, at 16:54, Bill Brown w5umq@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

appreciated.

4173. DVAP Drops Link and HandHeld Pairing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-09 15:40:33 UTC
From: david_ahrendts@...
Topic: 4173 Message: 4173

Working to understand my new DVAP and D-Star using an Income ID-51 Plus (anniversary edition) hand held. I have successfully linked to REF012A and monitored it much of yesterday in the office. Unfortunately on several occasions, the DVAP dropped it's link to D-Star and the pairing with my hand held while still showing the blinking green light as if it's in a normal idle. Any guesses?

David A., KK6DA, Los Angeles

4174. DVAP Drops Link & HH Pairing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-09 23:24:41 UTC
From: david_ahrendts@...
Topic: 4174 Message: 4174

Ne for a time, and it just w DVAP. I have it linking OK. But leaving it monitoring a reflector for a time, it just drops its connection with the reflector and the pairing with the hand held. Closing the DVAP Tool and re-opening and re-pairing seems to be the only solution. Any guesses?

David A., KK6DA, LA

4175. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-10 14:47:28 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4168 Message: 4175

Bill,
I recently took a trip to Myrtle Beach and successfully used my DVAP on the motel's public WIFI, with no problem. Do you have internet at your home QTH? Do you have a cell phone that has 3G/4G data access. Is your DVAP set to automatically get a IP address? I suggest you go to a friend house that has WIFI, and give it a try or if you have a cell phone that can be used as a hot spot you can try to connect thru it. Also try the DVAP, calibration utility to see that your DVAP is on frequency. Hope this help.
Good Luck, Also check out the DStar users group on Yahoo, there is a lot of folks that know this stuff inside and out. If all else fails go to the DVAP web site and check for technical support. You could have a bad dongle. It is not unheard of.

73/s Jack AI4LL

Jack L. Blake

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> Jack, thanks for responding to my problem.
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> dongle are functioning properly.
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> Bill Brown - w5umq
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> DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
> *To:* DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> *Sent:* Friday, August 5, 2016 2:35 PM
> *Subject:* Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio
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4176. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-10 15:39:13 UTC
From: Tim Porter
Topic: 4168 Message: 4176

I am using dvap on a raspberry pi with id51a plus

On Aug 10, 2016 9:59 AM, "Bill Brown w5umq@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Gene,
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> *Subject:* Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio
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4177. Re: [DVAPDongle] no audio

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-10 16:14:31 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4168 Message: 4177

Jack,This sounds like good information, I will give it a try.Thanks,Bill - w5umq

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Wed, Aug 10, 2016 at 7:47 AM, Jack Blake jblake8061@... [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4178. DVAP is not working with Win 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-13 16:52:30 UTC
From: james_kennedy83@...
Topic: 4178 Message: 4178

Does anyone have a solution for this issue. dvap NOT WORKING ON WIN 10

Jim
WU5E

4179. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP is not working with Win 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-14 02:59:59 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4178 Message: 4179

Jim,I have been trying for two weeks to get my dvapDongle to work with Win 10.Lights flash, tools say latest software is loaded no error message.All indications are that it works but it never connects.
Bill - w5umq

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Sat, Aug 13, 2016 at 9:52 AM, james_kennedy83@...
[DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Does anyone have a solution for this issue. dvap NOT WORKING ON WIN 10

Jim

WU5E

4180. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP is not working with Win 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-14 03:14:34 UTC
From: Brad
Topic: 4178 Message: 4180

did you follow the installation instructions carefully?

On 8/13/2016 12:52 PM, james_kennedy83@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> Does anyone have a solution for this issue. dvap NOT WORKING ON WIN 10
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> Jim
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> WU5E
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Smart Trends
Police Urge Americans to Carry This With Them at All Times
http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3131/57afe217d874862165bc3st03duc

4181. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP is not working with Win 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-15 18:16:44 UTC
From: john
Topic: 4178 Message: 4181

hi james
you have to install Bonjour printservice and do not upgrade the DVAP with upgradetool v1.07
use v1.05
works for me.

john

ON8VN

From: james_kennedy83@... [DVAPDongle]
Sent: Saturday, August 13, 2016 6:52 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP is not working with Win 10

Does anyone have a solution for this issue. dvap NOT WORKING ON WIN 10

Jim

WU5E

4182. RE: [DVAPDongle] Digest Number 1214

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-16 10:04:07 UTC
From: <james_kennedy83@...>
Topic: 4182 Message: 4182

What latest software, The 1.04 version I thought was the latest. Is yours newer?

Jim
WU5E

Jim Kennedy
Woodlawn, TN

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

4183. linking to busy reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-20 20:25:05 UTC
From: doncollins@...
Topic: 4183 Message: 4183

Some time when I link my RBPi/DVAP access point to a reflector, particularly a busy one, like REF030 C, a conversation will already be in progress. Although I am only listening, sometimes one of the folks engaged will politely invite me to join the QSO. Having heard only a few seconds of the QSO, I have little to add, other than a self-introduction and general pleasantries. (I've even popped into a net I didn't previously know existed!)

My question is, can I link to a reflector without triggering ID text across everyones' screens? Sometimes you want to join the conversation, but sometimes you just want to anonymously monitor what is going on.

Should I announce myself as "monitoring" or just bide my time and decide if I want to jump in after listening a bit?

How do you guys handle this awkward situation?

73,

Don
KA4BLS

4184. Re: linking to busy reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-22 13:15:22 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4183 Message: 4184

The DVAPTool software does not automatically key up. It only transmits to the reflector when you do. If you are using other software, you will need to ask for support from the author.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4185. IC 7100 and 2m DVAP setup

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-22 16:03:38 UTC
From: Tony Swainsbury
Topic: 4185 Message: 4185

I can access the DVAP and get the blue flashing LED. Tried various settings on IC 1700 but non make the DVAP work. PC says radio signal sent but DVAP just flashes blue LED.

I can only use a reflector as I am miles away from any DSTAR point.

What are the recommended settings on the IC 7100 please?

Tony

4186. Re: linking to busy reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-23 02:52:46 UTC
From: doncollins@...
Topic: 4183 Message: 4186

Robin,

I guess my question really is, when I select "link to ref ####" and momentarily key the PTT, does it go through the gateway and create the text message on everyone's screen?

I thought I had to select "USE Repeater" before I actually transmitted anything except the connect command over the gateway. Maybe I'm wrong but I thought someone once spoke to me by call sign, as soon as I linked to a repeater with my id-51 and my RBPi/DVAP.

Thanks for your patience with us dumb users who don't understand the program logic like the programmer would. These are amazing programs, and we really appreciate the use of em!

73,
Don

4187. Re: linking to busy reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-23 13:48:38 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4183 Message: 4187

Hi Don. The link command does not make it to the users on the linked system so folks don't know you are there unless they look at the web page (or tab in DVTool).

Robin

4188. Re: linking to busy reflectors

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-23 15:20:34 UTC
From: doncollins@...
Topic: 4183 Message: 4188

Thanks Robin... that clears it up a lot!
Don

4189. DVAPTool on Ubuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-24 23:41:41 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 4189 Message: 4189

I am currently running DVAPTool on a dedicated netbook running 32 bit Ubuntu 14.04 LTS.
I have been putting off updating the computer to the newest version of Ubuntu as I had to jump through hoops in order to get this running. I am concerned that once I update it might break DVAPTool and I will have to start at ground zero once again.
For those running DVAPTool on Ubuntu did you have to set things up again after updating the OS or did things continue to work without an issue?
Thanks in advance
Jeff VE6EFR

4190. DVAP Unlinking unexpectedly

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-26 09:09:46 UTC
From: gwbiam@...
Topic: 4190 Message: 4190

All of a sudden, my DVAP has began to unlink itself from reflectors after a few minutes . Anyone have any ideas as to what may have gone wrong?. It unlinks regardless of which reflector I may use and Ive tried several ? 73 John

4191. Re: DVAP Drops Link & HH Pairing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-26 09:19:26 UTC
From: gwbiam@...
Topic: 4174 Message: 4191

I have been having same issue here in NJ DVAP unlinking itself.It began to unlink itself after a few minutes about a week ago. Using Linux Ubuntu 14.04. what OS is being used Dave 73 John K2FT

4192. Re: DVAP Unlinking unexpectedly

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-27 03:46:43 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4190 Message: 4192

What is running the DVAP?

Like, PC/Mac/pi?

What software is controlling the DVAP etc.

What is your call sign?

Thanks

WA6JFK

4193. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Unlinking unexpectedly

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-27 16:41:51 UTC
From: Gene Moore
Topic: 4190 Message: 4193

If you are connecting to ref 001c, I have heard a number of people raising this concern where you drop out of the reflector. One of the comments and I'm not sure if it was tongue-and-cheek was to engage in a conversation. If you are just listening, you may timeout. Again, not sure if that is the case, but that is what I have heard.

W4ETM

Sent from my iPhone

> On Aug 26, 2016, at 23:46, bfrobisher@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> WA6JFK
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4194. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Unlinking unexpectedly

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-08-27 17:25:09 UTC
From: Tony Swainsbury
Topic: 4190 Message: 4194

Windows 10

F5VNA

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: 27 August 2016 05:47
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Unlinking unexpectedly

What is running the DVAP?

Like, PC/Mac/pi?

What software is controlling the DVAP etc.

What is your call sign?

Thanks

WA6JFK

4195. Re: DVAP is not working with Win 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-05 00:45:07 UTC
From: bhduck@...
Topic: 4178 Message: 4195

My problem was no instructions that explained you had to enter the freq like this.

4410000
no 441.000

you have to fill the box in dvap tools with zeros. then hit open and it should work fine.

Bob
WK3P

4196. DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-05 09:30:20 UTC
From: speedy-diesel@...
Topic: 4196 Message: 4196

Hi

A big ask but I have reached my depth in the pool and taking on water !!

Have the DVAP running on laptop with no issues for the last few weeks since purchase. Trouble is laptop is shared around the family.

Fellow Ham suggested the Pi with Maryland image - researched it and it was as plug and play as you could get, for me that is - don't mind configuring drop down boxes type software but well out of comfort zone messing with code and OS. So Pi3 starter kit purchased and image downloaded.

Long story short image won't work with Pi 3 - you need to have a Pi 2 to upgrade the image, which don't have or a Pi2 to run. The guys at Maryland did release a Pi3 image late March 2016 but I understand that $$ prevented it from being on the web to share.

Does anybody know where I can find the image or point me in a direction to get up and running coz the Chief financial officer (YL) is looking at the pile of unused boxes with the 'more junk for the shelf' eye.

As I say drop down boxes and similar I can work with but messing with code and OS is a little beyond me at this early stage.

Thanks for your help and time

Davy
G1LVH

4197. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAPTool on Ubuntu

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-05 16:21:29 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 4189 Message: 4197

You might have some problems running DVAPTool after the update. It's possible that some of the 32bit libraries that are required for DVAPTool to run, may have been uninstalled. The good news is that just by running DVAPTool, it will let you know what's missing.

73's

Raymond Larabee Jr

kb8ild@...

kb8ild.info

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> issue?
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> Thanks in advance
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> Jeff VE6EFR
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4198. Re: DVAP is not working with Win 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-05 20:32:36 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4178 Message: 4198

Hi Bob. From the official instructions at www.dvapdongle.com: http://www.dvapdongle.com:

Enter a simplex frequency for operation in the Frequency box. Consult the frequency bandplan for your country/area for appropriate frequencies. Enter the entire frequency in Hz (e.g. 146550000 for 146.550 MHz).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4199. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-05 22:53:39 UTC
From: Jack Prindle
Topic: 4196 Message: 4199

Try the DSTAR COMMANDER image from W6KD. It works Great!

Read his instructions and follow them it is very easy to set up and get working, and very reliable.

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Sep 5, 2016, at 05:30, speedy-diesel@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi
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> Davy
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> G1LVH
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4200. Dvap Not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-06 19:46:38 UTC
From: ve3etg@...
Topic: 4200 Message: 4200

Hello

I had my dvap set up to a BBB running freestar software about 3years ago walk away from dstar for a while and came back and my BBB wouldn't turn on so I got a pi and installed dvap tools and it work for maybe two month and stopped working so I moved the dvap to my mac computer and the dvap is receiving my transmission but not transmitting to my radio is there a way to truble shoot this my dad said its not connecting to anything. please help

VE3ETG Thomas

4201. Re: Dvap Not working

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-06 19:52:09 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4200 Message: 4201

Hi Thomas. Some 3rd party software has a problem where it resets your calibration data on the DVAP. This will put it off frequency. You might try to move the frequency of your radio up/down by 5/10 kHz (while not changing the frequency in DVAPTool). If that works, we can recalibrate your DVAP. You will see the MY/UR/RPT1/RPT2 fields in DVAPTool show data if you are on frequency.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4202. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-07 21:09:08 UTC
From: speedy-diesel@...
Topic: 4196 Message: 4202

Hi Jack

Excellent call, thanks for the pointer in the right direct.

Now have the Pi & commander up and running.

The D-star learning curve commences !!

Thanks again for the assistance

Davy
G1LVH

4203. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-07 23:32:09 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4196 Message: 4203

You very welcome. Glad I could help. 73''s. Hope to hear u on the reflector.

On Sep 7, 2016 7:07 PM, "speedy-diesel@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hi Jack
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4204. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-07 23:50:02 UTC
From: AB4WSNEWS
Topic: 4196 Message: 4204

No problem glad to help.

Need anything else yell!

73 De ab4ws

Sent from my iPhone 6+

> On Sep 7, 2016, at 17:09, speedy-diesel@hotmail.co.uk [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4205. DVAP and ID51A+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-11 12:36:40 UTC
From: larry@...
Topic: 4205 Message: 4205

My DVAP and ID 51A+ yesterday.

The Dongle is registered as HK2LS with a space in the first field and the DVAP Tool 1.04 matches with just HK2LS. When I transmit on the ID-51 I see red bars on the tool go to the right so the radio link is working. I am not sure the DVAP Tool is registered on the DStar Network. I don't see the "Listening too HK2LS"" nor anything for MY/UR/R1 or R2.

I do see “Finished reading from name server” and Dstar name server text message received ->You are running the latest version of DVAPTool.

I am not sure how to do this part – I don’t see a URCALL to enter all this into the radio? Where exactly in the ID 51 do I input this information?

Enter the following values in the URCALL field on your radio:

"DVAP I" (request voice ID from the DVAP)

"DVAP E" (key down and speak for echo test)

"CQCQCQ " (transmit to a connected system)

"xxxxxxmL" (to link, replace XXXXXX with the gateway or

reflector callsign making sure to use 6

characters filling the end with spaces as needed.

Replace the "m" in the 7th character with the module

to which you wish to link. Use "L" in the 8th

character to indicate the Link command. For

example, to link to Reflector 001 module C, use

"REF001CL" in URCALL. To link to gateway W4DOC

module A, use "W4DOC AL" in URCALL)

" U" (unlink from a linked gateway/reflector. Make sure the “U”

is in the eighth position of URCALL)

4206. Re: DVAP and ID51A+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-11 17:07:00 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4205 Message: 4206

Your DVAP may need some calibration. When you key up your radio, you don't see any data in MY/UR/RPT1/RPT1 ? If not, try changing the frequency of your radio up/down 5/10 kHz and key up to see if you see the data. If so, it is a simple process to recalibrate.

Send an email direct and I can walk you through it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4207. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP and ID51A+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-11 22:00:18 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4205 Message: 4207

Robin,I was able to get my 70 cm dvap dongle to work perfectly by setting my ID-31 to 445.9500 and my tools window to 445.9550.Bill - w5umq

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Sun, Sep 11, 2016 at 10:07 AM, aa4rc@interlabs.com [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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Send an email direct and I can walk you through it.
73,RobinAA4RC

4208. This is for Robin AA4RC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-12 22:42:24 UTC
From: n4ued@...
Topic: 4208 Message: 4208

Hello I am Chuck N4UED . A friend of mine KG4NVB Charles sent me his DVAP to test . I used the dvap utility tool and it appears to be on frequency . I linked it using dv tools to reflector 1 c . I could see when someone was transmitting , however no audio came through . The call signs appeared and everything seemed normal except what I stated above . I connected my dvap and it worked correctly . He said that using his 31 he had to push the monitor button on the side for audio to come through . This did not work for me . I only saw call signs of people talking . Is your address correct on QRZ so I can send this to you ?

I sent this to your amsat email Robin . My email is n4ued@arrl.net , Chuck N4UED

4209. Re: DVAP and ID51A+

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-12 19:11:03 UTC
From: larry@...
Topic: 4205 Message: 4209

Yes, setting the DVAPTool frequency 5000 Hertz higher than the radio solved the issue.

When I go to To Select I see Reflectors but not Repeaters?? Is there a way to load the ID-51+ with all the Reflectors (so I don't need to enter them) along with their locations and the repeaters on the TO SELECT screen??

73s HK2LS

4210. DVAP and Kenwood TH-D74

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-13 02:02:33 UTC
From: w6gps@...
Topic: 4210 Message: 4210

Played with the DVAP and Kenwood TH-D74 works great and DVAP has sold me on DSTAR Now with a radio and DSTAR on 220 how about making a DVAP on 220? See my Kenwood Demos at Don Arnold http://www.youtube.com/w6gps

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Don Arnold http://www.youtube.com/w6gps I have videos here of the Avmap APRS navigators search all these videos. I also have some Kenwood radios videos here too

View on www.youtube.com http://www.youtube.com/w6gps
Preview by Yahoo

Don W6gps

4211. Re: This is for Robin AA4RC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-13 03:13:03 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4208 Message: 4211

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=KG4NVB+

KG4NVB appears to not be registered on any DSTAR gateway.

Sent from an iPhone
Klaatu barada nikto

4212. Re: [DVAPDongle] This is for Robin AA4RC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-13 13:30:16 UTC
From: Larry Snyder
Topic: 4208 Message: 4212

Yes my address is correct on QRZ.

Yesterday I was able to connect to reflectors - it showed me as a remote user and listening.

A friend called me - her call appeared under last heard and her call to me came though my HT connected via the DVAP.

I attempted to call her back and nothing. She didn’t hear me and I never appeared under last heard. I could see myself though as being received on the DVAP when I hit the PTT on the radio.

As a side note at first the DVAP would not work - I needed to change the frequency between the DVAP and radio by 5000 hertz and it appeared to work then (with the exception of the above issue).

73s from Colombia.

Larry

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Larry Snyder, RN.ORG <http://rn.org/> - HK2LS
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> On Sep 12, 2016, at 5:42 PM, n4ued@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4213. Re: This is for Robin AA4RC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-13 14:15:38 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4208 Message: 4213

I show that they are registered:

USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[KG4NVB] [KI4WXS]

TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
[KG4NVB] [KI4WXS A]

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4214. Re: This is for Robin AA4RC

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-14 09:17:35 UTC
From: ka8scp@...
Topic: 4208 Message: 4214

There was an extraneous + added to the end of the call sign you were checking. When it was removed, the callsign showed up properly as registered.
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=KG4NVB
https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=KG4NVB

4215. Mac OS Sierra

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-14 15:28:31 UTC
From: Larry Snyder
Topic: 4215 Message: 4215

With my DVAP dongle connected to my MacBook Retina Pro under Sierra OSX 10.12 the dongle works for maybe 12 minutes then the dongle quits working and DVAP Tools can’t find the device thus the LED on the dongle is no longer flashing blue. The MacBook Pro is not going to sleep.

If I unplug the USB cable then plug it back in things for another random amount of time.

Larry

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Larry Snyder, RN.ORG, SA - HK2LS

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4216. New DVAP user!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-14 20:17:55 UTC
From: jdfreed@...
Topic: 4216 Message: 4216

Just received a DVAP (VHF) will set it up soon. Looking forward to learning from this group on setup and use.

Thanks!!!

John

4217. Re: Mac OS Sierra

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-15 14:11:45 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4215 Message: 4217

Hi Larry. You need to disable App Nap on the Mac.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4218. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mac OS Sierra

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-15 14:17:39 UTC
From: eusmsrs@yahoo.com
Topic: 4215 Message: 4218

I had the same problem, go in under applications, then info on the DVAP app, and tick the box “prevent app nap”

Mats

> On Sep 14, 2016, at 10:28 AM, 'Larry Snyder' larry@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4219. Re: [DVAPDongle] Mac OS Sierra

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-15 15:22:35 UTC
From: Jack Prindle
Topic: 4215 Message: 4219

Check and see if you have disabled app nap for that application.

73 de AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

> On Sep 14, 2016, at 11:28, 'Larry Snyder' larry@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4220. Re: Mac OS Sierra

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-16 22:48:35 UTC
From: ke4qdc@...
Topic: 4215 Message: 4220

my dvap program is in the Downloads folder. How do I get to the app nap setting?

4221. Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 14:42:37 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4221

Arrgghhh.....

I'm gonna throw this damn iPhone 6 plus through my office window and then, using the window, the DVAP, Raspberry pi and my ID-51A Plus

sorry having a moment there folks

I cannot for the life of me get my DVAP to work at all with my iPhone hot spot. I see Personal Hotspot: 1 Connection flashing in the blue bar on my iPhone but the Lady still tells me 'Not Connected' (Hmm maybe I'll push her out the window along with Siri?)

I've turned it on off sideways. Nothing.

I'm using the Commander software on my RPi 3b with innate Wifi.

Works great with my home Wifi. Deader than Kelsey's nutz with the iPhone. Setup iPhone as the highest priority connection. Help me Obi Wan, your'e my only hope

4222. Re: DVAP Drops Link & HH Pairing

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 16:54:32 UTC
From: redbone777@...
Topic: 4174 Message: 4222

Exact same issue down here in Florida. CLOSE and OPEN re-establishing connection and all is ok for a few minutes and then it dropped everything, yet continues to display OPEN. Using MAC OSX Intel. Any one have any insight with this problem?

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <gwbiam@...> wrote :

I have been having same issue here in NJ DVAP unlinking itself.It began to unlink itself after a few minutes about a week ago. Using Linux Ubuntu 14.04. what OS is being used Dave 73 John K2FT

4223. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 21:44:14 UTC
From: Rogers's
Topic: 3552 Message: 4223

Try naming your iPhone with two or three letters/numbers, such as "MYI" or your initials or something short.
Had the same issue with my iPhone 6plus. After name change it seems to work fine now will connect without issues.

Sent from my iPhone, KG7SWD

> On Sep 17, 2016, at 7:42 AM, bxcowboy@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4224. Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 21:59:41 UTC
From: laseterj@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4224

Make sure that your iPhone name does not contain any special characters, such as Joe's iPhone... use, as an example, Joes iPhone. I had this problem with the ' character, so maybe this will help.

4225. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 22:03:49 UTC
From: Phil Harbeck
Topic: 3552 Message: 4225

This from previous posts is not a Rasberry Pie issue it is Iphone this is what I found to fix this problem,1. Before using Hotspot and Rasberry Pie turn it on only 1 or 2 minutes before powering up.2. If possible only use Hotspot on Iphone dedicated to Rasberry Pie if you cant then switch off 10 minutes before using Rasberry Pie.It appears not always but most of the time the Iphone is listening to other things Bluetooth can be a huge factor here.All so the most power fullest WIFI can out weigh a less signal from your Iphone in other words it best to set the hotspot where there is no other more powerful WIFI signals in today worldthats very hard you may not notice the WIFI of neighbours or even a car parked to you may have stronger signal than your hot spot.This is what I found and if steps taken you shouldnt have any trouble with Iphone 6 also it can be slow getting the lady to say connected that may be because of ircddb.net is harder for mobile network to get to so time may be needed.
I be pleased to hear other comments on this.
Best regards

Phil VK3PG

From: "bxcowboy@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, 18 September 2016, 0:42
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

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4226. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 20:55:55 UTC
From: Bret Smith
Topic: 3552 Message: 4226

I usually reboot the Pi after establishing the Wifi connection. Program the reboot command into your ID-51 and after 30 secs try connecting.

Bret

W4HBS

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, September 17, 2016 10:43 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Arrgghhh..... <https://s.yimg.com/ok/u/assets/img/emoticons/emo30.gif>

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4227. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-17 23:07:47 UTC
From: Dennis
Topic: 3552 Message: 4227

That's Apple for you, complete garbage, but a cult following

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> 1. Before using Hotspot and Rasberry Pie turn it on only 1 or 2 minutes before powering up.
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4228. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 01:09:17 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 3552 Message: 4228

What is your call sign.

Sent from an iPhone
Klaatu barada nikto

4229. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 02:06:23 UTC
From: Warren M
Topic: 3552 Message: 4229

Thanks. I'll give it a try right away. I have to redo the Commander config file to match the new name. Thanks. I'll Follow up with the outcome

"People sleep peaceably in their beds at night only because rough men stand ready to do violence on their behalf."
George Orwell

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4230. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 00:48:38 UTC
From: Jack Prindle
Topic: 3552 Message: 4230

Make sure there are no special characters in the SSID of your iPhone like the ' or - the raspberry pi will only allow alpha and numeric characters.

73 De AB4WS,

Jack

Sent from my iPad

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4231. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 12:54:06 UTC
From: Warren M
Topic: 3552 Message: 4231

W1WRM-wild radio monkey ☐

"People sleep peaceably in their beds at night only because rough men stand ready to do violence on their behalf."
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> Sent from an iPhone
> Klaatu barada nikto
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4232. Re: [DVAPDongle] WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 14:55:51 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 3552 Message: 4232

Yeah, cuz if you put a special character somewhere that the software doesn’t like, then that will make your iPhone complete garbage & you may as well throw it in the trash, which of course would make a dumpster diver exceedingly happy.

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

Sent from my MacBook, since my iPhone & iPad are napping in their charging stands.

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> Jack
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>> sorry having a moment there folks
>>
>> I cannot for the life of me get my DVAP to work at all with my iPhone hot spot. I see Personal Hotspot: 1 Connection flashing in the blue bar on my iPhone but the Lady still tells me 'Not Connected' (Hmm maybe I'll push her out the window along with Siri?)
>>
>> I've turned it on off sideways. Nothing.
>>
>> I'm using the Commander software on my RPi 3b with innate Wifi.
>>
>> Works great with my home Wifi. Deader than Kelsey's nutz with the iPhone. Setup iPhone as the highest priority connection. Help me Obi Wan, your'e my only hope
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>
> Posted by: Jack Prindle <ab4wsnews@...m <mailto:ab4wsnews@...>>

4233. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 15:51:54 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4233

What is your callsign, the OM having problems with the iPhone and pi.

Thanks

WA6JFK

4234. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 16:35:52 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4234

Does this connectivity issue come up on any/every gateway you attempt to connect to?

If you are using DSTAR commander, have you tried updating your hosts file?

And I am assuming that if you connect the Rpi to another internet source everything works ok?

Not sure if feasible, but I have also been able to use my iphone via USB connection to the pi for dstar gateway activity.

Keep us posted.

WA6JFK

4235. Finally Figured it out!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-18 18:55:08 UTC
From: rayden@...
Topic: 4235 Message: 4235

After a few hours of pulling out my hair to get my DVAP Dongle to work, I finally tried on my iMac. I could not get to work with windows 10 or windows 7 on an Acer so I said what the heck. Dongle works on iMac. My other problem was connecting to repeaters. Reflectors were easy. When I figured it out it was pretty simple. To everybody, just have a little (LOT) of patience you will get it. After about 3 minutes unconnected the Dongle seems to go to sleep, but if connected it does not. Also do not let computer go to sleep mode or screen saver mode to it will also go to sleep. I just move the mouse every little bit it will stay connected.

Just my observations,

73
Roger
KC0NDR

4236. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-19 00:30:29 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4236

W1WRM

4237. Re: [DVAPDongle] WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-19 00:31:31 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4237

I made sure to pick a three letter name, no characters or spaces either.

4238. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-19 00:38:35 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4238

"Before using Hotspot and Rasberry Pie turn it on only 1 or 2 minutes before powering up."

Turn on the Hotspot for 1-2 minutes before powering up the RPi?

4239. Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-19 00:43:11 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4239

Well I got it to work tonight but damned if I know how. I wiped the micro SD card clean, re flashed Commander then configured it JUST to use the hotspot, unlike before when the Hotspot had priority followed by WIFI. Turned it off then on then off and FINALLY I'm connected. But I don't feel its all that reliable. Who knows???

4240. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-19 00:54:40 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4240

Yes, my hotspot is named FBI, ehehe

4241. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-19 00:35:50 UTC
From: bxcowboy@...
Topic: 3552 Message: 4241

That's a good idea. I haven't programmed any DVAP commands into the radio yet. How did you do it? Did you use the programming software? Could I see an example or could you refer me to a webspot wth an example? Thanks

4242. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-20 12:23:46 UTC
From: Phil Harbeck
Topic: 3552 Message: 4242

Latch on to Iphone wifi hot spot

For those who have Iphone and want to latch on to Iphone hotspot through using Commander image and raspberry pie may find this helpful.

If you find the Iphone wifi hot spot is not connecting to raspberry pie on boot up through WIFI here are few solutions.

1. I have found here RJ45 land line to the rasberry pie works first time every time on boot up ircddbgateay is near instant use.

2. House WIFI being so strong or most are the same result as above.

3. With Commander image and raspberry pie wanting to latch on to your Iphone may appear to some times work sometimes don't.

The best way for first time latch with iphone in portable situation is to only switch on Iphone hot spot 2 minutes before booting up commander image and raspberry pie

failing to do so will and can cause failure to latch to hot spot on Iphone.

It appears you can leave a Iphone hotspot on all the time but I am sure either:

The Rasberry pie can't Ack to the Iphone hot spot or reading from previous article in an other forum the Iphone on long durations of in activity may go in some hidden

power save mode all though the beacon of Iphone shows different blue tooth seems to make it worse.

You can if you wish use the USB cable from Iphone to the normal USB ports to the rasberry Pie it does work well and appears stable.

It maybe to the Rasberry pie has poor selectivity in WIFI if stronger hot spots are near but a perfect first-time latch with hot spot on a iphone
2 minutes before booting up the commander image and raspberry pie.

A lot are saying if you reboot second time around a perfect latch takes place I found this to every time with my Iphone.

I can only speak from my experience that when using a mobile device it takes a while for it to complete to the IRcddbgateway with RJ45 and reliable home internet it always faster.

If you havent got these commands you should have them to control the Commander image and raspberry pie by

Talk

Reboot

Shutdown

Echo

Hostupdt

Cleanup

These are the commands to Commander image and raspberry pie in your call sign area only.

Special note: Shutdown is preferred method always of shutting down Commander image and raspberry pie it only takes 30 seconds to shutdown before

turning off power and keep your image clean on SD card.

Best regards

Phil VK3PG

From: "bxcowboy@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, 19 September 2016, 10:35
Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

That's a good idea. I haven't programmed any DVAP commands into the radio yet. How did you do it? Did you use the programming software? Could I see an example or could you refer me to a webspot wth an example? Thanks

4243. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-20 15:11:39 UTC
From: Warren M
Topic: 3552 Message: 4243

Thanks for that informative treatise. I wasn't aware I could hook up the iPhone to the RPi directly. I have noticed using the Commander commands helps as does turning the iPhone on AFTER letting the RPi "warm-up" first. Thanks!

"People sleep peaceably in their beds at night only because rough men stand ready to do violence on their behalf."
George Orwell

> On Sep 20, 2016, at 8:23 AM, Phil Harbeck vk3pg@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Phil VK3PG
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> To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: Monday, 19 September 2016, 10:35
> Subject: RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: WiFi issue
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4244. Re: Finally Figured it out!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-22 19:41:27 UTC
From: bfrobisher@...
Topic: 4235 Message: 4244

If you GET INFO on the DVTOOL on Mac OSX and check the "Prevent App Nap" your DVTOOL won't keep going to sleep.

Is your Mac…taking an App Nap ???? | Australian D-Star Information
http://www.dstar.org.au/is-your-mac-taking-an-app-nap/

http://www.dstar.org.au/is-your-mac-taking-an-app-nap/

Is your Mac…taking an App Nap ???? | Australian D-Star...
http://www.dstar.org.au/is-your-mac-taking-an-app-nap/ Disable App Nap Feature In OS X Mavericks, Apple introduced a new feature called App Nap.

View on www.dstar.org.au http://www.dstar.org.au/is-your-mac-taking-an-app-nap/
Preview by Yahoo

You are also going to miss out on X-REFLECTORS and other stuff by using the Mac or Windows supplied software over something like DSTAR commander on a pi.

WA6JFK

4245. Newbie to Amateur Radio and D-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-09-29 12:25:40 UTC
From: njbonzi@...
Topic: 4245 Message: 4245

DVAP'ers

I am a newbie to amateur radio and D-Star. Recently, I purchased a 2m DVAP Dongle. I think that the installation of the drivers and DVAP tool went well, as indicated by the screen shot below:

However, I am not certain if the frequency is correct. Additionally, I am having difficulty pairing the DVAP Dongle with my ID-51A. Any and all help is greatly appreciated.

Of note, I am using OS X Sierra, and have disabled the app nap function for the DVAP tool.

Thank you!

Respectfully;

Neil
KC3HOG

4246. DVAP does not seem to key radio on receive

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-07 03:08:45 UTC
From: tech.warrior@...
Topic: 4246 Message: 4246

I have purchased a 70cm DVAP dongle and configured it with ICOM ID-51. I can link to a receiver via B and
I have checked dstarinfo website and I am shown connected to the reflector. The DVAPTool shows Connected to: REF037B.

I have noticed that following messages roll by on the "dos" window screen of the DVAPTool:

Remote system reported 2893 packets transmitted on stream 3a31.

I am under the impression that the reflector is receiving DSTAR voice packets so I should be able to hear
these on my connected radio.

Yet I hear no voice.

Any ideas ?

Walter Mangra

4247. New file uploaded to DVAPDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-09 16:00:01 UTC
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 3446 Message: 4247

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the DVAPDongle
group.

File : /DVAP for Rasberry Pi Autostart/MyChart - Medications.pdf
Uploaded by : ann_charles2001 <charlesann422@...>
Description :

You can access this file at the URL:
https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/files/DVAP%20for%20Rasberry%20Pi%20Autostart/MyChart%20-%20Medications.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
https://help.yahoo.com/kb/index?page=content&y=PROD_GRPS&locale=en_US&id=SLN15398

Regards,

ann_charles2001 <charlesann422@...>

4248. New file uploaded to DVAPDongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-09 16:03:52 UTC
From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 3446 Message: 4248

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the DVAPDongle
group.

File : /DVAP for Rasberry Pi Autostart/Raspberry PI DVAP 12-24-2012 small.pdf
Uploaded by : ann_charles2001 <charlesann422@...>
Description :

You can access this file at the URL:
https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/files/DVAP%20for%20Rasberry%20Pi%20Autostart/Raspberry%20PI%20DVAP%2012-24-2012%20small.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
https://help.yahoo.com/kb/index?page=content&y=PROD_GRPS&locale=en_US&id=SLN15398

Regards,

ann_charles2001 <charlesann422@...>

4249. Re: DVAP does not seem to key radio on receive

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-07 20:54:02 UTC
From: tech.warrior@...
Topic: 4246 Message: 4249

Additional info:
1) My call sign is KC3BWH
2) I have done and ECHO test and I can hear my transmitted voice coming back on the radio receiver.
3) I have check my dstar registration info(see below) and noted there are no definitions for 70 cm (B). Is that what is missing ?. How do I update the registration info if that is the issue:

Registration Information: Registr.Call Registration Server Date of Registration IP-Address-Pool KC3BWH http://www.qrz.com/db/KC3BWH W3EOC http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=W3EOC 2015-09-01 16:42:58 10.215.48.112-10.215.48.119

Activated Terminal-IDs: http://dstar.prgm.org/DStarTerminalIDs.html Device Call/ID Registration Server IP-Address Last Heard Repeater Gateway KC3BWH N W3EOC 10.215.48.113 2015-09-01 18:44:01 W3EOC A W3EOC KC3BWH W3EOC 10.215.48.112 2015-09-01 18:44:01 W3EOC A W3EOC Registration OK!

4250. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP does not seem to key radio on receive

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-09 16:11:40 UTC
From: Robin Cutshaw
Topic: 4246 Message: 4250

If you change the module in DVAPTool to "*", do you hear the conversations? Also, if a conversation is happening on "C", you won't hear it while listening to "B".

Do you have digital squelch turned on?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

On Fri, Oct 7, 2016 at 4:54 PM, tech.warrior@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> no definitions for 70 cm (B). Is that what is missing ?. How do I update
> the registration info if that is the issue:
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> *Registration Information:*
> Registr.Call Registration Server Date of Registration IP-Address-Pool
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> <http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=W3EOC> 2015-09-01 16:42:58
> 10.215.48.112-
> 10.215.48.119
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> *Registration OK!*
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73,

Robin
AA4RC

4251. DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-18 13:54:38 UTC
From: nm6e_dx@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4251

Good Morning,

I've been playing with the DVAP (440Mh version) connected to my MacBook and have been successful in connecting to various reflectors with my TH-D74. Also, having read the past threads on the APP NAP was very helpful in solving that issue. I've browsed around and looked at many YouTub videos to no avail with the following question.

My question is, can I connect to DSTAR repeaters using the DVAP?

If yes, what are some sample configs folks use on their radios that I should be transmitting to connect as I have no clue what to enter in the RPT1/RPT2 fields and how to force a "L" link if I am not sending a Link ? (due to bad configs!?)

Thanks,

Javier NM6E/5

4252. Re: Finally Figured it out!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-18 13:18:12 UTC
From: nm6e_dx@...
Topic: 4235 Message: 4252

What did you do to make it work using the DVAP to connect to actual repeaters? I am 3 days into "starting" my DVAP & MAC boondoggle and got the reflectors to work but no clue on what the settings on my radio should be to try (does it?) and connect to repeaters using the DVAP dongle and my TH-D74A from the simplex frequency of the DVAP.

Thanks from a newbie...

Javier NM6E/5

4253. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Finally Figured it out!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-18 19:59:33 UTC
From: Roger W. Long
Topic: 4235 Message: 4253

I use the RT systems software for my ID-51A. In the column that says your call sign put the repeater call sign with node then a L, XX0XXXCL or with 5 or 4 letter call sign X0XXX CL & X0XX CL. This will link you to the repeater. I hope this helps.

Roger
KC0NDR
> On Oct 18, 2016, at 8:18 AM, nm6e_dx@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Thanks from a newbie...
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> Javier NM6E/5
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4254. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Finally Figured it out!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-18 20:27:40 UTC
From: Barney D Corley
Topic: 4235 Message: 4254

Not sure for your particular radio, but in the "to" box dial in, type in
or whatever you do to select a dstar repeater. Following the repeater
call sign use a "C" for connect, the "U" for use. When done repete the
same process with "D" for disconect. When you use a repeater frequently,
store the call sign with the commands attached.

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Barney D Corley
bcorley@fastmail.net

On Tue, Oct 18, 2016, at 09:18 AM, nm6e_dx@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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Links:

1. https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/conversations/messages/4252;_ylc=X3oDMTJxZW5ia2R1BF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzM1NzUyMTYwBGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARtc2dJZAM0MjUyBHNlYwNmdHIEc2xrA3JwbHkEc3RpbWUDMTQ3NjgxNjQ1OQ--?act=reply&messageNum=4252
2. mailto:nm6e_dx@...?subject=Re%3A%20Finally%20Figured%20it%2-0out%21%21
3. mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com?subject=Re%3A%20Finally%20Figur-ed%20it%20out%21%21
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5. https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/conversations/topics/4235;_ylc=X3oDMTM1dXMwbHA5BF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzM1NzUyMTYwBGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARtc2dJZAM0MjUyBHNlYwNmdHIEc2xrA3Z0cGMEc3RpbWUDMTQ3NjgxNjQ1OQR0cGNJZAM0MjM1
6. https://yho.com/1wwmgg
7. https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/info;_ylc=X3oDMTJmam50ZTZoBF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzM1NzUyMTYwBGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARzZWMDdnRsBHNsawN2Z2hwBHN0aW1lAzE0NzY4MTY0NTk-
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9. https://info.yahoo.com/privacy/us/yahoo/groups/details.html
10. mailto:DVAPDongle-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com?subject=Unsubscribe
11. https://info.yahoo.com/legal/us/yahoo/utos/terms/

4255. Re: [DVAPDongle] Finally Figured it out!!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-19 00:18:51 UTC
From: Roger W. Long
Topic: 4235 Message: 4255

I key up upon the repeater or reflector stored in my radio then go to the KC0NDR T to transmit on that repeater or reflector then if nobody answers I go to KC0NDR to unlink through my DVAP.

Roger KC0NDR
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4256. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-19 16:51:22 UTC
From: Bob Stephens AF9W
Topic: 4251 Message: 4256

Most repeater owners would prefer that you don't connect to the repeater but to the reflector the repeater is connected to. I would check with the repeater owner before connecting to it.

Bob AF9W

4257. Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-20 00:09:32 UTC
From: jlinthacum@...
Topic: 4196 Message: 4257

I'm about to head down this same road and am at about the same skill level as Speedy above. Any suggestion on which flavor of PI to get? Is there a particular starter package at or elsewhere you'd suggest?

Thanks
Jon

4258. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-20 01:50:51 UTC
From: Pat Elam
Topic: 4196 Message: 4258

For no other reason get RPi 3 model 3. It is the newest version and the fastest. It is capable of running the visual so version with ease.

Sincerely
Pat Elam
sqlcraft@...<mailto:sqlcraft@...>

On Oct 19, 2016, at 8:10 PM, jlinthacum@...<mailto:jlinthacum@...> [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:

I'm about to head down this same road and am at about the same skill level as Speedy above. Any suggestion on which flavor of PI to get? Is there a particular starter package at or elsewhere you'd suggest?

Thanks
Jon

4259. Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-25 16:07:42 UTC
From: photojon@...
Topic: 4196 Message: 4259

Thanks Pat. I received my RPi 3 yesterday and hoping to make headway tonight.

73
Jon

4260. Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-26 06:18:57 UTC
From: wilburn@...
Topic: 4196 Message: 4260

FWIW - I was unable to get the Maryland image to load or work with the Pi 3 and after some research selected the W6KD Commander image. Make sure to select the DVAP image and not the DVMEGA image.

For me it has been rock solid and connected 24/7

Here is the link. 73, Gary W8VI

DStar Commander Image Public Release--Download links here | The W6KD Forum
http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download

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View on w6kd.boards.net
http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download
Preview by Yahoo

4261. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-26 22:17:58 UTC
From: Jon Linthacum
Topic: 4196 Message: 4261

Thanks for the link Gary!

Is the Commander Image, just the "DVAP controller" software or does it contain the Raspbian Jessie "flavor" of Linux as well. Or restated differently, do I need to have Linux up and running on my Pi3 before I install Commander. I see it says that Commander was "rebuilt on the Raspbian Jessie OS" so I'm not sure if that means it includes the OS or not.

Thanks again for the great coaching!
Jon

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DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4262. Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-27 03:54:07 UTC
From: photojon@...
Topic: 4196 Message: 4262

Gary,

I had replied earlier but not sure why that post isn't showing up on the yahoo group.

I wanted to pass along a huge thank you. Previously I had never even applied power to a Raspberry Pi before, and simply followed the instructions at the DStar Commander website you pointed me to above and then the readme files from the downloads. Net-Net, I was able to boot and run Dstar repeater in under 30 minutes from the time I started.

For other ls
newbies following this thread, the Commander image in the link above contains EVERYTHING you need to get up and running. It wasn't clear to me that it also included the Raspberian OS/Kernal but it indeed does.

While I am able to send commands via my radio to the DVAP, for some reason, I'm not able to Link to a repeater or reflector using the same "radio memories" that worked when my DVAP was connected to my macbook.

I'll start reading other threads but appreciate if there might be something obvious in moving from a MAC to RPi with a DVAP.

Thanks and 73
Jon

4263. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-27 16:21:47 UTC
From: Gary Wilburn
Topic: 4196 Message: 4263

Jon,

I think Yahoo or approvals are running a little slow today and am having the same issue.

Just curious, in your radio’s memory are the reflectors set up as Simplex or Duplex? I’m using W4RT software and have reflector memories set to Simplex.

On your Gateway config screen does it show that you are connected? Might want to check again the Gateway config settings.

Also, check the D-Star Repeater config file / Call sign – is it showing Simplex?

Another way to quickly connect to various reflectors without transmitting is by using the ircDDB Remote app on your phone or tablet. It can be downloaded for free at the Apple or Android app stores. Then all you need to do is Enable remote at ircDDB Gateway config file / Remote and chose a port number and password. The app also needs your LAN address for the RPi.

73, Gary

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 26, 2016 11:54 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Raspberry Pi 3 & Maryland Image

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Thanks and 73

Jon

4264. DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-29 22:26:07 UTC
From: morganpalmer1@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4264

I am using DVAP Dongle with a Macbook Pro. Back when I first started using the dongle last year, I remember having an issue with the dongle going back to sleep mode (green pulsating light) despite being connected using DVAP Tool and even when listening to a QSO.

I recall there being a setting in my Mac that keeps the dongle "awake" or "alive", so to speak, so it does not go into sleep mode. I can't find where it is!

Exasperated, I'm asking for help! I've used both of my DVAP Dongles and they both disconnect and go back to sleep mode after a minute or three so I know it's not the dongle. Thanks very much.

73 de K5TVT, Morgan

4265. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-30 00:22:03 UTC
From: Yahoo
Topic: 4264 Message: 4265

Go in to the app and turn off app nap.

Mats
N5AEE

> On Oct 29, 2016, at 5:26 PM, morganpalmer1@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> 73 de K5TVT, Morgan
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4266. Problem with new D-Star registration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-31 01:09:09 UTC
From: garymuhonen@...
Topic: 4266 Message: 4266

I'm just getting into D-Star and I registerd a week ago on D-StarUsers.org at a local repeater that was listed there. The owner never processed my request and has not responded to emails. It there another way that I should try registering? Can you recommend an active repeater where I can be registered more quickly?
Thanks!

4267. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem with new D-Star registration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-31 02:11:29 UTC
From: Jerry Wade
Topic: 4266 Message: 4267

Try NA5AA

Jerry - KG5JBC

Sent from my iPhone

> On Oct 30, 2016, at 8:09 PM, garymuhonen@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Thanks!
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4268. Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem with new D-Star registration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-31 20:26:34 UTC
From: W9WHF4-gmail
Topic: 4266 Message: 4268

Jarry:
Drop a note to Robin Cutshaw (aa4rc@...)
He is one of the co-inventors and proprietors of the company that makes the DVAP and he is arguably the most knowledgeable D*Star resource in the U.S.
He straightened out my registration (self made) debacle a few years ago.
Nice guy too.
(Thanks again Robin)

Garry
W9WHF
From: Jerry Wade jerrywwade56@... [DVAPDongle]
Sent: Sunday, October 30, 2016 9:11 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com

Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Problem with new D-Star registration

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Thanks!

This email has been checked for viruses by Avast antivirus software.
https://www.avast.com/antivirus

4269. Re: Problem with new D-Star registration

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-10-31 14:00:51 UTC
From: garymuhonen@...
Topic: 4266 Message: 4269

Thanks Jerry... That worked at W5HCT

4270. Raspberry Pi 3 with DVAP repeater module not starting up

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-11-11 03:50:04 UTC
From: <orion_519@...>
Topic: 4270 Message: 4270

I have 2 identical units

Raspberry Pi 3 with DVAP using the Western D-Star Software
But have different Callsigh and frequencies on each

On one of them, it all works fine

But on the other, the repeater module of the software does not wan to startup when the DVAP is connected, and when it is connected, the flashing green light on the DVAP

I tried swapping DVAP’s with one another and it is still not starting up on the same Raspberry Pi 3

I’ve tried different USB ports, different USB cables.

Tried reimaging the MicroSD card 3 times to start over from scratch.

Yvon

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

4271. DVAP dongle w Windows 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-11-11 12:30:09 UTC
From: larry@...
Topic: 4271 Message: 4271

So I can't get the red Dongle to work on my machine here running windows 10.

I downloaded bonjour

I installed the executable drivers for Windows 10.

I look at Devices and plug n the Dongle and I see it as USB Serial Port (COM2)

Under Universal Serial Bus controllers I see the device at USB Serial Converter.

I tried updating the drivers for USB Serial Converter and USB Serial Port and am told I have the latest driver.

I see no Yellow marks under devices

Yet DTools doesn't find the device (which is flashing a green LED).

Ideas?

4272. Re: DVAP dongle w Windows 10

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-11-11 14:28:02 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4271 Message: 4272

I would download the FTDI drivers drivers directly from ftdichip.com and install them. Then reboot.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4273. DVAP in my Car

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-01 11:32:07 UTC
From: Wolfgang Haugk
Topic: 4273 Message: 4273

Greetings,

I have setup a DVAP in my car with all the necessary attachments to make it work. I will be running an ICOM ID-880H mobile, at the factory min. 5 watts to power through a dual band high gain 2m / 70cm mag mount antenna centrally located on the roof of my Honda CRV.

Question: I am told by many of my electronic techs friends and HAMS that my 5 watt tx output from the ID-880H will burnout the front end of the DVAP. If this true and if so, are there any solutions other than a dummy load in replacement of the mag mount antenna?

Your thoughts, guidance and assistance will be very appreciated given that many internet searches do not address this issue.

Wolfgang Haugk K4WHH

Sent from my iPad

4274. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP in my Car

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-02 14:51:33 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4273 Message: 4274

Don't believe that is true. I run a dv dongle for dstar in mobile and I use

a ID5100 dual band radio on 5 watts lowest power for dstar. I also run a Larsen mag mount on a 2016 kia Sorento, though mine is located toward the rear of the car. Being doing it for two years now no problem with the dongle.

On Dec 1, 2016 10:15 AM, "Wolfgang Haugk whaugk@... [DVAPDongle]" < DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Sent from my iPad
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4275. DVAP is DR mode for Kenwood

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-04 01:45:22 UTC
From: w6gps@...
Topic: 4275 Message: 4275

I was using the RB Pie with DHAP and I was able to get the Kenwood to talk to the Pie and DVAP no problem. During the programming using DStar commander it told me to enter my call then add a B an the end of the call sign
When I added the DVAP freq / my call W6GPS B then my call in the gateway I was able to use the DR mode. I had used the Memory method to use the DVAP ....so I guess what I am asking is how do I make a entry in the edit Repeater list (DR repeaters) the format offsets ect....thanks Don W6gps

PS what I want to do is use the computer /DVAp and not use DHAP

Don W6gps

4276. Re: DVAP is DR mode for Kenwood

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-04 14:21:47 UTC
From: Bob Stephens AF9W
Topic: 4275 Message: 4276
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I set up a friends D74 to access my DVAP/RPI combo. I use a 2M DVAP so I set it up as:

It seems to work fine. In case the attachment doesn't' come through the settings were:

Callsign AF9W C

Gateway AF9W G

Frequency 147.44

Shift Plus

Offset 0.000

Bob AF9W

4277. Re: DVAP is DR mode for Kenwood

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-04 19:02:52 UTC
From: w6gps@...
Topic: 4275 Message: 4277

thanks I will give it a try

Don W6gps

4278. Re: DVAP is DR mode for Kenwood

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-04 19:03:38 UTC
From: w6gps@...
Topic: 4275 Message: 4278

I was looking at just using a laptop and not PIE.

Don

4279. Re: DVAP is DR mode for Kenwood

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-05 15:39:49 UTC
From: Bob Stephens AF9W
Topic: 4275 Message: 4279

It's a function of the software that you run. On the Pi I run G4KLX ircDDBGateway/dstarrepeater. If you are running the software from the DVAP website then you just code the repeater as a simplex frequency with no DUP.

Callsign AF9W C

Gateway AF9W G

Frequency 147.44

Shift None

Offset 0.000

Bob

4280. Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-12 18:52:33 UTC
From: lkellar@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4280

Turn "App Nap" off

4281. dvap shuts off

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-18 17:53:11 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4281 Message: 4281

hi

I've read the posts here about the dvap seemingly going to sleep but didn't fix it on mine, perhaps someone might suggest something obvious i overlooked?

I have the dvap and a MacBook and an iMac both running el capitan . when i run dvap on the iMac works great which btw is in my other place and using cablevision and a linksys router.

Down here at another location where I am using my MacBook and is a comcast area using same model linksys same dvap after about 10min the dvap blue blinking light goes off just the green is lit.

i did check screen saver to never , power nap leave hd on, prevent computer from sleeping in Energy saver.

anyone have any thoughts as to what I might check? or missed??

thanks

4282. Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-18 18:51:16 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4282

using dvap tool for mac . In the software itself I don't see any settings to control nap. Using the normal info panel to show the app where app nap is normally located I don't see it listed.

so how would i turn off just this app's nap setting?

thanks

4283. flag next to callsign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-20 20:06:04 UTC
From: bill2i0num@...
Topic: 4283 Message: 4283

hi any one no how to get northern ireland flag next to call sign on the dash board

4284. Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-22 02:18:38 UTC
From: photo2000a@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4284

anyone??

4285. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-22 14:31:39 UTC
From: eusmsrs@yahoo.com
Topic: 4264 Message: 4285

Go to applications in finder
look for you DVAP app / icon
Right click and select “get info”
turn on prevent app nap

> On Dec 21, 2016, at 8:18 PM, photo2000a@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> anyone??
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4286. Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-23 17:53:39 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4286

This works great on the DVAPTool 1.04. This version has been working great for me for years. Recently DVAPTool 1.05 was released. I am having the "going to sleep" problem with this new version. When you right click and elect "Get Info" the option to prevent app nap is not available. So far, I have not figured out how to change the app nap parameter on the new version. Anyone else having the problem with the app going to sleep with version 1.05?

For now, I have uninstalled 1.05 and re-installed 1.04 and confirmed the app nap setting was correct. 1.04 works great. I don't know what the differences are between 1.04 and 1.05 but my experience is that 1.04 works and 1.05 may have the issue with it going to sleep or some other behavior that causes a similar symptom.

Mark
WB5SLA

4288. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-24 20:35:43 UTC
From: Yahoo
Topic: 4264 Message: 4288

What's the new great stuff with 1.05? Vs. the older 1.04 version?

Mats

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4289. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-24 23:21:24 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4289

Version 1.05 adds support for the new 125cm (220MHz) version of the DVAP.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4290. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-25 01:05:09 UTC
From: Paul Preston
Topic: 4264 Message: 4290

It's on your iMac computer. You can adjust all your computers properties. Click on Power Saver which has a lightbulb icon. When you open up this icon you will see five items. The fourth item says App Nap. Uncheck this box. That's it.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 22, 2016, at 10:31 AM, 'eusmsrs@yahoo.com' eusmsrs@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4291. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-25 01:37:22 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 4264 Message: 4291

What Paul has mentioned is Power Nap, not App Nap. Unchecking it will mean that email retrieval and Time Machine backups won’t be done while the computer is sleeping.

The article at the link below has a good discussion of App Nap.

http://www.macessence.com/disabling-app-nap/
<http://www.macessence.com/disabling-app-nap/>

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

> On Dec 24, 2016, at 6:05 PM, Paul Preston paulgpreston@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> It's on your iMac computer. You can adjust all your computers properties. Click on Power Saver which has a lightbulb icon. When you open up this icon you will see five items. The fourth item says App Nap. Uncheck this box. That's it.
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> Posted by: Paul Preston <paulgpreston@... <mailto:paulgpreston@...>>

4292. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-25 15:20:54 UTC
From: Paul Preston
Topic: 4264 Message: 4292

Mark, the app nap switch is on your iMac.
1 click on the apple icon on your desktop upper left-hand corner.
2 Second item down on the menu system preferences. Click on this.
3 on the systems preferences menu second row you see a lightbulb that says energy saver. Click on this.
4 when the energy saver opens you have a selection of five boxes beginning with prevent computer from sleeping automatically when display is off. Leave this button alone. The last button says enable power nap. This item is automatically checked. All you have to do is on check the box.

That's it.
Paul NP4IA

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4293. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2016-12-26 11:52:42 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin
Topic: 4264 Message: 4293

Power Nap explained here; it is only in play while a Mac is asleep.
https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT204032 <https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT204032>

App Nap should not be confused with Power Nap <https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT204032>, a similarly named feature which allows your Mac to do things like download updates or create backups while suspended. The two features are unrelated.

The above is from this article.
http://www.howtogeek.com/277414/what-is-app-nap-is-it-slowing-down-my-mac-apps/

73 de Dennis KD7CAC
Scottsdale, AZ

> On Dec 25, 2016, at 8:20 AM, Paul Preston paulgpreston@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>
> Mark, the app nap switch is on your iMac.
> 1 click on the apple icon on your desktop upper left-hand corner.
> 2 Second item down on the menu system preferences. Click on this.
> 3 on the systems preferences menu second row you see a lightbulb that says energy saver. Click on this.
> 4 when the energy saver opens you have a selection of five boxes beginning with prevent computer from sleeping automatically when display is off. Leave this button alone. The last button says enable power nap. This item is automatically checked. All you have to do is on check the box.
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> That's it.
> Paul NP4IA
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> Sent from my iPhone
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> On Dec 23, 2016, at 1:53 PM, markn@... <mailto:markn@...> [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:
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>> This works great on the DVAPTool 1.04. This version has been working great for me for years. Recently DVAPTool 1.05 was released. I am having the "going to sleep" problem with this new version. When you right click and elect "Get Info" the option to prevent app nap is not available. So far, I have not figured out how to change the app nap parameter on the new version. Anyone else having the problem with the app going to sleep with version 1.05?
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>> For now, I have uninstalled 1.05 and re-installed 1.04 and confirmed the app nap setting was correct. 1.04 works great. I don't know what the differences are between 1.04 and 1.05 but my experience is that 1.04 works and 1.05 may have the issue with it going to sleep or

some other behavior that causes a similar symptom.
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> Posted by: Paul Preston <paulgpreston@yahoo.com>

4294. Version 105

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-02 19:22:08 UTC
From: rlkraatz1@...
Topic: 4294 Message: 4294

Since I installed the version 105 I cannot control the dialog box. I cannot move them or size them.

4295. ID-51a Plus with accessories

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-06 18:01:16 UTC
From: kg4wwh@...
Topic: 4295 Message: 4295

I have for sale a complete get on the air package.

Everything was purchased new on 5/28/2016 at HRO Salem NH except the DVAP.

Icom ID-51a Plus

RT Systems Programming software and cable

Speaker Microphone

CP-12L cigarette lighter plug (never opened)

Internet Labs DV Access Point 440

I recently moved from New Hampshire to Georgia and there is no DSTAR in the area.

Asking $675 or best reasonable offer.

Photos can be made available, I just dont have any at work.

email me direct at: KG4WWH at GMAIL . COM

73,
Adam
KG4WWH

4296. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-07 20:52:15 UTC
From: poundbrass@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4296

I thought I understood this App Nap business, but I now find that I am one of the bewildered. I was running 1.04 with some previous version of OS-X. I had gone to the Get Info menu and disabled App Nap. I updated the OS to Sierra, and I updated DVAPTool to 1.05. I went to the info tab where App Nap used to be. Its not there anymore.

Did 1.05 take it away or did Sierra? Does it still time out? I have attempted to test the time out, but have inconclusive results.

73 de Paul K1CGZ

4297. Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-08 17:42:31 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4297

I don't know any reason to use 1.05 when 1.04 works perfectly on Sierra. App Nap is available when running 1.04. I ended up installing 1.05 and reinstalling 1.04. everything works great.

As for 1.05, I don't know what fixes or features are in it vs. 1.04.

73,

Mark
WB5SLA

4298. Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-09 14:57:26 UTC
From: hamradio49@...
Topic: 4298 Message: 4298

Thanks for the add, Name is Chris K2HVE. I'm 4 days into D-Star and doing well considering all there is to learn. I have checked into reflectors and I'm experiencing a problem on Receive Audio. There are quick short breaks (hiccups)on receive audio. I did echo tests and it is there too. It definitely is on my end.
My Sig reports are perfect! I am running a new DVAP with a New 51a Plus radio. Anyone have an idea? Really need help on this one. thanks.
Being new, I'm slowly learning D-Star.
Chris K2HVE

4299. Re: Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-09 15:30:25 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4298 Message: 4299

Hi Chris. Make sure you don't have the weather channel set to be monitored. That will break your audio stream.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4300. Re: [DVAPDongle] Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-09 15:39:14 UTC
From: Gary Wallace
Topic: 4298 Message: 4300

This is Gary W6MAT

If you call me I can any questions you may have.

760-625-6891

On Jan 9, 2017 6:57 AM, "hamradio49@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4301. Re: [DVAPDongle] Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-09 21:41:53 UTC
From: hamradio49@...
Topic: 4298 Message: 4301

Thanks Gary, Really appreciate the help. I'll try a few suggestion and see if they work. If not Ill give you a call.
Chris

4302. Re: Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-09 21:50:08 UTC
From: hamradio49@...
Topic: 4298 Message: 4302

I did have the WX monitored, it is now off. Also I've turned off the GPS. Let's see what happens tonight on the Reflector SW PA 063C net. Appreciate all the help.
73

4303. Re: Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-09 22:11:15 UTC
From: hamradio49@...
Topic: 4298 Message: 4303

Thanks Robin! Ill do this first..
73 Chris

4304. Re: Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-10 03:29:11 UTC
From: hamradio49@...
Topic: 4298 Message: 4304

I took out WX monitoring and GPS is off. IT WORKED!!! Thanks to all who responded! 73, Chris K2HVE

4305. Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-10 17:43:36 UTC
From: jmacbops@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4305

Perhaps a silly question but I've searched and cannot find an answer. I have a DV-AP and it works pretty well. The challenge is operating the radio. I have an Icom ID-51A Plus and it works but the documentation is lacking, the display is tiny, there are few controls, and simple things like entering reflectors and nodes that aren't in Icom's pre-programmed list are difficult and can be tedious. I was able to listen and make contacts this weekend but the ID-51A isn't user friendly.

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Thanks! 73

4306. Re: [DVAPDongle] Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-10 20:23:02 UTC
From: Gary Wallace
Topic: 4305 Message: 4306

You program a simplex frequency in the radio and the same one in your DAVAO

W6MAT

On Jan 10, 2017 9:43 AM, "jmacbops@yahoo.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Thanks! 73

4307. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-11 11:28:16 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4307

You'll need the DVAPTool software.

File Downloads http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Downloads.html

File Downloads http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Downloads.html DVAPTool 1.05:
DVAPTool - Windows : http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPToolInstaller-1.05.exe
DVAPTool - MacOS X : http://www.dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-1.05-mac.dmg

View on dvapdongle.com http://dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Downloads.html
Preview by Yahoo

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

4308. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-11 11:34:59 UTC
From: dave@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4308

No, you cannot. The DVDongle has a chip inside that encode/decodes the digital stream into analog voice. The DVAP does not contained this chip because the radio does the encode/decode.

Dave

4309. Re: Breaks in Recieve stream

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-11 11:52:42 UTC
From: Chris
Topic: 4298 Message: 4309

After process of elimination it WAS the WX monitoring that was breaking up the Audio Stream.. Problem Solved. Thx Robin.
Chris K2HVE

4310. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-11 13:30:50 UTC
From: martyrmeyers@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4310

I am not sure your level of technical ability but if you are comfortable with tech one of the best things you could do is setup your DVAP with a Raspberry Pi. If you load something like the Maryland DSTAR image which includes IRCDDB then you could control reflector use, etc. through a tablet or phone. The interface for IRCDDB is pretty easy to use, you would just need to get everything setup in order to use it.

The Maryland DSTAR package is pretty easy to use and setup and there are good walk throughs available online. It would definitely be worth looking into.

73,

Marty
W5MRM

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <jmacbops@...> wrote :

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Thanks! 73

4311. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-12 16:04:45 UTC
From: jmacbops@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4311

I tried that and it didn't work. The DVAPtool program has no PTT for a mic connected to the laptop and the DVtool program does not recognize the DVAP dongle. I'm not surprised but it was worth asking.

4312. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-12 16:05:02 UTC
From: jmacbops@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4312

I may give that a try. Thanks!

4313. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-12 16:05:56 UTC
From: jmacbops@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4313

I hadn't thought of that. Makes sense. I'll have to purchase a DV dongle to get around using the radio. Will be nice to have both options anyway. Thanks!

4314. Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-12 16:09:51 UTC
From: jmacbops@...
Topic: 4305 Message: 4314

Thanks for the responses. For anyone wondering the same thing the answer is no. I tried installing the DVtool yesterday. It works but does not recognize the DVAP dongle is connected to the computer. I will probably purchase a non-AP DV dongle so that I have both options. That way I can use the HT around home and only have to take the DV dongle when I travel if I don't care to also bring the HT.

Thanks!

John KF5I

4315. DVAP & App Nap with SIERRA..

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-12 17:22:44 UTC
From: Javier NM6E
Topic: 4315 Message: 4315

FWIW,

I've been testing with 1.05 and 1.04 and have come to the same conclusion, 1.05 "goes to sleep" with Sierra while 1.04 goes on-&-on with no problems,

I've gone into system preferences, energy icon and modified the "Enable Power Nap" to no avail.

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Obviously if your running a lap top, that's not good if it's on batter power only…

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If you have it on an AC powered iMac/MacMini, the above is a workaround for what appears to be a feature NOT included/ developed in the DVAP code for ver 1.05.

YMMV…

Javer NM6E/5

4316. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Can I Use DVAP With Just A Laptop?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-12 18:15:04 UTC
From: Richard Kraatz
Topic: 4305 Message: 4316

That dvap will work good. I have used one for years. Did you try a different comm port?

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 11:09 AM, jmacbops@... [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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Thanks!
John KF5I

4317. Cannot set device receive frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-18 17:18:42 UTC
From: eemore@...
Topic: 4317 Message: 4317

New DVAP user here and am having difficulty setting up the dongle.

After imputing the Calsign and frequency into the DVAPTool application, I notice in the script window that a line reads: Cannot set device frequency. This makes sense because when I transmit with my TH-D74, I see the incomming signal strength in the DVAPTool but it is not hearing any Digital data from the Th-D74.

Any thoughts? I wonder if this DVAP is bad?

Ed

4318. Re: Cannot set device receive frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-18 22:17:47 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4317 Message: 4318

Hi Ed. Are you setting the frequency in Hz (no dots) and are you using a frequency in the range for the device? If so on both, send a screen shot showing both the graphical DVAPTool window and the text window.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4319. Cannot set device receive frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-19 01:35:44 UTC
From: eemore@...
Topic: 4317 Message: 4319

New user to DVAP.

When I input the frequency into the DVAPTool software, I get a line in the terminal window stating:" Cannot set device receive frequency".

Is this a bad unit or has someone else seen this?

The DVAPTool s-meter sees that I'm transmitting but none of the Digital info: My:, UR:, RPT1, RPT2, populates.

Thanks,

Ed

4320. Re: Cannot set device receive frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-19 01:44:08 UTC
From: eemore@...
Topic: 4317 Message: 4320
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi Robin,

Thank you for your reply.

Here is a screen shot of the software showing the error line.

4321. Re: Cannot set device receive frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-19 02:45:29 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4317 Message: 4321

Do you have this plugged directly into your PC or is there a hub in between?

Also, try changing the frequency to "445670000" and test with your radio on that frequency as well.

Robin

4322. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-19 15:57:21 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 4264 Message: 4322

For those of us who like to run the latest and greatest 1.05 on our DVAPs, is there a way to get to the app nap setting when Running 1.05 Sierra? As I am sure you know, the right click GetInfo with 1.04 exposes the Prevent App Nap setting. However, with 1.05 the setting is not available.

Thanks,

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WB5SLA

4323. New to DVAP and DSTAR...HELP!

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-19 21:17:54 UTC
From: adsitd@...
Topic: 4323 Message: 4323

Okay so I have a new Kenwood TH-D74a and DVAP both of which I am new to and have NEVER worked D-STAR. I registered both my call sign and my DVAP on the NV4FM website for DSTAR since there aren't any near me. Not sure what I'm doing (or not doing) that won't get me working. Anyone have any basic DVAP/DSTAR 101 type advice to get me kick started? Any help would be great!

Thanks and 73,
Dave
KG4BIR

4324. DVAP/DSTAR help for a beginner

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-19 22:13:46 UTC
From: adsitd@...
Topic: 4324 Message: 4324

I’m looking for some DSTAR/DVAP 101 elmer advice. I just got a Kenwood TH-D74a and DVAP but having an awful time connecting and I suspect it’s operator error. My callsign and DVAP are both registered with one of the local FM clubs on their DSTAR website. The repeater isn’t in range or my QTH (there are no DSTAR repeaters within range of me) so I’ve been trying to connect using my DVAP. It may just be beginner frustrations but any help someone can give to get me kickstarted would be great!

Thanks and 73,
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4325. Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-20 13:05:24 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 4264 Message: 4325

I encountered the same problem. My solution was to delete 1.05 and reinstall 1.04.

73 de K1CGZ

4326. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Dongle "goes to sleep" on Mac

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From: Javier NM6E
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4327. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP/DSTAR help for a beginner

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-20 14:38:35 UTC
From: W0TQ
Topic: 4324 Message: 4327

Have you seen the documentation at http://www.dstar101.com/DVAP.htm

What OS are you using?

Lou W0TQ

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From: Richard Kraatz
Topic: 4324 Message: 4328

If you are trying to connect to a repeater you cannot connect to a repeater. Connect to the list of reflectors that in a file of your radio. To connect to a repeater you would choose a repeater that is connected to a select reflector. I always connect to reflector 12 Alpha. 12 Alpha covers the southern half of California which is connected to about 14 repeaters. You need to purchase the book called "Nifty easy guide to d-star operation" (Third Editon). This book has everything you need to know about the D-star operation in a very easy to follow plain English guide.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Fri, Jan 20, 2017 at 9:38 AM, W0TQ w0tq@... [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Have you seen the documentation at http://www.dstar101.com/DVAP.htm

What OS are you using?

Lou W0TQ

On 1/19/2017 4:13 PM, adsitd@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:

I’m looking for some DSTAR/DVAP 101 elmer advice. I just got a Kenwood TH-D74a and DVAP but having an awful time connecting and I suspect it’s operator error. My callsign and DVAP are both registered with one of the local FM clubs on their DSTAR website. The repeater isn’t in range or my QTH (there are no DSTAR repeaters within range of me) so I’ve been trying to connect using my DVAP. It may just be beginner frustrations but any help someone can give to get me kickstarted would be great!

Thanks and 73,

Dave Adsit

KG4BIR

4329. 2M DVAP for sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-01-21 20:28:25 UTC
From: n4ued@...
Topic: 4329 Message: 4329

I have my 2m dvap for sale on ebay for 135 buy it now if interested . It goes off tomorrow .
Internet Labs D-Star DSTAR DVAP DV Access Point Dongle 2M DVAP | eBay http://www.ebay.com/itm/Internet-Labs-D-Star-DSTAR-DVAP-DV-Access-Point-Dongle-2M-DVAP-/132066820666?

http://www.ebay.com/itm/Internet-Labs-D-Star-DSTAR-DVAP-DV-Access-Point-Dongle-2M-DVAP-/132066820666

Internet Labs D-Star DSTAR DVAP DV Access Point Do... http://www.ebay.com/itm/Internet-Labs-D-Star-DSTAR-DVAP-DV-Access-Point-Dongle-2M-DVAP-/132066820666 The device is used for simplex operations, but it does connect to the gateway. The DVAP plugs into your Windows or MAC OS X computers via the computer's U...

View on www.ebay.com http://www.ebay.com/itm/Internet-Labs-D-Star-DSTAR-DVAP-DV-Access-Point-Dongle-2M-DVAP-/132066820666
Preview by Yahoo

4330. pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-04 20:19:57 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4330

yes this is all new to me, I have my pi 3 up and running raspian and cant for the life of me figure out how to get the dvap control loaded?
Am I making it to hard, can i install it through raspian or does it need to be added to the sd card.
Any help appreciated.

4331. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-05 01:10:42 UTC
From: Lee Swanson
Topic: 4330 Message: 4331

Have you considered running the DSTAR COMMANDER image file? The image comes complete with operating system and the dstar program is a spinoff of G4KLX and is "rock solid". It will run with or without a monitor and keyboard. It is by far the most popular image running a DVAP on the Raspberry Pi.

Sent by LEE (NR5G)
on his iPhone 6 Plus

On Feb 4, 2017, at 15:53, rrmacku@gmail.com<mailto:rrmacku@gmail.com> [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:

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4332. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-05 01:17:11 UTC
From: james
Topic: 4330 Message: 4332

http://www.westerndstar.co.uk/ here is other image
On 2/4/2017 5:10 PM, Lee Swanson nr5g@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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>>
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4333. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-05 01:21:19 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 4330 Message: 4333

And here is another http://maryland-dstar.org/html/raspiberry.html

-------- Original message --------From: "james jmsrandazzo@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> Date: 2017-02-04 6:17 PM (GMT-07:00) To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

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sd card.
Any help appreciated.

4334. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-05 15:39:27 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4334

the problem is these are all old versions. none work with my pi 3 and don't recognize my new 1.25cm dvap

4335. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-05 16:19:04 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4335

The official release is at dvapdongle.com/downloads/DVAPTool-1.06-rpi.tgz. If you search for NJ6N's raspberry pi installer, I think it uses that version (which works with 125cm DVAP).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4336. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-06 00:10:47 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4336

Brian's (NJ6N) installer is at http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html
http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html

Robin

4337. Re: [DVAPDongle] pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-06 00:30:58 UTC
From: Randy Macku
Topic: 4330 Message: 4337

Just got it running thanks to you!
Appreciate the help

On Sun, Feb 5, 2017, 6:11 PM aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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>
> Brian's (NJ6N) installer is at http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html
>
> Robin
>
>
>

4338. Re: Newbie to Amateur Radio and D-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-06 03:32:27 UTC
From: nvus01@...
Topic: 4245 Message: 4338

Neil,

Did you ever get an answer to your question - I have the exact same senerio, but on a PC. I have setup the DVAPtool and verified latest version, registered on DSTAR - now curious how to properly setup my ID51a Plus.

Any assistance you learned or recieved would be greatly apprieciated...

73'

Bobby
N7BBY

4339. Re: Newbie to Amateur Radio and D-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-06 13:57:18 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4245 Message: 4339

There have been several discussions in this group on setting up the 51. Look for posts by John Davis (wb4qdx).

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4340. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newbie to Amateur Radio and D-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-06 15:02:01 UTC
From: Erik Stirratt
Topic: 4245 Message: 4340

You might also check this you tube video out. Even though it is is slightly different programming software than what comes with the Id-51a, it showed me how to configur the radio for DSTAR.
https://youtu.be/ZAdizwHKpDI

73,
Rick AA9DU

Sent from my iPad

> On Feb 6, 2017, at 8:57 AM, aa4rc@interlabs.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> There have been several discussions in this group on setting up the 51. Look for posts by John Davis (wb4qdx).
>
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>

4341. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Newbie to Amateur Radio and D-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-07 01:21:05 UTC
From: nvus01@...
Topic: 4245 Message: 4341

Thank you

4342. Syntax to connect to a repeater , not Reflector ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-17 04:31:54 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4342 Message: 4342

Just installed a DVAP and works well with reflectors. How would I program an ICOM 51A using RT Sytsems software to like to an actual repeater, not a reflector ? Do I have to put anything in RPT 1 and RPT 2 ? Also, is it possible to do individual call routing with a DVAP ?

Andy K3UK

4343. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-17 05:56:05 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4343

But for those repeater owners that are OK with this, how do you dot it ? Andy K3UK

4344. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-18 02:43:07 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4344

You do it the same way as you would for a reflector -- callsign, band module, link verb, all in the URCALL field.

Remember that the first six characters are reserved for the callsign, so if the gateway's callsign is less than six characters you need to pad some spaces on the right to make it six characters. Add in the band module letter for character 7, and the "Link" verb "L" makes 8.

REF001CL
KC4YOZBL
AA0R BL

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

4345. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-18 03:12:49 UTC
From: maxwellld@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4345

Andy,

To link to a repeater you will put the repeater call sign in the UR field. Be sure to put the module letter in the seventh position and an L in the eighth position.

If you are using the DPLUS image you will leave RPT1 and RPT2 blank. I use the Commander image with the raspberry pi and RPT1 and RPT2 are left blank.

Good luck,
73,
Lew, KB5HPT

4346. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-18 20:15:22 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4346

Thanks Lew. I did put a C and an L in the URCALL field when I attempted to connect to KC3ESS, URCALL thus was "KC3ESSCL"

I am using DVAPTool software. Not sure what DPLUS is but will check.

Andy K3UK

4347. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-18 20:22:03 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4347

So, Ken if you were programming an icom 51A or 5100A for the KC3ESS repeater with a DVAP, what would your RPT1 and RPT 2 settings be ?

URCALL KC3ESSCL
RPT 1 (blank)
RPT 2 (blank)

or

URCALL KC3ESSCL
RPT1 DVAP
RPT2 DVAP

Andy

4348. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 04:51:48 UTC
From: Chris
Topic: 4251 Message: 4348

Easiest way is use RT programming software it sets it up for you! It sure helped me.Just my 2 cents..

4349. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 06:19:35 UTC
From: paishermann@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4349
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

hello folks,

I believe that something changed in the Jessie distribution, which the current installer is breaking.

I am running
- DVAP Tool 1.06
- DVAP dongle serial #AP752017
- logfile from /var/log is attached - from the working tool that is...

I just followed the instructions above (yesterday), and upon letting the PI3 boot, initialize the DVAP Tool, the dongle and giving it a minute to stability, I try to establish a link. In this case I am using REF001C as an example. My radio is an Icom ID51.

The command fails. The dongle reports "Remote system unlinked". The log file (on /var/log) says "gateway is busy" as the error message.

The only way I can get it to work is by killing the dvapcontrol process and the associated DVAPTool processes that are launched on the virtual screen, and then opening manually the DVAPTool...

I tried this both physically connected via keyboard and mouse, and via VNC from a Mac and from an iPad.

The behaviour is the same, which leads me to believe it's something not getting initialized properly, or an incompatibility with the latest and greatest Jessie version (4.4.38-v7+)

I did run apt-get update and apt-get upgrade therefore it's something in the libraries that is breaking the code.

Thanks for any help and pointers.

Regards

Hermann

4350. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 15:20:33 UTC
From: paishermann@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4350
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Follow-up to previous post...

and this is a log file with the DVAP not working... the autostarted one, following a fresh reboot.

Thanks for any guidance

Hermann

4351. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 18:59:34 UTC
From: Mike Anderson
Topic: 4251 Message: 4351

How did you do it w/RT?

On Sunday, February 19, 2017 9:40 AM, "Chris hamradio49@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

  Easiest way is use RT programming software it sets it up for you! It sure helped me.Just my 2 cents..

4352. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 19:03:43 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4352

Hmm, I missed the OBVIOUS, there is a special checkox for a DVAP in the RT software. Off to try now

4353. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 21:13:59 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4353
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Attached is a screen shot of how RT System writes the information when the DVAP box is checked. However, it does not work . I still receive "gateway unknown" . Reflections work fine. I trired two repeaters that I know allow linking when using an RF repeater to link to them.

Andy K3UK

4354. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-19 22:59:21 UTC
From: Richard Kraatz
Topic: 4251 Message: 4354

I tried linking to a repeater using a dvap and id5100-a and it does not work. I think that function is turned off by D-star administrator's. Linking to reflectors works fine.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android
Rich

On Sun, Feb 19, 2017 at 4:13 PM, andy@... [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Andy K3UK

4355. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-20 13:45:58 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4355

Thanks Rich. I have read reports that a DVAP DOES link to repeaters , and I see an implication within RT software that it can do this, but I think you are correct. Andy K3UK

4356. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-21 00:12:29 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4356

It would be nice to receive something definitive on this subject from the DVAP designers. Do they monitor this group ? I have read that it "might" be related to "Dstar Administrators" and i have also read that the "Gateway unknown" issue that i get when trying to link to a repeater (not reflector) is a fairly common DVAP software issue that may be a timing issue between the software and the dongle. Andy K3UK

4357. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-21 00:37:36 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4357

Ok, here is your definite response.

Some gateway admins allow connections from dongles/dvaps/hotspots, some don't. If they don't, you will get a "Remote system unlinked" response back, not "Gateway unknown".

The "Gateway unknown" message means "Gateway unknown". The dplus name server does not currently have a gateway with the the callsign you are using listed as active. You get a current load of active repeaters/reflectors every time you click "Open" on your device in DVAPTool.

It would help if you gave the value you are using for URCALL in your radio to link to a gateway that you are having a problem with.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4358. Weird Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-21 01:22:52 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 4358 Message: 4358

I am about to UHF hot spot. Can someone tell me what default frequency a DVAP is set to from the factory? Thanks!
Chip

4359. Re: [DVAPDongle] Weird Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-21 22:03:55 UTC
From: David Jolly
Topic: 4358 Message: 4359

443.500 works like a dam for me.

Dave
ve6ud
> On Feb 20, 2017, at 6:22 PM, chipmckcmo@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
>

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>
> Chip
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>
>

4360. Re: [DVAPDongle] Weird Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-21 22:47:46 UTC
From: Alan Blackwell
Topic: 4358 Message: 4360

Don't know but mine works fine on 444.3

Sent from my iPad

> On Feb 20, 2017, at 8:22 PM, chipmckcmo@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
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>
> Chip
>
>

4361. Re: Weird Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-22 02:19:00 UTC
From: Bill
Topic: 4358 Message: 4361

My DVAP works on whatever frequency that is entered into the DVAP tool program. I am running ver.1.05Bill N7PWC

Sent from my Verizon 4G LTE smartphone

4362. Re: [DVAPDongle] Weird Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-22 04:16:29 UTC
From: Brad
Topic: 4358 Message: 4362

DVAP are not programmed from the factory. they are set thru the
software that controls them to assign the frequency you want to use.

On 2/20/2017 8:22 PM, chipmckcmo@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
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> a DVAP is set to from the factory? Thanks!
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> Chip
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College Student Discovers The Fastest Way To Lose Weight!
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http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3131/58ad109d72e8b109c5a59st04duc

4363. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-21 14:56:08 UTC
From: K2HVE
Topic: 4363 Message: 4363

I have been using RT Software all along to link to repeaters no problem. Make sure you program the 8th character after the call sign for the command in the CQ column. Example "W3EOCBL". This is the W3EOC "B" as to the Module and "L" in the 8th character as to the command. Substitute CQCQCQ to make the call after linking .
U in the 8th (W3EOCBU) to unlink..

Chris K2HVE

4364. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 02:58:19 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4363 Message: 4364

Chris, can you try linking to KC3ESS or VE3PLF ? With a DVAP?
Andy K3UK

4365. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 03:02:29 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4365

Thanks Robin. I am not sure what you are describing relating to URCALL and "gateway unknown" . I am trying to link to a known repeater (KC3ESS) that is run by a friend who wants my to occasionally link to him. I have also tried to do the same with VE3PLF which is a repeater associated with the system that I registered with when first starting with DStar. Using RF repeaters I can link but not with a DVAP. At least the sysop of the KC3ESS repeater says I should be able to link, he has no known settings that rejects DVAP users.

In the URCALL field within RT Systems software I have tried "KC3ESSBL" or "/VE3PLFBL" formats but both give unknown gateway. Perhaps using your own DVAP you can give a try ?

Andy K3UK

4366. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 04:55:59 UTC
From: K2HVE
Topic: 4363 Message: 4366

Note: I should have left a space after the call and before module B to make L the 8th character.. W3EOC BL Or you could just count out 8 spaces and put your command -------L in the command column.

Sent from Chris K2HVE

4367. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 14:11:44 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4367

Hi Andy. KC3ESS is registered as a user, not a gateway. While VE3PLF is registered as a gateway, it is not currently functioning as such. The user VE3PLF is using a hotspot to access the dstar network.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4368. Dvap 220 with a Raspberry PI 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 16:09:17 UTC
From: pv2fv2ijttpgydjvanvhmoreuafdrhpciigj7sz6@...
Topic: 4368 Message: 4368

Hi I need help with my set up. I got the DVAP 220 and the raspberry Pi 3 working but it will not connect to a reflector. Can some one help me with this ? Frank

4369. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 22:11:24 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4369

Well that saves me a LOT of trouble shooting. MANY THANKS for this information. 73 de Andy K3UK

4370. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 22:13:44 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4370

Robin, what about the KD2LYO repeater in Mayville NY? Is that registered so that a DVAP user could access that repeater ?

Andy K3UK

4371. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-23 22:18:48 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4371

Sorry to bombard you with questions.... but can you explain why I can use VE3PLF repeater via RF on 70cm and then use a link command command from my radio to connect to the KC3ESS repeater but can access KC3ESS via DVAP? I would have assumed KC3ESS not being registered as a "gateway" would impact things whether it was RF or DVAP , no ?

Andy K

4372. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-24 00:42:52 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4372

That is also a user that is registered on the W3EXW repeater.

Robin

4373. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-24 00:44:16 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4373

VE3PLF is running a hotspot or software that looks like a hotspot. You could run your dvap in the same way and allow folks to use it. That wouldn't make it a repeater.

Robin

4374. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-24 02:22:33 UTC
From: andy@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4374

I may do that, thanks. DVAP is working on a laptop but now struggling with driver installs on the desktop with Win 10 machine. Part one of install of drivers goes OK, part two timeout an Windows eventually gives up on the install attempt. So, no com port shows up inDVAPtools for me to select. Will fiddle some more. Andy K3UK

4375. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap 220 with a Raspberry PI 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-24 19:11:36 UTC
From: David Jolly
Topic: 4368 Message: 4375

Make sure your call is registered!
Dave
Ve6ud
> On Feb 23, 2017, at 9:09 AM, pv2fv2ijttpgydjvanvhmoreuafdrhpciigj7sz6@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Hi I need help with my set up. I got the DVAP 220 and the raspberry Pi 3 working but it will not connect to a reflector. Can some one help me with this ? Frank
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4376. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap 220 with a Raspberry PI 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-02-24 19:31:51 UTC
From: Jeff Bishop
Topic: 4368 Message: 4376

Which image for the Pi are you running? Maryland, D-STAR Commander, Western? Depending on the image some of the reflector types may be disabled by default. Also, you may need to update the host file before you are able to connect.

Jeff VE6DV

>> On Feb 23, 2017, at 9:09 AM,
>> pv2fv2ijttpgydjvanvhmoreuafdrhpciigj7sz6@...
>> <mailto:pv2fv2ijttpgydjvanvhmoreuafdrhpciigj7sz6@...>
>> [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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4377. Why goes DVAP hang on transmit in like an FM mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-03 16:26:58 UTC
From: beischel@...
Topic: 4377 Message: 4377

My DVAP has been doing this for years and it is very annoying. At least once a week, it hangs on transmit (will do this on its own with me using it). The LEDs are showing both red and blue. Any of my DStar radios set to the DVAP frequency are receiving the DVAP, but it is flashing the FM indicating it is not receiving a digital signal. I have to reboot the RPi, or restart the application if it is attached to a Windows or Mac system.

Anyone know why this happens or what could be kicking it off into this condition?

For the first time the other day, while I was using the DVAP, it suddenly went into this condition.

Any help is appreciated.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

4378. Re: Why goes DVAP hang on transmit in like an FM mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-03 19:36:47 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4377 Message: 4378

70cm or 2m. What software?

Wa6jfk

Sent from an iPhone
Klaatu barada nikto

4379. Re: Why goes DVAP hang on transmit in like an FM mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-03 21:00:05 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4377 Message: 4379

Hi Duffy. We have not heard of this happening with DVAPTool (which is the official software for the DVAP). Have you checked with the author of the software you are using for updates?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4380. DVAP with Acer Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-03 22:35:34 UTC
From: rayden@...
Topic: 4380 Message: 4380

Has anybody used a DVAPDongle with an Acer Netbook? Cannot get to work together.

Thank You,

Roger
KC0NDR

4381. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Acer Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-04 11:31:54 UTC
From: MontyS
Topic: 4380 Message: 4381

I have an Acer notebook running Windows 10 and it will not recognize the dongle properly. I also have a Windows 10 desktop with the same problem. I concluded that an older version of Windows 10 or Windows 7 must be used, but have not gone there yet.
Monty K2DLJ

Has anybody used a DVAPDongle with an Acer Netbook? Cannot get to work together.

Thank You,

Roger

KC0NDR

4382. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Acer Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-05 01:34:30 UTC
From: Roger W. Long
Topic: 4380 Message: 4382

I had reinstall everything on puter then install bonjour, tenth drivers, then the dap program and it works. I am sure there was some kind of conflict with in the puter itself.

73,
Roger
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oh yeah it is also an XP puter.
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4383. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Acer Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-05 01:36:15 UTC
From: Roger W. Long
Topic: 4380 Message: 4383

the drivers then dap program

Can’t spell tonight!!!!
> On Mar 4, 2017, at 7:34 PM, Roger W. Long <rayden@...> wrote:
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4384. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Acer Netbook

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-05 02:40:24 UTC
From: w1cgt@...
Topic: 4380 Message: 4384

Hi, I am using a dell netbook with windows 10. It stopped working with the dvap and star board
After one of the windows updates however, If You put windows 10 in test mode it seems to work just fine... To enter test mode You :
To enable Test Mode on Windows, open an elevated command prompt (Press Start->Search->cmd then right-click on it and click Run as administrator) and enter the following command:
bcdedit /set testsigning on
and reboot after running the command above.
To exit test mode run the same script replace the on with off and reboot..

73 Foster w1cgt

4385. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-08 00:54:43 UTC
From: n7lgk.radio@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4385

Hermann - did you ever get this issue resolved?

I get the same errors when I just installed it, "Device out of sync!"

Thanks, Wade

4386. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-09 06:29:08 UTC
From: Joel Dunn
Topic: 4330 Message: 4386

Yes it working now just can not talk on WinDV using DVap I hear people but no one can hear me.

Sent from Mail<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkId=550986> for Windows 10

From: n7lgk.radio@... [DVAPDongle]<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 8:16 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: pi 3 with dvap

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Thanks, Wade

4387. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-09 16:22:33 UTC
From: Richard Kraatz
Topic: 4330 Message: 4387

Did you press 2 and put it in CQ CQ CQ?

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android
Rich

On Thu, Mar 9, 2017 at 10:04 AM, Joel Dunn ka0whr@...
[DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Sent from Mail for Windows 10

From: n7lgk.radio@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]
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Thanks, Wade

4388. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-16 11:59:29 UTC
From: paishermann@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4388

No, the issue is still there.

4389. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-17 02:08:15 UTC
From: justin@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4389

I am using a Pi 3 with a dvap and am not having any issues.

Perhaps it's the image I'm running? It's just worked for me.

4390. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-18 19:34:21 UTC
From: Alan Blackwell
Topic: 4330 Message: 4390

What image are you running

Sent from my iPad

> On Mar 16, 2017, at 10:08 PM, justin@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> I am using a Pi 3 with a dvap and am not having any issues.
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> Perhaps it's the image I'm running? It's just worked for me.
>

4391. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-19 02:15:54 UTC
From: Chris
Topic: 4330 Message: 4391

I'm running Pi 3 with Commander and haven't had any problems.

4392. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-19 13:03:18 UTC
From: kc4yoz@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4392

Just about any image based on ircDDBGateway running on Raspbian Jessie (Commander, Maryland, YOZ-Lite) will work on a Pi-3. You may need to disable bluetooth if using a serial card like a DV Mega, but DVAP should be Plug & Play.

Here's mine: http://kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap/ http://kdj.metro-uhf.org/dvap/

73;
Ken - KC4YOZ

4393. dvap with android phone/tablet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-19 17:27:44 UTC
From: Zach Bender
Topic: 4393 Message: 4393

I was reading somewhere , and I could be wrong , but the ability to interface your dvap with an android device. Is this truly possible or just a half baked idea?

Thanks Zach K7LTF

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Zach Bender
zach@...

4394. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap with android phone/tablet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-19 22:02:08 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 4393 Message: 4394

Robin was working on that but has never produced the software.

Ray Larabee Jr

kb8ild@...

On 03/19/2017 01:27 PM, Zach Bender zach@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> Thanks Zach K7LTF
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4395. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap with android phone/tablet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-21 18:08:43 UTC
From: Zach Bender
Topic: 4393 Message: 4395

Thanks for the reply - yes I assumed that the market for the software
would be pretty limited, considering you can run a dvap node on a pi.

73 Zach K7LTF

On Sun, Mar 19, 2017, at 03:02 PM, Raymond Larabee Jr kb8ild@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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Links:

1. https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/info;_ylc=X3oDMTJmOTJybXNkBF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzM1NzUyMTYwBGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARzZWMDdnRsBHNsawN2Z2hwBHN0aW1lAzE0OTAxMTkzOTQ-
2. https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/DVAPDongle/members/all;_ylc=X3oDMTJnMjR1cDg2BF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzM1NzUyMTYwBGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARzZWMDdnRsBHNsawN2bWJycwRzdGltZQMxNDkwMTE5Mzk0
3. https://info.yahoo.com/privacy/us/yahoo/groups/details.html
4. mailto:DVAPDongle-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com?subject=Unsubscribe
5. https://info.yahoo.com/legal/us/yahoo/utos/terms/

4396. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap with android phone/tablet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-21 19:59:04 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4393 Message: 4396

Saw something like this at Dayton in 2015 at the dstar forum. I think it was in development at the time.

On Mar 21, 2017 2:09 PM, "Zach Bender zach@benders.net [DVAPDongle]" < DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4397. DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-23 15:02:31 UTC
From: digitalal2004@...
Topic: 4397 Message: 4397

On three different platforms, Windows 7, Mac OS & Rasberrypi I have loaded the DVAP Tool and it will recognize my ID-51a I will get the blinking blue, red when transmitting but it fills in MY N2MA, UR CQCQCQ, DIRECT for R1 & R2. I have programmed my ID-51a for simplex on 443.5, MY N2MA, UR CQCQCQ R1 Both W3EXW B & W3EXW G, as well as R2 as W3EXW G

What am I missing!

Thanks,

Al N2MA/3

4398. Re: DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-23 16:16:12 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4397 Message: 4398

Hi Al. That is normal. When you are simplex, the radio should put DIRECT in R1 and R2. That is what the DVAPTool software expects.

Is it not working for you?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4399. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-23 16:31:19 UTC
From: Richard Kraatz
Topic: 4397 Message: 4399

No sure what you are trying to accomplish. If you are trying to use a repeater, use repeater frequency and offset. If you are trying to use a reflector, choose reflector from drop down list and use your simplex frequncey.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android
Rich

On Thu, Mar 23, 2017 at 12:13 PM, digitalal2004@...
[DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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What am I missing!

Thanks,

Al N2MA/3

4400. DVAP TOOL 1.5 RASPBERY PI 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-23 22:19:30 UTC
From: youha@...
Topic: 4400 Message: 4400

Just purchased a Pi 3 and installed the March 3 2017 version of Raspbian on a fresh SD card (32gb) successfully and got the wi-fi working as well. .I didn't install NOOBS since that was an option. I need instructions for installing DVAP Tool 1.5 on the pi. I have no preference on auto or non-auto boot but it would would like to have a choice of instructions on the table if I desire implementing the auto boot in the future. I found some helpful instructions on what I was looking on line for but they are over four years old. I figured things have changed since then.

Most likely I will not have any problems using the command prompt method if necessary if that is the only choice for a successful installation.

73 & Thanks,

Dave WA6UHA

4401. Re: [DVAPDongle] dvap with android phone/tablet

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-24 15:26:32 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 4393 Message: 4401

Actually, You'd be better off if you do have an app for android since most modern tablets and phones do have the OTG (On The Go) capability that's needed (aside from iPhone). I would love to have the app just so I don't have to bring along a Pi or a Pi Zero W. But, I guess those like us will have to wait.

73's

Raymond

kb8ild@...

kb8ild.info

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4402. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP TOOL 1.5 RASPBERY PI 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-26 17:06:33 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 4400 Message: 4402
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi Dave,

The 4 year old way of starting the software should work. Otherwise, there are raspberry pi images that have all the software you need and want to start automatically. I'm assuming that you want to learn a bit about the operating system and what not. If so, start with the info you have found and have some fun.

Raymond Larabee Jr
kb8ild.info

From: youha@... [DVAPDongle]
Sent: Friday, March 24, 2017 12:44 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP TOOL 1.5 RASPBERY PI 3

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Dave WA6UHA

4403. Re: DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-25 16:56:36 UTC
From: digitalal2004@...
Topic: 4397 Message: 4403

Yes it is, but I believe that the problem may be in the programing of the ID-51n as I want to use the DV Access Point to connect via the internet to our repeater When I launch the DVAP Tool, it is not bringing up a window where I can input the repeater information.

Thanks,

Al N2MA

4404. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-27 20:00:05 UTC
From: Ralph Schutz
Topic: 4397 Message: 4404
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

The DVAP Tool isn’t going to give you a window to input data. You issue a link command from your radio telling the DVAP to link to the desired repeater, provided the repeater allows internet linking! I would recommend contacting the admin for the repeater to determine if linking is allowed. Your local club or whom ever sponsors the repeater may provide local training on using the system!

Ralph N6GVG

If "Plan A" fails... There are 25 more letters in the Alphabet.

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

From: digitalal2004@... [DVAPDongle]<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Monday, March 27, 2017 3:32 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

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Thanks,

Al N2MA

4405. For Sale

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-03-28 08:44:24 UTC
From: winradio2003@...
Topic: 3444 Message: 4405

Hi folks,
I'm selling my (red) VHF DVAP dongle. The dongle will be send in an extra secure and sealed envelope. Payment can be done by Paypal. If interested please send me a personal message.

4406. image for 125cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-03 17:53:30 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4406 Message: 4406

Is there an up to date image for a 125cm DVAP to run on a raspberry pi?

I have had it working fine for a month but messed around and started over and know get a not linked message and cant get passed it. It all works fine from my computer so it has to be with the pi image.

Randy

4407. Re: image for 125cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-03 21:14:00 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4406 Message: 4407

I am running nj6n and it works (worked) great but now I cannot get past "remote system unlinked" I did start with a fresh jessie image but nothing else has changed.
The dvap works when plugged into my laptop so I know its not my radio settings.

I have tried wireless, ethernet cable, hot-spot to my cell phone.?

I love troubleshooting but I am stumped. I cannot find another image that supports 125cm so trying that is out at this time.

Thanks again, everyone is so helpful.
Randy

4408. Re: image for 125cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-06 18:00:34 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4406 Message: 4408

I have tried connecting to multiple reflectors using different wifi in different location.
Tried an older version of Jessie. Again can not get past the "remote system unlinked"
The DVAP and radio link fine from my laptop, and run fine from my pi3 for a month. The only thing I did was erase my sd card and start over. I have restarted 6 times each trying something new.

I have googled the problem for days and have read everything I can find.
I am out of ideas?
Randy

4409. Re: image for 125cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-06 19:00:18 UTC
From: scottbigger@...
Topic: 4406 Message: 4409

I had the same experience with my Pi 3.
It worked great for a couple months. I was using the built in WiFi, newest version of Jesse and DVAP 1.06 software. Everything was great. I could connect thru my home router and even my iPhone HotSpot.

Then one day I just started getting the "Remote system unlinked" and could never get past it.
The WiFi showed it was connected, but just didn't work.
I tried making a new image, reloaded the software, applied al the required patches. Nothing worked.

Then, I tried a new Pi 3 with the original image I made and its worked great....

Don't know what the real issue is, but the problem followed the hardware.
I've switched the working image back to the original Pi 3 and it doesn't work.
Somehow, something happened to the WiFi hardware. Either it failed, or a setting that stays with the
hardware changed. Don't know if any of the settings stay with the hardware?

Hope this helps.

Scott

4410. Working on a 125 CM image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-07 22:55:28 UTC
From: w6gps@...
Topic: 4410 Message: 4410

Me and Kevin KI4LAX have a 125 cm IMAGE FOR DVAP. We are rebuilding in for a 8 gb sd card. Current version is for PI3 ...next week we are putting together one for PI Zero W. I have the PI zero using the 2.02 Dstarcommander on 440 and pi Zero working great....

Don W6gps

4411. Re: [DVAPDongle] Working on a 125 CM image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-08 22:50:19 UTC
From: Randy Macku
Topic: 4410 Message: 4411

Good news, this will help. I use the 125 cm Dvap and the Dstar Commander
with my mega.
Also just looked at placing an order for the pi zero.
Good day in my world
Randy
NG0Q

On Sat, Apr 8, 2017, 5:23 PM w6gps@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Dstarcommander on 440 and pi Zero working great....
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> Don W6gps
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4412. Re: Working on a 125 CM image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-08 23:27:56 UTC
From: swknight@...
Topic: 4410 Message: 4412

You and KEVIN (especially you did a great job on the D74 YOUTUBE "APRS" recently. Thanks everyone with a NEW KENWOOD D74A should be watching all those videos you did. I'm still behind a tad - but will soon be into the DVAP 70cm on my cheap Dell computer - as soon as I get the APRS to send my beacon(s)...

steve W6COP

4413. Re: image for 125cm

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-10 17:25:13 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4406 Message: 4413

I have two pi3's, one is used with my Dvmega. Today I tried switching the pi's and my Dvmega still works fine and the one with the Dvap still gives me a remote system unlinked. So in my case a different pi did not help. I will wait and try the new 125cm image when its ready, and I did order a pi zero that I might use.
Very Frustrating!

Randy

4414. Re: Working on a 125 CM image

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-12 17:45:57 UTC
From: rrmacku@...
Topic: 4410 Message: 4414

I have the image running. Very easy to set up and worked right away. Thanks for the work, it is much appreciated.

Randy
NG0Q

4415. DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-12 21:22:13 UTC
From: nvus01@...
Topic: 4415 Message: 4415

Wondering if the DVAPTool software is the only option for this Hardware.

Thanks in Advance.

73'

Bobby / N7BBY

4416. Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-13 13:11:59 UTC
From: mike_davis_2002@...
Topic: 4415 Message: 4416

No, I use win dv (also known as Dutch Star) and find it good. More flexible than dvap tools as you can access other reflectors apart from REF. Best of luck!

4417. Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-13 15:14:18 UTC
From: BARBARA AUBREY
Topic: 4415 Message: 4417

Can somebody please give me a link to where the software is for a Pi Zero W to host a DVAP please?
I have tried various software loads but they don't come back up if the power is removed from the Pi.

I want the DVAP to be available every time I turn the ignition on and survive the ignition being turned off.

Thank youNigelKG4ARS

4418. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-13 15:42:29 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 4415 Message: 4418

W6kd.boards.net

Version 2.02 of Star commander works great with the Pi Zero W.
Just remember to do a clean shutdown of the Pi (rf command) before you power down.
73
WB5EKU

On April 13, 2017, at 8:23 AM, "BARBARA AUBREY aubreybarbara@bellsouth.net [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Thank you

Nigel

KG4ARS

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4419. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-13 15:41:13 UTC
From: jeff
Topic: 4415 Message: 4419

The only problem with dv node is the last version to be released was in 2015. It appears they have abandoned the project and are not even responding to email. Yes it still works to an extent but there are still issues with the software such as not being able to connect to all of the modules available on the DPlus reflectors as they didn't exist when the software was updated.
Jeff VE6DV
-------- Original message --------From: "mike_davis_2002@yahoo.co.uk [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> Date: 2017-04-13 7:11 AM (GMT-07:00) To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com Subject: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP Software

No, I use win dv (also known as Dutch Star) and find it good. More flexible than dvap tools as you can access other reflectors apart from REF.Best of luck!

4420. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-20 23:55:10 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4397 Message: 4420

This is a question for the group or individual. I own the Id-31a UHF handheld. I have the dvaptool 1.04 on my imac. How do you enter a dstar repeater that is not listed in the radio?

I am registered on the AA3E DSTAR repeater. My access point dongle indicates flashing green led and the blue led strobe flashing when I open the 1.04 tool on screen.
73 KB1SYX

4421. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-21 01:24:54 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4421

How do you program an ID-31a for a non listed repeater AA3E-B? Is there another way to enter values for this repeater? I an registered with the AA3E repeater.

73 KB1SYX

4422. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-21 03:09:27 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4422

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <nm6e_dx@...> wrote :

Good Morning,

I've been playing with the DVAP (440Mh version) connected to my MacBook and have been successful in connecting to various reflectors with my TH-D74. Also, having read the past threads on the APP NAP was very helpful in solving that issue. I've browsed around and looked at many YouTub videos to no avail with the following question.

My question is, can I connect to DSTAR repeaters using the DVAP?

If yes, what are some sample configs folks use on their radios that I should be transmitting to connect as I have no clue what to enter in the RPT1/RPT2 fields and how to force a "L" link if I am not sending a Link ? (due to bad configs!?)

Thanks,

Javier NM6E/5

4423. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector)

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-21 17:04:14 UTC
From: barrycinti@...
Topic: 4251 Message: 4423

Javier, look at the doc in the files area. There is one for using dvap dongle on the icom ID51a. It may help you config your th-74.

KE5XV that explains how to set things up to use a DVAP with an ID51A. I followed the instructions and it worked.

Get Outlook for Android

On Fri, Apr 21, 2017 at 9:38 AM -0400, "jayman012348@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <nm6e_dx@...> wrote :

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4424. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DV Access Point Dongle linking to a repeater

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-23 14:39:44 UTC
From: Raymond Larabee Jr
Topic: 4397 Message: 4424

Hi There,

I have the ID-51A myself and I made sure I had the programming cable and software to put the D-Star Repeater in memory.

73's

Raymond Larabee

kb8ild.info

On 4/20/2017 7:55 PM, jayman012348@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> indicates flashing green led and the blue led strobe flashing when I
> open the 1.04 tool on screen.
> 73 KB1SYX
>

4425. Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-25 20:17:06 UTC
From: nvus01@...
Topic: 4415 Message: 4425

OK - after multiple attempts and assistance, I am still unable to install the needed software for my DV access Point (DVtool). I have official moved from stuck to frustrated..

73'

Bobby / N7BBY

4426. Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-26 14:04:33 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4415 Message: 4426

Hi Bobby. The direct support email is support@dvapdongle.com.

Also, DVTool is not used with the DV Access Point Dongle. That is for the DV Dongle. Did you read the installation instructions at www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com? Did you follow step 9 if you are using Windows after installing DVAPTool?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4427. Re: DVAP Software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-27 21:16:03 UTC
From: nvus01@...
Topic: 4415 Message: 4427

Robin,

Thank you for the response... l checking out this info now..

Thank again...

73'

Bobby / N7BBY

4428. FS DVAP in Upgraded Case

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-04-29 14:34:11 UTC
From: beischel@...
Topic: 4428 Message: 4428

I have a DVAP in excellent condition in the upgraded case sold by Robin at Dayton a few years years ago. If interested, please send reasonable offer off list.

Email address at my website or use the contact form.

Duffy
www.wb8nut.com

4429. My 7 inch LCD DVAP hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-05-09 19:51:26 UTC
From: w6gps@...
Topic: 4429 Message: 4429

https://youtu.be/T8H8k-ncDi8 https://youtu.be/T8H8k-ncDi8

here is a short video of my 7inch touch screen DVAP with Pi 3 board. OS image (thanks to KI4LAX) will host all 3 versions of DVAP (2m 220 and 450) using 1.06 version DVAP tool

Don W6gps

4430. Re: My 7 inch LCD DVAP hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-05-11 10:58:29 UTC
From: kc9ony@...
Topic: 4429 Message: 4430

Interesting Don, thanks for posting that.

73,
Tom KC9ONY

4431. Re: My 7 inch LCD DVAP hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-05-11 14:26:34 UTC
From: wd4msm@...
Topic: 4429 Message: 4431

Don,

I can't thank you enough for your sequence of videos explaining the exact setup procedure for a DVAP and the Kenwood D74a. The videos have allowed me to set up the software, hardware, and radio the first time through!

Each new video lets us see another feature! Nicely done.

How about a video that show the exact sequence of contacting a local D-Star repeater with the D74, and how to use the repeater not only for local communication but also for "aiming" the local repeater at a reflector like 30 Charlie? I'd certainly appreciate such a video. We do not have a local D-Star repeater but I will be travelling to cities that do and I'd like to have a "heads up" on how to use those repeaters.

Thanks again Don,

Barry WD4MSM

4432. Dayton 2017 Activities

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-05-13 20:44:01 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 4432 Message: 4432

Dayton 2017 Activities
It's time to start the pilgrimages to the Dayton Hamvention(r). There's several D-STAR activities going on. Hope to see you there. Here's a summary of what you'll see.
Ed WA4YIH
www.DSTARInfo.com
Dayton Hamvention(r)

120 Fairground Road, Xenia 45385

Coordinates are 39.7021N - 83.9420W

GPS will not necessarily show the correct directions after entering Xenia. It may take you through closed gates.

The Hamvention is recommending using off-site parking

Talk In
For directions and assistance in the Dayton Area during your visit to Hamvention(r), contact "Talk-In" on the DARA Repeater 146.940-, alternate 146.985- 123.0 PL. The talk in crew will have up to date information on traffic conditions and parking and will be able to provide re-routing directions if needed. Talk In will be on the air starting at 7 a.m. on Thursday and Sunday and at 5 a.m. on Friday and Saturday. Be sure to listen.
D-STAR Activities at Dayton
Thursday, May 18, 7-9 PM - Pre-Hamvention Meet, Greet, and Eyeball QSO
Marion's Piazza
1320 N Fairfield Rd
Beavercreek OH 45432
Friday, May 19, 12:00-1:00 PM - D-STAR Forum
Forum Room 1
Dayton Hamvention
Friday, May 19, 6:30-8:30 PM - D-STAR Friday Evening Gathering - D-STAR Updates
Drury Inn Ballroom
6616 Miller Lane
Dayton OH
Dayton D-STAR Repeaters

Call Sign

Frequency

Reflector

Location

W8RTL C

147.105+

REF030C

Dayton

W8RTL B

443.050+

XRF038C

Dayton

W8HEQ C

145.270-

Dayton

W8HEQ B

444.0875+

XRF038C

Dayton

KE8AQQB

443.150+

Lebanon

W8GO C

145.160-

Wilmington

W8GO B

442.150+

Wilmington

W8RNL C

145.150-

Hamilton

W8RNL B

442.625+

Hamilton

K8BIG C

145.350-

Cincinnati

Dayton D-STAR Simplex
DARA suggests using 446.1000 Digital Code Squelch CSQL use #13 as a D-Star simplex frequency at Hamvention(r)
Don't forget to update your repeater list before you start your journey!
D-STAR Affiliated Vendors at Dayton Hamvention(r)

Vendor

Booths

Icom<http://www.icomamerica.com/en/>

2508-2509, 2608-2610, 2708-2709, 6001

Kenwood<http://www.kenwood.com/usa/com/amateur/>

1407-1411, 1507-1511

DVMEGA<http://www.dvmega.auria.nl/>

6704

NW Digital Radio<http://nwdigitalradio.com/>

1105

RT Systems<http://www.rtsystemsinc.com/>

3805-3806

Bridgecom Systems, Inc<https://www.bridgecomsystems.com/>

1103-1104

Wireless Holdings<http://wirelesshold.com/>

6211

If there are any corrections or additions, please drop us a note at info@...

4433. Re: My 7 inch LCD DVAP hotspot

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-05-31 01:32:54 UTC
From: corlissbs@...
Topic: 4429 Message: 4433

Don, I second that. Your videos are superb. Informative and easy to follow. I love my 7" screen/Rasberry Pi/DVAP setup and am having great fun with it. Thank you, Don. Brad Smith KC9UQR

4434. DVAP in "Receive Only" Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-03 21:37:21 UTC
From: wmcclatchey@...
Topic: 4434 Message: 4434

I have used DStar for some time, but just recently have acquired a DVDongle and begun to set it up. Registered on my local DStar repeater, mode C

The Equipment:

MacPro 15" running OSX 10.12.15

The Software:

Downloaded the most recent FTDI driver from their web site as of 6/1/'17 and installed prior to installing DVAP Tool.

DVAPTool for Mac, Ver 1.05 installed without difficulty. Setup for 147.550. Green light slowly pulsing on DVAP after connecting.

Using the Kenwood TH-D74, configured in DStar simplex mode on 147.550. I connect to the DVAP to the 30C Reflector with the DStar URCALL command "REF030CL". I receive the voice message that the DVAP is connected to 30C. When I move the command to "CQCQCQ" I cannot transmit, and the DVAPTool lists me as connected but on "R/O". If I disconnect the DVAPTool and reconnect with no changes in the command structure, the DVAP will link on command, but still not allow me to transmit using the URCALL "CQCQCQ" on the D74. When I key down to transmit, the D74 receives a message from the DVAP that I am not linked. I am able to monitor 30C without difficulty.

What am I doing wrong to obtain this behavior from my DVAP?

Any help appreciated!

Bill
KK4C

4435. Re: DVAP in "Receive Only" Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-03 22:26:35 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4434 Message: 4435

Hi Bill. You have not completed the registration process. Your registration was approved on W4DOC but you have not added a "space" terminal as shown at www.dstargateway.org http://www.dstargateway.org.

USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[KK4C] [W4DOC]

NO TERMINALS FOUND

Until you do that, you won't be able to transmit.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4436. Re: DVAP in "Receive Only" Mode

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-04 12:21:17 UTC
From: Paul Cereste
Topic: 4434 Message: 4436

Bill,

Once you get your DVAP working correctly you might have a problem with your Mac running DVtool 1.05. I had to delete 1.05 and reload 1.04 on my MacBook Pro in order to prevent App Nap.

73,
Paul - K1CGZ

4437. Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-04 16:21:13 UTC
From: corlissbs@...
Topic: 4437 Message: 4437

Can I connect my DVAP to my outdoors 2m-440 antenna for extra range, without harming the DVAP? Brad KC9UQR

4438. Re: Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-04 18:34:17 UTC
From: Garry Decker
Topic: 4437 Message: 4438

I am using an.attic mounted J-Pole and getting 1/4 to 1/2 mile range using
a
ID-5100 mobile rig. UHF DVAP.

Garry
W9WHF

4439. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-04 19:42:49 UTC
From: den6500@...
Topic: 4437 Message: 4439

Gary, you mean you can take your hand held I'd 51a and walk from your home up to 1/2 mile and still hit your dvap?

On Jun 4, 2017 11:34 AM, "Garry Decker w9whf4@gmail.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Garry
W9WHF

4440. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 13:28:16 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4437 Message: 4440

Sorry, this might be a misunderstanding.
I have gotten that far with my ID-51A+
but I would not claim reliability at that range as the radio is supplied. I generally use a gain antenna on the H/T and a spkr/mic to make the body capacitance minimized.
The stated range is with an attic. J-pole
Connected to the DVAP. Using an ID-5100
mobile I have gotten over a mile, but ground wave conditions really seem to affect
day-to-day range.
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

4441. Failed to connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 15:31:11 UTC
From: f1rmb.daniel@...
Topic: 4441 Message: 4441

Hi,

I've just bought a second hand DVAP (2m version), and I'm experiencing problems under Windows 7 and Linux.
When I hit "Connect" button in DVAP-Tool (1.05), I always get this error message:

"DStar name server text message received ->It looks like you are connected to a USB serial device other than the DV Dongle. Please check your device selection."

Obviously the serial number is wrong, I've also checked with "DvapUtils.exe", and it displays such garbage as a serial number, even longer sometimes.

I searched this group, and it seems few people got this problem as well. Can someone help me to fix glitch ?

Cheers.

73's de Daniel, F1RMB

ps: Here is the log trace:

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DVAPTool version 1.05
Restored parameters:
UserCallsign=F1RMB H
DVDevice=COM9
Frequency=146550000
SquelchLevel=-80
TxPowerLevel=10
LockedCallsign=
FontNumerator=50
Callsign set to F1RMB H
O/S: Windows 7
FTDI library version 30212
networkInterface: {978199FF-C386-4004-ADAB-75882AF3D098}:169.254.128.156::
networkInterface:
{31A5AB81-BC61-4BE1-88DD-A89DC3998C1C}:192.168.100.58:255.255.255.0:192.168.100.255
networkInterface: {4D01289C-47A8-4748-963C-E1D33B5BDF85}:169.254.196.63::
networkInterface: {846EE342-7039-11DE-9D20-806E6F6E6963}:127.0.0.1::
Searching 1 FTDI serial devices
Found FTDI device at index 0 location 273 serial A800f62s description DV Access Point
Dongle
FTDI driver version 21224
Device on COM9
FTDI serial device COM9 valid
Frequency set to 146550000
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new frequency (146550000)
Usage: DVAPTool [ -nolock ] [ -open ] [ -device DEVICENAME ] [ -frequency MMMKKKHHH] [
-nopopups ] [ -fontscale SCALENUMBER(30-70) ]
New device notification for (COM9) (A800f62s)
Serial device (COM9) added
Callsign set to (F1RMB H)
Opening DVAP device COM9
Opened device COM9
Reported Device name (DVAP Dongle)
Reported Device serial number (APÿÿÿÿÿÿÿle)
Reported Device boot firmware version (1.03)
Reported Device app firmware version (1.07)
Reported Device transmit start frequency (144000000)
Reported Device transmit end frequency (148000000)
Reported Device receive frequency (146550000)
Reported Device transmit frequency (146550000)
Reported Device calibration value (0)
Reported Device receive frequency (146550000)
Reported Device transmit frequency (146550000)
Found 1 FTDI device(s)
Finished reading from name server
Reported Device mode (GMSK)
DStar name server text message received ->It looks like you are connected to a USB
serial device other than the DV Dongle.
Please check your device selection.

Ascp device started
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4442. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 16:27:07 UTC
From: Steven W Knight
Topic: 4437 Message: 4442

Also my DVAPs work great until the weekend and the IU-verse (read AT &T) getsoverloaded from video streaming in the vicinity - and I get a second break every once in a while on my Ethernet connection(s)...
Oh well gotta have those neighborhood movies...

On Monday, June 5, 2017 6:54 AM, "Garry w9whf4@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

  Sorry, this might be a misunderstanding.
I have gotten that far with my ID-51A+
but I would not claim reliability at that range as the radio is supplied. I generally use a gain antenna on the H/T and a spkr/mic to make the body capacitance minimized.
The stated range is with an attic. J-pole
Connected to the DVAP. Using an ID-5100
mobile I have gotten over a mile, but ground wave conditions really seem to affect
day-to-day range.
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

4443. Re: Not Connecting to USB Device

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 15:50:57 UTC
From: f1rmb.daniel@...
Topic: 1899 Message: 4443
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi (I repost in this topic, it seems the new topic I've created got lost),

So, I've just bought a second hand DVAP (2m version), and I'm experiencing problems when I hit "Open" button in DVAP-Tool (Windows and Linux). I get this error message:

"DStar name server text message received ->It looks like you are connected to a USB serial device other than the DV Dongle. Please check your device selection."

(see full attached log).

Obviously the serial number is wrong, even DVAP-Util reports such wrong serial number, even longer/worst sometimes.

Can someone can help me to fix this small glitch ?

Cheers.
---
73 de Daniel, F1RMB

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <aa4rc@...> wrote :

Hi Bryan. It looks like your DVAP is being reported as invalid. Please send me a direct email and we will help to resolve the issue.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

--- In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, "bryanbeam" <bryanbeam@...> wrote:
>
> I've been using my DVAP without any problems. I moved my computer and reconnected the DVAP and now I get this message when I open the connection. "It looks like you are connected to a USB serial device other than the DV Dongle. Please check the device com port."
>
> The only thing I can think of is I plugged into a different USB outlet on my computer. I've tried all of them and still get the message.
>
> I'm using DVAP Tool version 1.4.
>
> Any ideas??? Thanks in advance for any assistance.
>
> Bryan W4HLD
>

4444. Re: Failed to connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 16:47:11 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4441 Message: 4444

Hi Daniel. The number one cause of this is updating firmware when you should not. Perhaps the previous owner did this. There is no firmware posted at the official site and anyone that finds a link elsewhere is taking a risk.

Send a direct email to support@dvapdongle.com and I'll work with you to get the firmware to the correct version.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4445. Re: [DVAPDongle] Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 16:40:26 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4437 Message: 4445

Yes. There is also a amp available that will take the 100 mw in and give u
10 watts out.

On Jun 4, 2017 1:36 PM, "corlissbs@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

>
>
> Can I connect my DVAP to my outdoors 2m-440 antenna for extra range,
> without harming the DVAP? Brad KC9UQR

>
>

4446. Re: Failed to connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 16:57:32 UTC
From: f1rmb.daniel@...
Topic: 4441 Message: 4446

Sorry for the double post...

Many thanks for the support Robin, I'll send you that direct email.
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73 de Daniel, F1RMB

4447. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 18:45:57 UTC
From: rbgary45@...
Topic: 4437 Message: 4447

I can get a good 1/2 mile from my hotspot on my "secret channel" UHF frequency with my ID-51a+ HH on hi pwr.
Gary...wa6fgi

4448. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 20:15:23 UTC
From: n4ued@...
Topic: 4437 Message: 4448

I have tried many different antennas with my dvap . I find that the comet sma 24, 16 inch skinny antenna works good for me . I found that placing it upstairs worked best . I may be able to hear it , however the two I have lack receiving a fringe signal . For better coverage try and mobile and the mmdvm board or a dvrptr board . N4UED

4449. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-05 23:00:46 UTC
From: Sherrie Smith
Topic: 4437 Message: 4449

Do you know the source for this amp? Brad

In a message dated 6/5/2017 2:33:35 PM Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

Yes. There is also a amp available that will take the 100 mw in and give u 10 watts out.

On Jun 4, 2017 1:36 PM, "corlissbs@aol.com [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Can I connect my DVAP to my outdoors 2m-440 antenna for extra range, without harming the DVAP? Brad KC9UQR

4450. Re: [DVAPDongle] Changing Antenna

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-07 02:52:10 UTC
From: Brad
Topic: 4437 Message: 4450

DO NOT hook an AMP to the DVAP. it will cook the chip inside. yes you can use an outside antenna. why not jusy make it portable and take it with you then you will have coverage where you need it.

On 6/5/2017 7:00 PM, Sherrie Smith corlissbs@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
> Do you know the source for this amp? Brad
>
> In a message dated 6/5/2017 2:33:35 PM Central Standard Time,
> DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:
>
> Yes. There is also a amp available that will take the 100 mw in
> and give u 10 watts out.
>
> On Jun 4, 2017 1:36 PM, "corlissbs@...
> <mailto:corlissbs@...> [DVAPDongle]"
> <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>>
> wrote:
>
> Can I connect my DVAP to my outdoors 2m-440 antenna for extra
> range, without harming the DVAP? Brad KC9UQR
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The Root Cause of Bloating?
ActivatedYou
http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3131/59376a5aa96c16a5904ebst03duc

4451. Dvap tool on raspberry pi 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-07 20:53:09 UTC
From: jeff
Topic: 4451 Message: 4451

Is there a dvap tool image available for the raspberry pi 3? There are other images available that are almost a plug and play solution but am curious if there is an official release designed for use with the dvap that is relatively easy to install.

4452. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap tool on raspberry pi 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-08 12:39:01 UTC
From: Lee Swanson
Topic: 4451 Message: 4452

Jeff, the well known image called DSTAR COMMANDER is one of the most stable programs that runs very well on the Raspberry Pi 3 and DVAP combination. Although there are a few other versions of the image being used successfully, in my opinion D-STAR COMMANDER is the way to go and has a great track record for not crashing for no reason. Ask others out there as I'm sure they will agree with me.

Sent by LEE (NR5G)
on his iPhone 6 Plus

On Jun 7, 2017, at 17:19, jeff
jeff@edmontonfireradio.com<mailto:jeff@edmontonfireradio.com> [DVAPDongle]
<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:

Is there a dvap tool image available for the raspberry pi 3? There are other images available that are almost a plug and play solution but am curious if there is an official release designed for use with the dvap that is relatively easy to install.

4453. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap tool on raspberry pi 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-07 22:36:20 UTC
From: Sherrie Smith
Topic: 4451 Message: 4453

Look on W6GPS Yourube video showing the 7" screen and in the comments below is the link to download the image. Also, Dstar Commander is written for RP3. Both are good programs.
 Brad Smith

In a message dated 6/7/2017 4:19:07 PM Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@...m writes:

 Is there a dvap tool image available for the raspberry pi 3? There are other images available that are almost a plug and play solution but am curious if there is an official release designed for use with the dvap that is relatively easy to install.

4454. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap tool on raspberry pi 3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-09 14:46:19 UTC
From: Brad Smith
Topic: 4451 Message: 4454

I have two DVAP/Raspberry Pi units. One has a 7" touch screen (see W6GPS on Youtube) and the other is "headless", no screen. On the headless unit, I use DSTAR COMMANDER. Set it up (with any HTML monitor or TV) and you don't have to set it up again. But for the unit with the screen, I like the W6GPS image program because, the text and icons are large enough to make changes in the WiFi. So, if you are travelling and will use someone else's Wifii, like a motel, the W6GPS image is easier to do this on. The great thing about the Raspberry Pi is that all the data is stored on the SD card, so you can image two SD cards, each with a different program and just switch cards. On the W6GPS program, you need the screen to turn the unit off. With the DSTAR COMMANDER image, all this is done directly from the radio.

I have not had any problems with either image. Both are great for their application.

Brad Smith KC9UQR

4455. Have I successfully registered?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-27 01:39:07 UTC
From: rlkerns@...
Topic: 4455 Message: 4455

I am unable to tell if I have succeeded with DStar registration. When I do the check, I see my call, I have an address pool. But, my two terminal entries have IP address of 0,0,0,0

The site says Registration NOT OK on one line
But then says ignore if call is on a G3 Gateway ...

So can someone tell me if I'm registered or not ?

Call is WB8LBC and I registered on W4AES.

So far, I've been unable to get my DVAP working so confirming my registration is good or bad is probably the first step!

Thanks,

Rick - WB8LBC

4456. Re: [DVAPDongle] Have I successfully registered?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-27 02:27:22 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 4455 Message: 4456

Registration Information:

Registr.Call

Registration Server

Date of Registration

IP-Address-Pool

WB8LBC <http://www.qrz.com/db/WB8LBC> W4AES
<http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=W4AES> 2017-06-22
03:55:57 10.25.58.72-
10.25.58.79

Activated Terminal-IDs: <http://dstar.prgm.org/DStarTerminalIDs.html>

Device Call/ID

Registration Server

IP-Address

Last Heard

Repeater

Gateway

WB8LBC A W4AES 0.0.0.0 2017-06-27 01:04:04 W4AES A W4AES
WB8LBC W4AES 0.0.0.0 2017-06-27 01:03:30 W4AES A W4AES

*Registration NOT OK!
(IP outside of assigned pool!)
(IGNORE if call is registered on a G3 gateway. 0.0.0.0 will be shown!)*
* W4AES is running G3*

On 6/26/2017 9:39 PM, rlkerns@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
>
> I am unable to tell if I have succeeded with DStar registration. When
> I do the check, I see my call, I have an address pool. But, my two
> terminal entries have IP address of 0,0,0,0
>
>
> The site says Registration NOT OK on one line
> But then says ignore if call is on a G3 Gateway ...
>
> So can someone tell me if I'm registered or not ?
>

> Call is WB8LBC and I registered on W4AES.
>
> So far, I've been unable to get my DVAP working so confirming my
> registration is good or bad is probably the first step!
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rick - WB8LBC
>
>
>

4457. Re: [DVAPDongle] Have I successfully registered?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-06-27 15:01:21 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4455 Message: 4457

https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/cgi-bin/dstar-regcheck?callsign=WB8LBC

Yes you are registered ok, the checker is only explaining something it cannot yet decipher correctly from the new G3 gateways.

What problems are you having with the DVAP?

WA6JFK

On Mon, Jun 26, 2017 at 6:39 PM, rlkerns@roadrunner.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

>
>
> I am unable to tell if I have succeeded with DStar registration. When I do
> the check, I see my call, I have an address pool. But, my two terminal
> entries have IP address of 0,0,0,0
>
> The site says Registration NOT OK on one line
> But then says ignore if call is on a G3 Gateway ...
>
> So can someone tell me if I'm registered or not ?
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> Call is WB8LBC and I registered on W4AES.
>
> So far, I've been unable to get my DVAP working so confirming my
> registration is good or bad is probably the first step!
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rick - WB8LBC
>
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>

4458. DVAP will not connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-01 22:40:35 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4458 Message: 4458

This dvap has worked for over a year with no problems then suddenly it does not connect.Nothing in the computer or the ID-33 were changed, dvap screen appeared normal with serial number an com 3port opened but does not connect.Checking the black screen all was normal until the following lines were noticed.
Reported Device calibration value (-1)
Reported Device transmit frequency (445950000)Reported Device receive frequency (445950000)
Cannot set device transmit frequency Cannot set device receive frequency
You are running latest version of DVAPTool.Asap device started

Any suggestions you might offer will be appreciated Bill - w5umq

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

4459. Re: DVAP will not connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-02 12:39:00 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4458 Message: 4459

Hi Bill. If you are plugged into a USB hub, try connecting directly. If connected directly, try a different USB port. If that doesn't work, copy the full message and forward.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4460. DVAP on RaspberryPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-05 20:46:18 UTC
From: matthewwtaylor1978@...
Topic: 4460 Message: 4460

Hi All,

I have currently dug out my DVAP Dongle (Red) and RaspberryPI Model B and have been trying to the PI backup to run DVAP but am having issues, However so far I have had no joy. Can anyone provide assitance for me at all. It would be greatly appreciated.

Matthew
M6HMS

4461. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on RaspberryPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-05 22:55:53 UTC
From: Andy Z
Topic: 4460 Message: 4461

Mathew,

I don't use a Pi but is it a problem with the app not seeing the DVAP Device? Maybe driver. Make sure the Pi isn't sleeping. Need more details on the issues. Someone that uses a Pi might be able to help more but more than happy to try.

Andy
K3KDB

On Jul 5, 2017 at 6:44 PM, <matthewwtaylor1978@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:

Hi All,

I have currently dug out my DVAP Dongle (Red) and RaspberryPI Model B and have been trying to the PI backup to run DVAP but am having issues, However so far I have had no joy. Can anyone provide assitance for me at all. It would be greatly appreciated.

Matthew
M6HMS

4462. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on RaspberryPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-05 23:39:17 UTC
From: Michael Anderson
Topic: 4460 Message: 4462

Switch you software to D Star commander. D Star commander can be found at www.w6kd. D Star commander is a complete system built on the Raspberry Pi for the Raspberry Pi. Woks well with the UHF version of DVAP.

On Jul 5, 2017 3:44 PM, "matthewwtaylor1978@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Hi All,

I have currently dug out my DVAP Dongle (Red) and RaspberryPI Model B and have been trying to the PI backup to run DVAP but am having issues, However so far I have had no joy. Can anyone provide assitance for me at all. It would be greatly appreciated.

Matthew
M6HMS

4463. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP on RaspberryPi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-10 09:42:50 UTC
From: matthewwtaylor1978@...
Topic: 4460 Message: 4463

Many thanks. All done and sorted with D-Star Commander

4464. DVAP / Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-19 14:35:44 UTC
From: Wolfgang Haugk
Topic: 4464 Message: 4464

Greetings,

Can I install DVAP dongle installation software on a cellphone running Windows 8.1 or higher?

The background of my question is that I own IPhone/IPad's (not Mac) and I do NOT want to get into using Pi's or full blown pc laptops for mobile DVAP operation. I am wondering if an inexpensive windows-based cellphone could be a solution for DVAP software installation and maybe even hotspot internet access.

Thank you in advance for any info you can share.

Regards,

Wolfgang (K4WHH)

Sent from my iPad

4465. DVAP / Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-19 16:20:59 UTC
From: Wolfgang Haugk
Topic: 4464 Message: 4465

Greetings,
>
> Can I install DVAP dongle installation software on a cellphone running Windows 8.1 or higher?
>
> The background of my question is that I own IPhone/IPad's (not Mac) and I do NOT want to get into using Pi's or full blown pc laptops for mobile DVAP operation. I am wondering if an inexpensive windows-based cellphone could be a solution for DVAP software installation and maybe even hotspot internet access.
>
> Thank you in advance for any info you can share.
>
> Regards,
>
> Wolfgang (K4WHH)

Email: whaugk@me.com
>
> Sent from my iPad

4466. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP / Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-19 19:40:43 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4464 Message: 4466

It could be possible. I use a hp netbook running Windows 8.1 and my android cell phone for mobile dstar with a dv dongle.

On Jul 19, 2017 1:09 PM, "Wolfgang Haugk whaugk@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

>
>
> Greetings,
>
> Can I install DVAP dongle installation software on a cellphone running
> Windows 8.1 or higher?
>
> The background of my question is that I own IPhone/IPad's (not Mac) and I
> do NOT want to get into using Pi's or full blown pc laptops for mobile DVAP
> operation. I am wondering if an inexpensive windows-based cellphone could
> be a solution for DVAP software installation and maybe even hotspot
> internet access.
>
> Thank you in advance for any info you can share.
>
> Regards,
>
> Wolfgang (K4WHH)
>
> Sent from my iPad
>
>

4467. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP / Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-21 13:08:41 UTC
From: whaugk@...
Topic: 4464 Message: 4467

Thanks for your replay Jack - android would work for me as well. I am wondering, does the internet / data generated by your cellphone also serve also work in conjunction with DStar and if so, then your whole mobile hardware setup would consist of the phone and the dongle? If so, you made my day....

4468. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP / Windows

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-07-21 13:12:03 UTC
From: whaugk@...
Topic: 4464 Message: 4468

Sorry Jack, I just read your text once again and noted that you are using a netbook for the dongle software....

4469. DVAP and Dongle software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-08-05 16:02:42 UTC
From: n8fvm@...
Topic: 4469 Message: 4469

I have a DVAP and wish to know if the DONGLE Software 2.0 will work on a Win 10 platform running 64 bit?
I am trying to use the DVAP and a headset-Mic and work D-Star stations just with the computer ?
Ed N8FVM

4470. Re: DVAP and Dongle software

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-08-06 13:46:27 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4469 Message: 4470

Hi Ed. The DVAP is very different from a DV Dongle. The DVAP has an rf modem chip so it can talk to radios that already have an AMBE chip. The DV Dongle has the AMBE chip so that audio can be "vocoded" to dstar standards and can be used on a PC with a mic and speakers.

That's the long answer for "no, the DVAP won't work with DVTool and speakers/mic".

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4471. Error message when starting DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-08-28 19:48:12 UTC
From: rickmccusker2564@...
Topic: 4471 Message: 4471

I get the dreaded: "DVAP No gateways found! Please close DVAPTool and check your Internet connection before restarting." message when trying to start my DVAP. I have read the thread which says check with your ISP.... only problem is I don't know who the ISP is! I have been running this on a public wifi system with no problems for the last 5 years and it stopped working 2 weeks ago... Any ideas???

Rick, WF6O

4472. Re: Error message when starting DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-08-29 14:00:47 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4471 Message: 4472

Hi Rick. I checked the logs and the last time you connected to the name server was on 8/18. You might try a different network.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4473. How to add reflector

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-08-31 05:36:35 UTC
From: Maher AlDazaz
Topic: 4473 Message: 4473

Good day to all

I am new in D star and I was registered on D star my call was activated and DV AP received but one thing need to know how to add reflector to most of repeater. It can be manual or I need program with cd to load it.
I don't have programming cable and CD, my radio is ID-5100 and IC-7100

HZ1BL
Maher
73s

> On Aug 29, 2017, at 5:00 PM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Hi Rick. I checked the logs and the last time you connected to the name server was on 8/18. You might try a different network.
>
>
> 73,
> Robin
> AA4RC
>
>

4474. UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-09 22:02:49 UTC
From: n5jro@...
Topic: 4474 Message: 4474

I have a uhf dvap. I have been told and have read that it only uses simplex. Which means (I've been told I can't connect to xrf reflectors). If that is true no fun. I an running windows 10 and an icom ID-880-H. Not easy to program. I have been trying some simplex frequencies,I hear a beep like I an hitting something. New to this and am kinda confused. Any suggestions?

4475. Re: UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-10 14:46:16 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4474 Message: 4475

Simplex operations do not prevent connections to other reflector systems. You need to download 3rd party software to talk to them.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4476. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-10 19:30:07 UTC
From: Jerry Overbey
Topic: 4474 Message: 4476

What is the 3rd party software?

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad

On Sunday, September 10, 2017, 9:46 AM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Simplex operations do not prevent connections to other reflector systems. You need to download 3rd party software to talk to them.

73,RobinAA4RC

4477. Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-11 14:41:01 UTC
From: birmham@...
Topic: 4477 Message: 4477

I haven't used my D-STAR radio or the DV access point for over a year or so and I have a new computer that I have installed the software on. My radio is a Icom ID-31A. I downloaded the latest software, Bonjour, and the FTDI software. I am using a Windows 10 computer. I also tried it on the Mac and it had the same issue.

On the Windows machine it recognizes that it is Com port 6 but I notice in the "black" window that every time I enter a frequency it comes up as invalid. I am trying to use 435.5 but have tried other frequencies as well.

The DV is 70 cm, serial number AP700232.

Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks,

Mike, K4LJG

4478. New DVAP dongle antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 01:14:17 UTC
From: greynoldz@...
Topic: 4478 Message: 4478

Picked up a DVAP dongle before a recent move and now I can't find the antenna.
Any idea where I can pick up a replacement?

4479. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP dongle antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 01:24:39 UTC
From: T. Richard Peoples
Topic: 4478 Message: 4479

I put a rubber ducky on mine but had to get an adapter from Ham Radio Outlet.
Call Josh at the Atlanta HRO store and they will ship you what you need from their closest store 770-263-0700.
Richard
Sent from my iPhone

> On Sep 11, 2017, at 9:14 PM, greynoldz@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Picked up a DVAP dongle before a recent move and now I can't find the antenna.
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4480. Re: New DVAP dongle antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 01:44:56 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4478 Message: 4480

I use a standard Jetstream JT2 SMA dual band HT antenna with a 90 degree SMA connector. I get about a two block radius with my ID-51A+ this way.
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

4481. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP dongle antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 01:20:47 UTC
From: Donald Jacob
Topic: 4478 Message: 4481

Gigaparts, HRO or the likes.
Just look for a male sma connector on the antenna. They run between $15 and $20.

73
WB5EKU

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> Picked up a DVAP dongle before a recent move and now I can't find the
> antenna.
> Any idea where I can pick up a replacement?
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4482. Re: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 02:32:00 UTC
From: T. Richard Peoples
Topic: 4477 Message: 4482

Are you putting 9 digits in the frequency field? as 435500000
No periods

Richard

Sent from my iPhone

> On Sep 11, 2017, at 10:41 AM, birmham@bellsouth.net [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Any help would be appreciated.
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> Thanks,
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> Mike, K4LJG
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4483. Re: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 14:50:26 UTC
From: Jerry Overbey
Topic: 4477 Message: 4483

I haven't got mine working yet either but I do know you have to program for simplex. Then go from there. I still don't know a good simplex freq. using a ic 8-800H

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad

On Monday, September 11, 2017, 9:32 PM, 'T. Richard Peoples' twopeoples@att..net [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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No periods
Richard
Sent from my iPhone
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Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks,

Mike, K4LJG

4484. RE: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 16:56:55 UTC
From: Jerry Overbey
Topic: 4477 Message: 4484
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Yes I am using 446225000

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

From: 'T. Richard Peoples' twopeoples@... [DVAPDongle]
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 7:51 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Are you putting 9 digits in the frequency field? as 435500000
No periods

Richard

Sent from my iPhone

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Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks,

Mike, K4LJG

4485. Re: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 18:38:23 UTC
From: n5jro@...
Topic: 4477 Message: 4485

What is a good simplex frequency

4486. RE: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-12 21:10:30 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4477 Message: 4486

From the logs I see that you successfully connected at 11:43AM and 3:49PM today.

I use 445670000 for simplex on 70cm.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4487. Re: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-13 00:01:22 UTC
From: Jerry Overbey
Topic: 4477 Message: 4487

I do hit a repeater or gateway or what ever I hit. I used 446225000 and 435000000 but what am I getting into. Do I have to get rid of the cq and put a call sign there. I see on my pc that rpt 1 is direct and so is rpt 2. My radio is telling not linked.

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

On Tuesday, September 12, 2017, 4:10 PM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

From the logs I see that you successfully connected at 11:43AM and 3:49PM today.

I use 445670000 for simplex on 70cm.

73,RobinAA4RC

4488. Re: [DVAPDongle] Invalid frequency

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-09-13 03:51:18 UTC
From: Jerry Overbey
Topic: 4477 Message: 4488

No one was home

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

On Tuesday, September 12, 2017, 4:10 PM, aa4rc@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

From the logs I see that you successfully connected at 11:43AM and 3:49PM today.

I use 445670000 for simplex on 70cm.

73,RobinAA4RC

4489. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP dongle antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-02 03:19:50 UTC
From: G. Reynolds
Topic: 4478 Message: 4489

Do I need a dual band antenna?

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

On Monday, September 11, 2017, 17:20, Donald Jacob wb5eku@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Gigaparts, HRO or the likes. Just look for a male sma connector on the antenna. They run between $15 and $20.
73WB5EKU

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4490. Re: [DVAPDongle] New DVAP dongle antenna?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-02 13:03:35 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4478 Message: 4490

Send a direct message and we'll work out getting you a replacement antenna.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4491. Re: UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-02 15:46:32 UTC
From: n5jro@...
Topic: 4474 Message: 4491

Do you have to use simplex with the access point red?

4492. Re: UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-02 16:14:51 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4474 Message: 4492

Yes.

Robin

4493. Re: UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-03 02:26:51 UTC
From: n5jro@...
Topic: 4474 Message: 4493

Man of few words. Ok simplex do I have to put a repeater call sign in rpt1 if so what would be the freq.and a call sign.

4494. Re: UHF dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-03 13:11:17 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4474 Message: 4494

Have you considered reading the documentation at
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Using_the_DVAP.html ?

Robin

4495. Dongle green led not lit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-20 04:42:44 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4495 Message: 4495

I just reinstalled my drivers and a new version dvap tool 2.1 from 1.04 tool.
Now the green led is not lit! Before I could see the green and the blue led strobe.

Any help much appreciated.
KB1SYX

4496. Re: Dongle green led not lit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-20 13:03:32 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4495 Message: 4496

There is no DVAPTool 2.1. You have installed DVTool 2.1 which works with the DV Dongle, not the DVAP.

You can download the latest DVAPTool from www.dvapdongle.com http://www.dvapdongle.com

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4497. Re: Dongle green led not lit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-21 01:20:31 UTC
From: jayman012348@...
Topic: 4495 Message: 4497

This time I have the correct tool in place thank you. There is however no green led.

Thank you
73 kb1syx

4498. Re: Dongle green led not lit

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-23 01:41:55 UTC
From: n5jro@...
Topic: 4495 Message: 4498

Remove it from pc and reinstall

4499. DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-31 04:31:58 UTC
From: cbwovbun4kvmhuosgoukxsplabdmnutmbqnczm2x@...
Topic: 4499 Message: 4499

How can I increase the size of the graphic interface? It is only about 1.5 inches big which does not allow me to enter the frequency, my call sign, or to open it. I did try to change the display resolution which did not help? I have a new HP laptop with recommended resolution of 3840x2160 with text set at 250% magnification.
Thank you.

4500. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-31 17:49:23 UTC
From: n4gll@...
Topic: 4363 Message: 4500

I can link to reflectors with no problem, but not to a repeater.
My UR field is as follows:
KO4EOCCL
When I key, it replies "remote system unlinked"
What am I doing wrong?

Thanks,

Gary, N4GLL

4501. Re: Syntax to connect to a repeater , not Reflector ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-31 17:53:04 UTC
From: n4gll@...
Topic: 4342 Message: 4501

I would like an answer to that question as well.
I see this was posted Feb. 16 but no replies.

Gary, N4GLL

4502. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-31 18:15:12 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 4499 Message: 4502

Same here. Both the DVAP and DVTOOL for my DV Dongle are virtually unusable on my new Surface Book.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

Sent from my Windows 10 phone

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> on behalf of cbwovbun4kvmhuosgoukxsplabdmnutmbqnczm2x@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Monday, October 30, 2017 9:31:58 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP tool graphic interface to small

How can I increase the size of the graphic interface? It is only about 1.5 inches big which does not allow me to enter the frequency, my call sign, or to open it. I did try to change the display resolution which did not help? I have a new HP laptop with recommended resolution of 3840x2160 with text set at 250% magnification.
Thank you.

4503. Re: DVAP to Link to a D-STAR Repeater? (Not Reflector) [1 Attachment

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-31 21:38:42 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 4363 Message: 4503

Hi Gary,

You picked the wrong repeater to try and link to. It is out-of-sync with the network (20 days and counting). I can't connect to KO4EOC either. Your configuration would be correct for linking.

73

James, N0XIA

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <n4gll@...> wrote :

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What am I doing wrong?

Thanks,

Gary, N4GLL

4504. Re: Syntax to connect to a repeater , not Reflector ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-10-31 21:48:04 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 4342 Message: 4504

Hello Andy, K3UK,

I can't answer your question when it comes to using RT systems software. I can say that the radio should be simplex and nothing is needed in R1 and R2 fields. Linking to a repeater is the same as a reflector. Example: UR shall be "W4AES BL" to connect to repeater/gateway W4AES on port B. Note I have a space since the call is only 5 characters. The port and "L"ink need to be in the 7th and 8th positions respectively.

73,

James, N0XIA

4505. Registration on Icom GW v3.0

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-01 02:09:23 UTC
From: jlbates4@...
Topic: 4505 Message: 4505
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I am the GW admin for the W4FJ repeater stack in Richmond Va.

I have a user who has tried to register on our v3.0 system. (see screenshot) Entry 1 has a space and entry 2 has an A and AP checkbox.

The user is getting the RO error from the log and can not connect RW to REFxxx or Icom GW's.

The dplususerls shows:
Local users registered with terminals added including space:
[K8LIN] [2017-10-29 16:50] [k8lin.bca@gmail.com] [Bradley Abernethy]

remote client connect request from 100.7.50.115:56267 len 5 2017/10/31 21:42:00.044
login request from 100.7.50.115:56267 K8LIN :AP700324 RO passed 2017/10/31 21:42:00.073
usertablecnt 83741 unique callsigns 55417

The directions on Step #9 of the D-Star Registration page no longer work vo v3.0 of the GW software - I can not enter a hostname on the new personal information screen:
http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html
http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html

Any help or suggestions on how to get this user to RW mode would be greatly appreciated!!!

73 de K8OI

4506. Re: Syntax to connect to a repeater , not Reflector ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-01 14:01:09 UTC
From: n9ko@...
Topic: 4342 Message: 4506

Check with the repeater administrator. I tried to pull up their dashboard and nothing came up. That tells me they are currently not linked to the Dstar gateway. This may be a temporary issue, or a permanent decision.

Check it out yourself: <repeater callsign>.dstargateway.org

N9KO
Calvin

4507. Re: Registration on Icom GW v3.0

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-01 22:15:00 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 4505 Message: 4507

Hello Jim, K8OI,

Have you tried K8LIN now? I think it is working at least as of 6:00 PM EDT.

You are correct. There is no longer a pcname field. It was for using 23cm, ID-1's in the data mode and that field is no longer available with G3.

73,

James, N0XIA

4508. Re: Registration on Icom GW v3.0

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-02 09:45:53 UTC
From: jlbates4@...
Topic: 4505 Message: 4508

The user is now working; though I'm not sure why.

I deleted his W4FJ Gateway account, waited a few hours and re-created his account. Subsequently, I added the terminal with " " and his account now works RW.

Wanted to share the update with the group.

73 de K8OI

4509. Re: Syntax to connect to a repeater , not Reflector ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-02 14:14:52 UTC
From: n4gll@...
Topic: 4342 Message: 4509

Hello Calvin,

When I go to that link it brings up the dstar reg. page.
The repeater IS connected to the gateway, I heard people talking on it last night.
http://www.dstarusers.org/viewrepeater.php?system=KO4EOC
http://www.dstarusers.org/viewrepeater.php?system=KO4EOC
I tried linking to some other repeaters.
One of them replies "remote system linked, receive only."
Another links without any problems.
It's just the KO4EOC that says "remote system unlinked" when I try linking to it.
Must be the way they have it set up.

Thanks for you input,

Gary, N4GLL

4510. Re: Syntax to connect to a repeater , not Reflector ?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-02 23:51:43 UTC
From: n9ko@...
Topic: 4342 Message: 4510

I again tried to open their dashboard >>> http://ko4eoc.dstargateway.org/ http://ko4eoc.dstargateway.org/ <<< and nothing happens. I see that it is an EOC center and I would assume it would want open access to the world in case there was a local emergency. Check with the repeater trustee, or some other local hams to see if they are having similar symptoms.

N9KO
Calvin

4511. DVAP with Pi-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-13 03:26:30 UTC
From: mitchsfm@...
Topic: 4511 Message: 4511

I just am getting back on D-Star after a long hiatus. I have a hotspot which is a VHF DVAP/Raspberry PI 3. The RPi software is the latest version of PiStar. My radio is an Icom IC-51A, the original model. I had it working fine with a RPi three or four years ago, but have forgotten everything I learned about D-Star since then.

I finally think I have it working getting connected to a reflector. I can also connect to the local VHF D-Star repeater with the hotspot.. But I can't seem to have the repeater connect to a reflector after I connect.

Anyone have something they can point me to which explains how to use a hotspot to connect to a repeater and then to a reflector. The reflector I am trying to connect is REF058A or REF058C.

Thanks in advance for any assistance.

Mitch W4OA

4512. DVAP Update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-13 10:13:01 UTC
From: kc9uda@...
Topic: 4512 Message: 4512

Every time I open the DVAP it says there is an update to go to the group. Does anyone know what update I need to download as I am running the older software?

Thanks Tom KC9UDA

4513. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Pi-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-15 14:37:49 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4511 Message: 4513

You may not have permission from the reperator owner to link and unlink the machine. Just connect direct to the reflector.

On Nov 15, 2017 8:41 AM, "mitchsfm@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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>
> I just am getting back on D-Star after a long hiatus. I have a hotspot
> which is a VHF DVAP/Raspberry PI 3. The RPi software is the latest version
> of PiStar. My radio is an Icom IC-51A, the original model. I had it working
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> am trying to connect is REF058A or REF058C.
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>
> Thanks in advance for any assistance.
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> Mitch W4OA
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>

4514. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-15 16:15:40 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4512 Message: 4514

What version does the pop up say you are running? DVAP Tools V1.05 is current.

Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 13, 2017, at 4:13 AM, kc9uda@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Every time I open the DVAP it says there is an update to go to the group. Does anyone know what update I need to download as I am running the older software?
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>
> Thanks Tom KC9UDA
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>

4515. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP with Pi-Star

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-15 19:56:23 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 4511 Message: 4515

Good afternoon, Mitch. I am no DSTAR expert, but I'm curious. Why would you want to link your hotspot to a repeater, and then the repeater to a reflector? I would just link the hotspot to the reflector. 73.

Roy KW4G

On 11/12/2017 10:26 PM, mitchsfm@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> which is a VHF DVAP/Raspberry PI 3. The RPi software is the latest
> version of PiStar. My radio is an Icom IC-51A, the original model. I
> had it working fine with a RPi three or four years ago, but have
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> reflector I am trying to connect is REF058A or REF058C.
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> Thanks in advance for any assistance.
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> Mitch W4OA
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Roy G. Jackson
Naples, Florida USA

4516. DVAP Tool 1.05 "No DV AP Dongle found"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-11-22 20:49:45 UTC
From: avavra1@...
Topic: 4516 Message: 4516

I'm having several problems since I upgraded from 1.04 to ver 1.05.

First I get an error message "No DV AP Dongle found"

When I unplug and replug my DVAP and attempt a second connect I get a new error message "No Gateways Found."

Then when I cancel out of everything and re-start I get the welcome message "You are running the latest version..." which runs ok for a couple of hours after which I get the "Not currently connected" error message and am unable to reconnect without repeating all of the above.

Any thoughts as to what I might be doing wrong or how to prevent this from happening again?

I am running everything on a HP Netbook which worked fine until the newest software update.

Thanks in advance.

- Andy, KD3RF

4517. Re: DVAP Problems Since Upgrading to MAC OS 10.9

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2017-12-22 12:45:56 UTC
From: kd2alv@...
Topic: 2797 Message: 4517

Hi ALL,

GET INFO on the app, check the PREVENT APP NAP checkbox SOLVED this annoying problem! MANY THANKS.

73,

Dan

KD2ALV
HK3DC

4518. DV Dongle (Red) image for Raspberry Pi3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-03 23:23:39 UTC
From: ed311@...
Topic: 4518 Message: 4518

Sorry, can anyone point where I can find a image for the Pi3 that will work with my DV Dongle (Red) 2 Meters.

Somebody mentioned Robin, has created a image?

If there is a setup instructions setting the above would be great.

Thanks

Ed

4519. Uhf dvap issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-04 04:42:43 UTC
From: Warren Kean
Topic: 4519 Message: 4519

Hi I am trying to trouble shoot a dvap dongle uhf version,
unit was working fine connected to raspberry pi then started to develop issues,
I am not sure if it is a PI issue or a dvap issue
so far i replaced usb cable between dvap and pc I removed pi from equation and downloaded dvap tools 1.05
when i start program it see's the dvap (com 3) and says its opened but when I key up on say the repeater status on the log page it says its ignoring radio because its not in simplex mode
I know the radio is in simplex mode because I use the same radio on my own openspot on a uhf simplex frequency, I selected a different uhf frequency other than mine but another one that the person that used to have this dvap used
and it still says not in simplex mode r1 r2 not set too direct??

any help would be appreciated just trying to rule out that the dvap is at fault

Thanks
Warren va7rc

4520. Re: [DVAPDongle] Uhf dvap issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-04 15:26:06 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4519 Message: 4520

Warren,I experienced a similar problem with a 440 dvap a while back and solved it by setting my transceiver to 5000 hz lower than the dvap.Example: DVAP 445955000
    XMTR 445950000
Give it a shot, you have nothing to loose !
Bill - w5umq

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 7:07 AM, Warren Kean ve7dpg@...
[DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
Hi I am trying to trouble shoot a dvap dongle uhf version,
unit was working fine connected to raspberry pi then started to develop issues,
I am not sure if it is a PI issue or a dvap issue
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and it still says not in simplex mode r1 r2 not set too direct??

any help would be appreciated just trying to rule out that the dvap is at fault

Thanks
Warren va7rc

4521. Re: [DVAPDongle] Uhf dvap issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-04 19:51:44 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 4519 Message: 4521

Have you set the RPTR1 and RPTR2 settings to DIRECT?
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Roy G. Jackson KW4G
Naples, Florida USA

On Thu, 2018-01-04 at 04:42 +0000, Warren Kean ve7dpg@...
[DVAPDongle] wrote:
> Hi I am trying to trouble shoot a dvap dongle uhf version,
> unit was working fine connected to raspberry pi then started to
> develop issues,
> I am not sure if it is a PI issue or a dvap issue
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> my own openspot on a uhf simplex frequency, I selected a different
> uhf frequency other than mine but another one that the person that
> used to have this dvap used
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> Thanks
> Warren va7rc
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4522. Re: [DVAPDongle] DV Dongle (Red) image for Raspberry Pi3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-04 19:54:20 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 4518 Message: 4522

I don't know about Robin's image, but I use an image called Pi-Star. It works very well with my red DVAP. There is a program for a PC called DVAPTools, but I'm not sure if it works with an RPi.
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Roy G. Jackson KW4G
Naples, Florida USA

On Wed, 2018-01-03 at 23:23 +0000, ed311@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
> Sorry, can anyone point where I can find a image for the Pi3 that
> will work with my DV Dongle (Red) 2 Meters.
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> Somebody mentioned Robin, has created a image?
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> If there is a setup instructions setting the above would be great.
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> Thanks
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> Ed
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4523. Re: DV Dongle (Red) image for Raspberry Pi3

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-05 02:34:24 UTC
From: nn4e@...
Topic: 4518 Message: 4523

I use dstar commander, flash to QSO in about 10 minutes

73

http://w6kd.boards.net/thread/2/dstar-commander-public-release-download/
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4524. Re: [DVAPDongle] Uhf dvap issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-04 21:27:12 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4519 Message: 4524

Warren:
If you use anything but the supplied USB cable (mine is cream colored) the DVAP may not work.
Robin Cutshaw (the guru behind the DVAP and owner of Inet) told me that there is a slight difference between a standard USB A-B cable and his. I ordered a spare from Robin but it never got to me.
I switch my VHF DVAP between my Pi 3 and my netbook all the time. I sometimes have to restart DV Tools 1.05 several times or unpower the Pi 3 a couple times to get it to start up (and reopen the serial port) but then it’s fine for a time.

73:
Garry

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 3, 2018, at 11:42 PM, Warren Kean ve7dpg@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
> Hi I am trying to trouble shoot a dvap dongle uhf version,
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> any help would be appreciated just trying to rule out that the dvap is at fault
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> Thanks
> Warren va7rc
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4525. Re: pi 3 with dvap

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-06 21:11:35 UTC
From: jchpharmd@...
Topic: 4330 Message: 4525

This worked great. Thanks so much for sharing, and thanks to Brian for taking the time to build it!

W1JCH

4526. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-21 00:05:12 UTC
From: ttwb72@...
Topic: 4499 Message: 4526

I am having similar problem (Windows 10 64 bit) any idea what to try to get this correct?

4527. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-22 14:02:17 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4499 Message: 4527

It looks like you have increased your system font size. You will need to compensate by running DVAPTool in a command window with the option "-fontscale NN" where NN is 30-70. Try 40 first.

"DVAPTool -fontscale 40"

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4528. Re: [DVAPDongle] Uhf dvap issues

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-23 13:51:23 UTC
From: David Bailey
Topic: 4519 Message: 4528

Hi:
Not sure if this will help but look at this:
It sounds like you need to calibrate your DVAP. It is a simple process. Open DVAPTool version 1.05, click open on the device box, and hit CTRL-C (or CMD-C on Mac). That will bring up the calibration window.
Write down the calibration value. If the value in the calibration dialog box is not "46", enter that number and hit test. You should hear audio from the device on your HT. Then click program to finish. Another CTRL-C will close the box.
On Friday, January 5, 2018, 9:51:07 AM EST, Garry w9whf4@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

Warren:
If you use anything but the supplied USB cable (mine is cream colored) the DVAPmay not work.. Robin Cutshaw (the guru behind the DVAPand owner of Inet) told me that there is a slight difference between a standard USB A-B cable and his. I ordered a spare from Robin but it never got to me.I switch my VHF DVAP between my Pi 3 and my netbook all the time. I sometimes have to restart DV Tools 1.05 several times or unpower the Pi 3 a couple times to get it to start up (and reopen the serial port) but then it’s fine for a time.
73:Garry
Sent from my iPhone
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Thanks
Warren va7rc

4529. DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-26 00:49:03 UTC
From: HINQVSPE3KCAFUYEGDXZ4YZIN4@...
Topic: 4529 Message: 4529

Hello,

I have a Red DVAP on V1.03

I am suffering with problems of it going into continual TX i have to reset it and it is ok.

It is running on a Raspberry PI.

Where can i down load the latest version on the boot firmware?

Thanks

Matt
G7HMV

4530. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-26 14:16:03 UTC
From: Dennis Dease
Topic: 4529 Message: 4530

The PTT lockup problem occurs when using a VHF DVAP with all images based on the G4KLX suite. There is no firmware fix.

The UHF DVAP has a newer firmware and does not have the problem. I sold my VHF DVAP and bought the UHF DVAP.
That solved the PTT lockup problem.

Dennis - N4NR

On Thu, Jan 25, 2018 at 7:49 PM, HINQVSPE3KCAFUYEGDXZ4YZIN4@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Hello,
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> I am suffering with problems of it going into continual TX i have to
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> Where can i down load the latest version on the boot firmware?
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> Matt
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> G7HMV
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4531. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-26 16:15:01 UTC
From: Stephen King
Topic: 4529 Message: 4531

Hi Matt!

You did not indicate what software you are trying to use to run the DVAP.

For some reason that I do not understand, the VHF DVAP will only run reliably on the DVAPTool software … At least that was the case when I gave up on it … It will do exactly what you describe with all the Raspberry Pi distributions out there …. I have not tried PI-Star, but the others I tried would not run reliably, and it is a known problem that a lot of people do not know … and there does not seem to be a solution … Unless Pi-Star gets around it ...

When I was running the DVAP I used DVAPTool on the Raspberry PI .. that does work …

Good Luck! And if you get anything to work, please let us know!

Best Regards,

Steve/W3SMK

"Invisible airwaves crackle with life
Bright antennae bristle with the energy
Emotional feedback on timeless wavelength
Bearing a gift beyond price, almost free"
-- "The Spirit of Radio"

> On Jan 25, 2018, at 4:49 PM, HINQVSPE3KCAFUYEGDXZ4YZIN4@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4532. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-26 19:24:56 UTC
From: Matt Wood
Topic: 4529 Message: 4532

Are there other images available for the PI which don’t have this problem you could direct me to?

Matt

Sent from my iPhone
07824 360457

> On 26 Jan 2018, at 14:16, Dennis Dease lists@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
>
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>
> The UHF DVAP has a newer firmware and does not have the problem. I sold my VHF DVAP and bought the UHF DVAP.
> That solved the PTT lockup problem.
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> Dennis - N4NR
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>> On Thu, Jan 25, 2018 at 7:49 PM, HINQVSPE3KCAFUYEGDXZ4YZIN4@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4533. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-26 19:31:19 UTC
From: F Mitchell
Topic: 4529 Message: 4533

My VHF red DVAP is running flawlessly using Pi-Star. Pi-Star is a fantastic program. I am using the DVAP for dstar and also have two mmdvm_hs RPi Z W hotspots, one for DMR and one for YSF. Both of the mmdvm_hs hotspots are also running Pi-Star. The Pi-Star software is amazing! More info at pistar.uk and FB group.

Mitch W4OA

4534. Re: Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-26 20:01:20 UTC
From: Brad Smith
Topic: 4529 Message: 4534

I run two VHF DVAPS, both on Rasberry Pi 3's, using ID-41 plus 2 radios and have never had a single lockup. I run the DStar Commander image on both micro-sd cards.

Brad Smith
KC9UQR

4535. Re: DVAP Red firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-01-27 01:51:42 UTC
From: jchpharmd@...
Topic: 4529 Message: 4535

I use this installer method from NJ6N. I am not one for using a prebuilt image so I used Noobs, updated Raspian then installed DVAPTool 1.06 per the below. No issues. I do have a cron that reboots the Pi every night. I have a DVAP 440.

http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html http://nj6n.com/dstar/dvap_installer.html

Cheers, W1JCH

4536. Icom 4100 and DVAP Dongle.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-06 16:09:53 UTC
From: w2rqd@...
Topic: 4536 Message: 4536

Still having problems getting the radio to talk through the computer. But my main question is:
proximity to anther DStar Ham just 300 feet away from me. I am wondering if our closeness will impact our operations on DStar both using the same DVAP Dongle. Before I run out of time, I either find a solution to my connect problem and the proximity to the other ham or return the Dongle to DX Engineering.
Any thought most appreciated.
Wayne W2RQD NE Illinois

4537. Re: [DVAPDongle] Icom 4100 and DVAP Dongle.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-11 11:07:40 UTC
From: Roy G. Jackson
Topic: 4536 Message: 4537

Wayne,
This should not be a problem, as long as you separate yourself in frequency from your neighbor. I have a DVAP that I use for DSTAR, and a DVMEGA that I use for DMR, both located in the same house. Actually, they sit side-by-side. I run one on 441.000 MHz and the other on 445.550 MHz. I see no interaction between the two. An easy test would be to find out what frequency your neighbor is using. Then tune your radio to that frequency for a while when you know he is operating. Good luck with the other problems. 73.
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Roy Jackson KW4G
Naples, FL. USA
On Tue, 2018-02-06 at 16:09 +0000, w2rqd@... [DVAPDongle]
wrote:
> Still having problems getting the radio to talk through the
> computer. But my main question is:
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> proximity to anther DStar Ham just 300 feet away from me. I am
> wondering if our closeness will impact our operations on DStar both
> using the same DVAP Dongle. Before I run out of time, I either find
> a solution to my connect problem and the proximity to the other ham
> or return the Dongle to DX Engineering.
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> Any thought most appreciated.
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> Wayne W2RQD NE Illinois
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4538. Re: [DVAPDongle] Icom 4100 and DVAP Dongle.

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-11 13:44:57 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4536 Message: 4538

Change the frequency of the dvap. Low power on ht.

On Feb 10, 2018 9:14 PM, "w2rqd@... [DVAPDongle]" <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Still having problems getting the radio to talk through the computer. But
> my main question is:
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> proximity to anther DStar Ham just 300 feet away from me. I am wondering
> if our closeness will impact our operations on DStar both using the same
> DVAP Dongle. Before I run out of time, I either find a solution to my
> connect problem and the proximity to the other ham or return the Dongle to
> DX Engineering.
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> Any thought most appreciated.
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> Wayne W2RQD NE Illinois
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4539. Re: DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-11 17:44:53 UTC
From: ttwb72@...
Topic: 4499 Message: 4539
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I will try that; attached are screen shoots

4540. Re: DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-11 18:08:06 UTC
From: ttwb72@...
Topic: 4499 Message: 4540

Robin,
Thanx for all your help. I am not very computer smart, or I follow instructions too explicitly.
I have two ways that I think I know hoe to run something from the command line interface;
Right click windows flag-icon lower left (START?)
Select "Run", "Command prompt" "Command prompt (Admin)"
On entering "DVAPTool -fontscale 40" without quotes the system can't or it is not a command, operable program or batch file.
Seems like I need to provide a full path name, but then there would be the extension?
As you can tell I am not knowledgeable with the command prompt.
C:\Program Files (x86)\DVAPTool.exe -fontscale 40 ?
I'll try both.with and without the extension.

By the way it works perfectly on the DELL XPS 8700 and other than the display or interface window it is works great on the Dell Inspiration Laptop
Both Windows 10 64 bit

Thanx for all your help
R,
Todd WB1HAI

4541. Re: DVAP tool graphic interface to small

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-11 18:45:51 UTC
From: ttwb72@...
Topic: 4499 Message: 4541

Clearly I am doing something wrong here as well, becasue my two posts with screen shots are not here.
Well I did go into the command interface line and remembering my Amiga and DOS 3.0 days commands I changed the directory to where DVAPTool was and ran the program with fontscale 30. 40 was too large. Attached and maybe pasted is a screen shot
Thanx again for your help
Todd
WB1HAI

---In DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com, <aa4rc@...> wrote :

It looks like you have increased your system font size. You will need to compensate by running DVAPTool in a command window with the option "-fontscale NN" where NN is 30-70. Try 40 first.

"DVAPTool -fontscale 40"

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4542. Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-14 06:17:30 UTC
From: kd7cvj@...
Topic: 4542 Message: 4542

I need to replace the cable for my DVAP. I am also looking for a shorter cable, 6- 8 inch long. Even better is a short one that has the correct mini and micro connectors to use with Raspberry Pi 3.

4543. 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-15 19:48:37 UTC
From: michael@...
Topic: 4543 Message: 4543

So, if I have 2 DVAPs..one for home and one for my vehicle. I seem to be running into an issue because they are both logged on at the same time. Do I need another entry in my D-Star Gateway System (I currently only have a single entry - just my call sign) in order to have 2 DVAPs logged on at the same time?

Thanks,

Michael

4544. Re: 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-15 22:30:47 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4543 Message: 4544

Hi Michael. It should not be an issue. What problem are you seeing?

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4545. RE: [DVAPDongle] 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-15 23:38:08 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 4543 Message: 4545

Yes, you need two terminals in your DSTAR registration.
The default “blank” one is not enough. You need a separate terminal for every user that is simultaneously in-use.

See step #8 at: http://www.dstargateway.org/D-Star_Registration.html
It shows you the terminal page.

Yes, before you ask, you will need to remember your DSTAR registration password. If you’ve forgotten it, you will need to reset it via your local repeater admin. The only way to add new terminals is via your DSTAR registration.

Good hunting!

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 11:49 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] 2 DVAPs?

So, if I have 2 DVAPs..one for home and one for my vehicle. I seem to be running into an issue because they are both logged on at the same time. Do I need another entry in my D-Star Gateway System (I currently only have a single entry - just my call sign) in order to have 2 DVAPs logged on at the same time?

Thanks,

Michael

4546. Re: 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-15 23:51:32 UTC
From: michael@...
Topic: 4543 Message: 4546

Well, one seemed to only stay connected for a short period of time (4 - 5 seconds) and then wouldn't reconnect again for a couple of hours. As soon as I switched the callsign on one (my daughter is licensed) then everything worked again. So before I set it all back (there were other issues with the 2nd hotspot that are now worked out) I wanted to ensure that I could, in fact, have 2 up and running at the same time (on different frequencies).

Michael

4547. Re: [DVAPDongle] 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-18 16:21:23 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 4543 Message: 4547

Terminal are not by user. They are for devices and are only needed if you
are going to run two or more devices concurrently, for routing purposes

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Thu, Feb 15, 2018 at 6:38 PM, Dave Wickert dwickert@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Yes, you need two terminals in your DSTAR registration.
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> Yes, before you ask, you will need to remember your DSTAR registration
> password. If you’ve forgotten it, you will need to reset it via your local
> repeater admin. The only way to add new terminals is via your DSTAR
> registration.
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> Good hunting!
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> _-_-_ Dave, AE7TD
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> *Sent:* Thursday, February 15, 2018 11:49 AM
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> *Subject:* [DVAPDongle] 2 DVAPs?
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> Thanks,
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> Michael
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4548. Re: Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-18 01:50:09 UTC
From: Brian Frobisher
Topic: 4542 Message: 4548

Monoprice.com rocks for cables.

Sent from an iPhone
Klaatu barada nikto

4549. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-24 12:12:43 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 4542 Message: 4549

These are standard cables that you can find almost anywhere and are just a few dollars. Just pay attention to the connector that goes into the DVAP.

From: "kd7cvj@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 5:29 PM
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Cable Replacement

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4550. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-24 15:32:34 UTC
From: Roger W. Long
Topic: 4542 Message: 4550

I bought shorter cables on Amazon. They have all lengths.

73
Roger
KC0NDR

> On Feb 24, 2018, at 6:12 AM, Bob Herrin herrinb@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4551. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-25 02:16:38 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4542 Message: 4551

I wanted a spare USB cable.
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at Inet and asked for an official replacement. Supposedly one was sent but not received.
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4552. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-25 02:23:48 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4542 Message: 4552

Here’s the usb mini cable used with the DV Dongle and DVAP:

https://www.mouser.com/ProductDetail/538-88732-8800
https://www.mouser.com/ProductDetail/538-88732-8800

Robin

4553. Re: [DVAPDongle] Dvap Cable Replacement

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-02-25 14:02:57 UTC
From: Mike Rees
Topic: 4542 Message: 4553

Garry's response is the reason for my query. My existing cable works fine, I need a shorter one for more compact packaging with a pi-zero. I have tried several cables that have not worked.
73MikeKD7CVJ

On Saturday, February 24, 2018, 7:19:08 PM MST, Garry w9whf4@...m [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4554. Gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-12 16:24:51 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4554 Message: 4554

Hi,

why I can't connect to any reflector with WIN 7 64 bit and DV access point.Get always the voice message Gateway unknown.

How I can solve this problem ? Many thanks in advance

73 Rolf DC1ZZ

4555. DVAP cable

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-08 03:26:26 UTC
From: K2HVE
Topic: 4555 Message: 4555

I’ve used several standard everyday cables and all have worked fine.. Not sure what the problem is.
Chris K2HVE

Sent from Chris K2HVE Mobile

> On Mar 7, 2018, at 9:56 PM, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com wrote:
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> DVAPDongle Group
> 1 Message Digest #1360
> 1a Re: Dvap Cable Replacement by "Mike Rees" kd7cvj
> Message
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> Wed Mar 7, 2018 6:39 pm (PST) . Posted by: "Mike Rees" kd7cvj
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4556. DVAP UHF dongle software to use computer mic and headset

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-08 17:24:45 UTC
From: gfarough@...
Topic: 4556 Message: 4556

Hi group

Anyone found software that will use computer mic and headset with the DVAP dongle uhf model?

Glen

DVAP IC-7100 ID-51a

4557. D-STAR Access

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-08 16:47:33 UTC
From: Kenneth Holcombe
Topic: 4557 Message: 4557

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I live in a small town (Boerne, TX) that has a few System Fusion repeaters. The closest two meter D-STAR repeater is WD5STR in San Antonio (22 Miles). They do not have a registration URL listed so I tried to register on W5KA in Austin. My registration was rejected, probably because I live over 90 miles away. I found an email address for the WD5STR administrator in San Antonio, but have not heard anything back. I also sent an email to aa4rc@... <mailto:aa4rc@...> but have not heard anything back. Any ideas?

Ken Holcombe, W1KE
121 S Plant Ave #601
Boerne, TX 78006-2124
210-385-8047
holcombek@... <mailto:holcombek@...>

4558. Gateway unknown

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-08 20:31:02 UTC
From: allister_mclane@...
Topic: 4554 Message: 4558

Hi,

need your help please.

Working since many years with the red DV access point and rasp 3 without any problems. Now I tried for some reasons to connect the dongle with my Laptop Win7 64bit without any success. Try to link to a reflector I get always "Gateway unknown".

Same radio (Kenwood TH-74) no changes between rasp and Win7. RPT1 and RPT2 to Direct etc.

At the moment I have no idea where I can find my mistake. Any suggestions ?

Many thanks in advance.

73 Rolf, DC1ZZ

4559. Re: D-STAR Access

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-12 22:57:26 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4557 Message: 4559

Hi Ken. You are fully registered.

USER REGISTERED AT GATEWAY
[W1KE] [W5AW]

TERMINAL LAST HEARD GATEWAY
[W1KE] [W5AW A]
[W1KE Z] [W1KE Z]

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4560. Re: DVAP UHF dongle software to use computer mic and headset

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-12 23:28:59 UTC
From: lists@...
Topic: 4556 Message: 4560

The Internet Labs DVAP does not have a DSTAR CODEC chip inside and will not function as a computer only DSTAR dongle. It relies on the DSTAR CODEC in the DSTAR radio you use with it.

Dennis - N4NR

4561. Re: [DVAPDongle] D-STAR Access

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-12 23:59:21 UTC
From: Kenneth Holcombe
Topic: 4557 Message: 4561

Yes, I crossed that bridge a few days ago. I am still struggling to have a QSO.

On Monday, March 12, 2018 5:56 PM, "Kenneth Holcombe holcombe.kenneth@... [DVAPDongle]" <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4562. Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-13 01:26:35 UTC
From: Kenneth Holcombe
Topic: 4562 Message: 4562

Using an ID-5100A with a DVAP dongle on Macbook Pro. Have tried dongle on High Sierra and Windows 10/Parallels. Both seem to work fine. The reflector (REF010BL) can hear me, but I get no response to my CQ. Any ideas? I am a newbie to all things VHF/UHF, so take it slow and assume nothing, please.

4563. RE: [DVAPDongle] DVAP UHF dongle software to use computer mic and headset

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-13 02:40:56 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 4556 Message: 4563

It cannot be done without additional hardware.
D-STAR uses the AMBE vocoder chip for its audio compression, see http://www.dstarinfo.com/ambe.aspx .
You need either: 1) a D-STAR radio, e.g. ID-51A, which has an on-board AMBE chip or 2) a hardware device that includes an AMBE chip, such as a DV Dongle.

The DVAP is a “repeater” that takes traffic from the Internet to RF, and RF to the Internet. It does nothing with underlying digital transmissions. For the actual audio processing, a DVAP needs a D-STAR radio to talk to (i.e. a device that knows how to encode/decode the audio stream).

My guess is what you are really asking for is a DV Dongle, or equivalent (http://www.dvdongle.com/DV_Dongle/Home.html)

73.

_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 8, 2018 9:25 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] DVAP UHF dongle software to use computer mic and headset

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DVAP IC-7100 ID-51a

4564. Re: 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-13 16:14:30 UTC
From: stevef18929@...
Topic: 4543 Message: 4564

I seem to recall needing to add the Initial to the call sign entered into the device but can't find anything related to that. Does the radio also need to have something altered in the setup when you have multiple devices?

4565. Re: Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-18 13:16:36 UTC
From: Jon Turner
Topic: 4562 Message: 4565

You listed the reflector as REF010BL. That is the command string to link to the reflector. REF010BU would be the command string to unlink. After you link to the reflector you need to change your radio to the frequency your dongle is set to with CQCQCQ as the setting. Using programming software I setup my TH-D74 with memory settings to link and unlink to the reflectors I am interested in and one that is on my DVAP's frequency with simplex and set to CQCQCQ. I struggled with this same issue. Hope this helps.
73
KC1IXN Jon

4566. RE: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-18 23:26:34 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 4543 Message: 4566

2 DVAPs? No.

2 simultaneous uses of the same call sign at the same time? Then Yes. You need to create and use different terminals in your D-STAR registration.

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_-_-_ Dave, AE7TD

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 13, 2018 9:15 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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4567. RE: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-18 23:29:51 UTC
From: Dave Wickert
Topic: 4562 Message: 4567

Can you walk us through the steps that you are taking to link the DVAP to 10B ? And how you have verified that the reflector can “hear” you and how you know that users have responded to your call (it would be unusual for someone to actually say “CQ” on D-STAR)?

We need some more specifics if you can.

Thanks.

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From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Monday, March 12, 2018 6:27 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
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4568. Getting started with DVAP and ID-31a

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-19 19:28:20 UTC
From: sooliner@...
Topic: 4568 Message: 4568

Hi,

I am brand new to both D-Star and the DVAP. I bought an ID-31a, a red DVAP for 440, and after trying without it first, the RT Systems software for the ID-31a. I am having issues, and I am sure this is because I am new to this, but I tried to research both the internet and watch YouTube videos first. A lot of what I see is older, so I think that is where I am running into the issues. Here is what I have done so far.

I registered with a "local" repeater group. Local as in about 100 miles away being the closest group, thus why I am going with the DVAP. Here is how I am registered, and this is my first discrepancy. I confirmed with the group that I am registered, but the Icom video shows a page that has IP #'s and Computer Names. From what I could research, this is only needed now for certain radios, like the 1 GHZ version.

https://www.flickr.com/photos/28604432@N06/27034414168/in/album-72157694670274615/
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So, I went and downloaded the software for the DVAP. At the end, I will go through some troubleshooting I attempted that didn't help. But, here are my settings on the Tools, downloaded and installed Bonjour also. Comptuer is a Win7, 64 bit with a direct cable connection into the router, no wifi. I do get an error about 75% down on the black screen that says "Cannot set device receive frequency" However, when I open the device, I get the red bars to move when I key up the radio. With the device closed, I get the slow flashing green, when open I get a blinking blue.
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This is my standard memories. Have tried the CQ and the Echo, but do not get a response from the DVAP.
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My DR Memories. I had more, but with the issues I have been having, been working on this since Friday, I cut a lot until I get this working, then will add more. I have tried with Repeaters, without. When I add a repeater into the channel, I loose that when I go into the DR Memories on the radio. If you look at the current pic, I only have the reflectors without a name in the repeater columns. But using the CQ, the Echo, any of those, I cannot connect to the DVAP.
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So, for troubleshooting, I have played with adding the repeater names, adding DIRECT, removing all, nothing has worked. I tried two different cables to the DVAP. I have tried different USB slots on the computer, I have 6 total. I have downloaded the tools program and looked at the scope on it to see where the radio is transmitting. It was a bit off the center of the 431.050, more like 431.200. So, instead of changing any calibration settings, I just changed the frequency in the main Tool program to 431.200. That didn't do anything.

I really did do a lot of research prior to asking for help, but could not find the thing I am not doing correctly. Does anyone have an suggestion to try?

Thanks and 73,

Jeremy, N8YP

4569. Red DVAP and WinDV

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-22 15:20:42 UTC
From: cqcqcq@...
Topic: 4569 Message: 4569

Hi All
Using a Red DVAP, TH-D74 and Win DV to run the DVAP.
When using WinDv I can access XRF reflectors if I change the setting from what seems to be the default of Dextra to DPlus. (I can never access an XRF using the DExtra setting.)
However when linking to XRF reflectors from the TH-D74 I can never connect. Seems like when WinDV is getting linking commands from the TH-D74, WinDV defaults to using the DExtra setting.
Has anyone had this problem and is there a fix?

Thanks in advance.
Dennis
N2ON

4570. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-21 13:30:16 UTC
From: Kenneth Holcombe
Topic: 4562 Message: 4570

Someone else mentioned that one doesn’t say CQ on D-Star. As I said, this is all new to me.
Ken, W1KE

> On Mar 18, 2018, at 6:29 PM, Dave Wickert dwickert@... [DVAPDongle]
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4571. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: 2 DVAPs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-21 18:22:04 UTC
From: Don Nelson
Topic: 4543 Message: 4571

Running 3 DVAPS and 3 Hotspots with no additional terminals. No problem.

On 3/18/2018 7:26 PM, Dave Wickert dwickert@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> multiple devices?
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4572. Re: Getting started with DVAP and ID-31a

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-21 22:05:10 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 4568 Message: 4572

Hi Jeremy, N8YP,

I do not have a 440 DVAP. I do find the +150 KHz frequency error and the startup not able to set the rx frequency to be concerns. I would have tried changing the DVAP to 430900000 in order to have it on 431.050 MHz, if your test measurement equipment is that accurate. I am assuming the radio has N8YP as your callsign in the MYCALL field. I am assuming the execute characters are in the 8th position of the URCall fields (E, I, U). I cannot tell from your pictures.

73,

James, N0XIA

4573. Re: Getting started with DVAP and ID-31a

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-22 21:45:39 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4568 Message: 4573

Have you tried calibrating your DVAP James? If you are not familiar with that process, send an email with your serial number and I'll walk you through it.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4574. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-23 00:01:57 UTC
From: T. Richard Peoples
Topic: 4562 Message: 4574

Ok, I'll bite...what should one say?
I'm pretty sure I've called "K3TRP, CQ any station on 30 Charlie" and heard other calling something similar.

Richard

Sent from my iPhone

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4575. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-23 00:08:58 UTC
From: Dave Schultheis
Topic: 4562 Message: 4575

Ken KE wrote;

> Someone else mentioned that one doesn’t say CQ on D-Star. As I said,
> this is all new to me.

One might get better results by simply stating call sign and location
and asking if anybody is around for a QSO.

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Dave Schultheis
WB6KHP San Jose

4576. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-23 02:19:42 UTC
From: Teton Amateur Radio Repeater Association
Topic: 4562 Message: 4576

I believe even going back into some of the old ARRL Technician License training video series and they mention not using "Q" signals on VHF & UHF frequencies. "Q" signals are a CW type of shorthand for HF and have their place there. I strongly agree they shouldn't be used on the VHF & UHF frequencies and anyone who does is just a poor operator. Local users have been trained to ignore anyone calling CQ on the local repeaters. To a degree it will get you ignored on my repeaters but if you insist on it, you won't like it when you do hear from me.

Mick - W7CAT

----- Original Message -----
From: "Kenneth Holcombe holcombe.kenneth@... [DVAPDongle]"
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 21, 2018 07:30:16 AM
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

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Be sure to check out all the latest at our web site
<http://www.wyocat.com/tarra>! <http://www.wyocat.com/tarra>

4577. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-22 23:32:30 UTC
From: greg
Topic: 4562 Message: 4577

You can look at dstarinfo.com on the reflector tab and find your reflector and click on “stats”and see “last heard”and see if you make the reflector. I hope you registered your call or else the reflector will ignore you.

Sent from my iPad

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4578. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-24 13:51:34 UTC
From: Kenneth Holcombe
Topic: 4562 Message: 4578

I am registered on D-STAR. I did see my callsign on the repeater. I get a lot of help with things I already know.
Ken, W1KE

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 22, 2018, at 6:32 PM, greg gregakeck@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4579. Newbie Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-26 21:20:53 UTC
From: poppafred@...
Topic: 4579 Message: 4579

I have the ID-51A and the DVAP working.

I programmed the radio for REF030C and it extablished a link.

BUT

It displays connected to REF001C and not REF030C...

What am I doing wrong here?

Fred - KK5AA

4580. RE: [DVAPDongle] Newbie Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-26 22:34:48 UTC
From: Margie Spangenberg
Topic: 4579 Message: 4580
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

That’s really odd! I have a DVAP and an ID-51A and I’ve not had it show up with the incorrect Reflector #.
73
Margie Spangenberg, KK4AGN

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

From: poppafred@... [DVAPDongle]
Sent: Monday, March 26, 2018 6:11 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [DVAPDongle] Newbie Question

I have the ID-51A and the DVAP working.

I programmed the radio for REF030C and it extablished a link.

BUT

It displays connected to REF001C and not REF030C...

What am I doing wrong here?

Fred - KK5AA

4581. Re: Newbie Question

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-03-27 17:01:57 UTC
From: poppafred@...
Topic: 4579 Message: 4581

Talk about a greenhorn mistake!

Found my problem and it was NOT the radio.

Working fine now.

Fred - KK5AA

4582. Updating Firmware

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-06 03:01:17 UTC
From: poppafred@...
Topic: 4582 Message: 4582

My DVAP says it is version 1.0 so how do I go about updating the firmware?

Fred - KK5AA

4583. Re: dvap serial number lost after update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-06 19:07:40 UTC
From: poppafred@...
Topic: 3297 Message: 4583

Not my original post but how do you roll back the firmware. I've done the same thing after no one answered my question.

Fred - KK5AA

4584. I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-12 17:54:56 UTC
From: poppafred@...
Topic: 4584 Message: 4584

I was trying to make certain that my used DVAP was running at peak so I asked in a couple of places about updating firmware. No one answered, either place.

So, I downloaded the DVAP Util, ran the firmware updater and stepped up to v1.07.

By now, you are thinking, "Oh, no!".

Yep, no serial number, no DPlus reflectors.

Does anyone know of a way to either revert to the original firmware or retrieve and restore the serial number? The DVAP is a 2009 version. It has the acrylic case and no serial number in or on the case. I have examined the circuit board with a magnifier loupe and see no numbers that could be the serial.

I cannot afford to buy a replacement and really need to get this one fixed.

Thanks

Fred - KK5AA

4585. Re: I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-12 23:49:39 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4584 Message: 4585

We removed the firmware links and have been telling folks here not to try to load different firmware.

There should be a serial number inside the case on the PCB.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4586. Re: I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-14 15:12:46 UTC
From: poppafred@...
Topic: 4584 Message: 4586

The Firmware Updater is still part of the DVAP Utilities. It has v1.07 preloaded. I searched and asked both here and the Facebook DVAP group and nothing about avoiding a firmware update was posted. I only found the missing serial number post after the fact.

I have searched the PCB with a magnifying loupe and I can find no serial number. The previous owner put it into the acrylic after market case and must have removed it.

How can I get the original firmware restored?

Fred - KK5AA

4587. MacOS High Sierra & DVAPTool

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-15 12:00:41 UTC
From: markn@...
Topic: 4587 Message: 4587

I upgraded two iMac computers to the fairly new High Sierra. Previously, I was running Sierra. DVATool does not work on either computer. I have a 2 Meter and 70cm DVAPs and experience the same problem on both. You can get it to load and it appears to run for a few minutes. Then the computer stops communicating with the DVAP. You get get it to work for a few minutes by doing a force quit on the tool and unplugging the DVAP from the USB. Disabling APNAP does not make any difference and get the same behavior.

I go to another Mac just running Sierra and it appears to work fine. I downloaded the latest DVAPTool and find that version has the same problem. Does anyone have any ideas on how to solve them issue?

73,

Mark
WB5SLA

4588. Programming IC 80 AD for dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-15 15:10:52 UTC
From: jgiraudo@...
Topic: 4588 Message: 4588

It's been several years since I have used my DVAP. I cannot remember how I programmed my HT to access DSTAR repeaters and reflectors through the DVAP. I have programmed a memory with 145.67 MHz, simplex, DV mode and CQCQCQ. The radio communicates with the DVAP but when I go to UR I only se CQCQCQ. I cannot roll to a place where I can put a remote callsign in. What am I screwing up? I'm sure I'm leaving something simple out. I program with the Icom software.

Thanks

Joe - N7JEH

4589. Re: [DVAPDongle] Programming IC 80 AD for dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-17 17:15:33 UTC
From: Bill Brown
Topic: 4588 Message: 4589

Joe,I use a 440 DVAP and an Icon ID 31A449.9500 simplex (the frequency of the dvap)DVAP
TDVAP EDVAP IDVAP UREF029AL (to connect to reflector 29a)
Hope this helps!Bill - w5umq

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

On Tue, Apr 17, 2018 at 8:37 AM, jgiraudo@... [DVAPDongle]<DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
wrote:

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4590. Re: [DVAPDongle] Programming IC 80 AD for dongle

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-18 08:28:28 UTC
From: Brad
Topic: 4588 Message: 4590

if your in DR mode highlight the TO: field then Press the CS button 1 time. then you can change it.

On 4/15/2018 11:10 AM, jgiraudo@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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Buckingham Confirms Unfortunate News
risingstarnewspaper.com
http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3131/5ad701af34f2c1ae0d12st02vuc

4591. DVAP Red 125 cm Model

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-18 12:38:30 UTC
From: sfvdan@...
Topic: 4591 Message: 4591

Good morning!

While this version of the DVAP Red Module works great with the DVAP tool, it won't work with the WinDV family of software products. WinDV will not accept a 125 cm frequency as a valid frequency.

Without the WinDV software, I can't access XFR's or do call sign routing,

Any suggestions for alternatives? Is the Red Module an SDR and can it be flashed for a different frequency band?

Thanks!

Dan
KN4FYR
danwolfe.us@gmail.com

4592. Re: [DVAPDongle] Being Ignored?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-18 15:20:19 UTC
From: carlmailuk@...
Topic: 4562 Message: 4592

Not saying CQ on a repeater is old advice from the days when people were either listening or not to a repeater, so repeated cq cq cq was redundant and one 'cq' is best replaced by a brief comment. In those days repeaters were only for mobiles too.

Now a repeater can well be connected world wide, via multple modes, including analogue (HUBNET is now on YSF HUBNET, DMR brandmeister 4426, analogue AllStar , Echolink and DSTAR DCS477B) not only do you need a 3-4 second gap between overs there can be long latency between the systems, and drop outs and corruptions on one mode but not audible on another so you can sometimes miss the beginning and end of an over, so a longer slightly more repetitive initial call is beginning to make a bit more sense again. You do get a lot of ..this is XXnDDD missed the call old man.....you are a great signal into the system its like you are in the next chair, what was the name again...

4593. Re: I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-22 15:08:55 UTC
From: pa7lim@...
Topic: 4584 Message: 4593

Hi Robin,

Why can't we upgrade to version 1.07 ?
What is changed between 1.00 and 1.07?

Greets,
David PA7LIM

http://www.pa7lim.nl http://www.pa7lim.nl

4594. Re: I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-22 15:35:02 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4584 Message: 4594

That version is for newer devices. If you update an older device, you can cause issues with the serial number.

The firmware was removed from the dvapdongle site quite a while ago to avoid folks attempting upgrades when they shouldn't. There are still folks that search the internet and find someone else that posted it to their web site, load it, and then have issues.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4595. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-23 04:45:51 UTC
From: BT Yahoo
Topic: 4584 Message: 4595

Hi Robin

Is there a firmware update for for the Red DV dongle?

Thanks

Ed

Sent from my iPhonex

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4596. Re: I messed up my DVAP

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-23 14:21:47 UTC
From: pa7lim@...
Topic: 4584 Message: 4596

Hi Robin,

Thanks for your reply.
I am working on a new project with the DVAP and was wandering if there are major changes in the analog part between the versions.
You can email on : info@pa7lim.nl

Greets,
David PA7LIM
http://www.pa7lim.nl http://www.pa7lim.nl

4597. Text Message display on DPLUS Dashboard

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-24 10:56:42 UTC
From: davidkjr@...
Topic: 4597 Message: 4597

My text message information is not being displayed on the reflector dashboard when I am linked to the reflector but after I unlink it then shows up under “Last Heard”. Doesn’t matter what reflector I’m connected to. I’m running a id-5100 and I’d-51a plus 2. Any idea what could be causing this to happen?

4598. D-STAR AT DAYTON HAMVENTION® 2018

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-04-28 17:18:36 UTC
From: Woodrick, Ed
Topic: 4598 Message: 4598

D-STAR At Dayton Hamvention® 2018
For more information: http://DSTARInfo.com/D-STAR-InfoCon--Dayton-Hamvention-2018.aspx
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D-STAR InfoCon 2018
D-STAR's premier training event returns to Dayton Hamvention®
For those just getting started in D-STAR and those looking to add to their D-STAR experience, this class is where you want to be. The class will be given by the experienced instructors from the Georgia D-STAR group and Icom who have presented seminars and training across the country. The three-hour class begins at 8:00am on Friday, May 18, on the first day of the Dayton Hamvention 2018 and will be held at the Drury Inn in the heart of the Hamvention hotels at 6616 Miller Lane. The cost of the class is only $25.00.
The class will feature will cover topics of interest to beginning D-STAR users including:

* D-STAR basics
* The D-STAR user registration process explained
* Getting started with your D-STAR radio
* Linking to repeaters and reflectors
* Helpful hints and tips to get the most from D-STAR
* D-STAR Data (DRATS)

To register, head over to http://DSTARInfo.com/D-STAR-InfoCon--Dayton-Hamvention-2018.aspx
D-STAR Activities at Dayton
Thursday, May 17, 6:30-9 PM - Pre-Hamvention Meet, Greet, and Eyeball QSO
Marion’s Piazza
1320 N Fairfield Rd
Beavercreek OH 45432
Friday, May 18, 8:00-11:00 PM – D-STAR InfoCon 2018
D-STAR InfoCon
Drury Inn Ballroom
6616 Miller Lane
Dayton OH
Friday, May 18, 11:45-1:00 PM - D-STAR Forum
Forum Room 2
Dayton Hamvention
Friday, May 18, 6:30-8:30 PM – D-STAR Friday Evening Gathering
Drury Inn Ballroom
6616 Miller Lane
Dayton OH
Dayton D-STAR Repeaters

Call Sign

Frequency

Reflector

Location

W8RTL C

147.105+

REF030C

Dayton

W8RTL B

443.050+

XRF038C

Dayton

W8HEQ C

145.270-

Dayton

W8HEQ B

444.0875+

XRF038C

Dayton

KE8AQQB

443.150+

Lebanon

W8GO C

145.160-

Wilmington

W8GO B

442.150+

Wilmington

W8RNL C

145.150-

Hamilton

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442.625+

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K8BIG C

145.350-

Cincinnati

Dayton D-STAR Simplex
DARA suggests using 446.1000 Digital Code Squelch CSQL use #13 as a D-STAR simplex frequency at Hamvention®. Don’t forget to update your repeater list before you start your journey!
D-STAR Affiliated Vendors at Dayton Hamvention®

Vendor

Booths

Icom<http://www.icomamerica.com/en/>

2508-2509, 2608-2610, 2708-2709, 6001

Kenwood<http://www.kenwood.com/usa/com/amateur/>

1407-1411, 1507-1511

NW Digital Radio<http://nwdigitalradio.com/>

1105

RT Systems<http://www.rtsystemsinc.com/>

3805-3806

Bridgecom Systems, Inc<https://www.bridgecomsystems.com/>

1103-1104

Wireless Holdings<http://wirelesshold.com/>

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If there are any corrections or additions, please drop us a note at info@...<mailto:info@...>

4599. POSSIBLE DVAP HARDWARE FAILURE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-03 04:31:15 UTC
From: youha@...
Topic: 4599 Message: 4599

I was using one of my 70cm DVAPs with my iMac. I had been working fine until the iMac apparently went to sleep during a time window when the DVAP was transmitting. Didn't think that was serious. I woke up the Mac and ran the DVAP tool software and it opened as normal. This time the DVAP will not respond to my HT no matter what, ID, echo...no transmission from the DVAP. Rebooting the Mac didn't fix the problem. I have a spare 70cm DVAP. Hooked that up and it works. I have a funny feeling that when the Mac went to sleep when the original DVAP was transmitting, a transient from the USB port caused firmware corruption or hardware damage to that DVAP. Any thoughts?

Dave B. WA6UHA

4600. POSSIBLE PERMANENT DVAP TOOL TRANSMITTER FAILURE

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-03 05:04:04 UTC
From: David Billeci
Topic: 4600 Message: 4600

Very unusual.I was using one of my 70 cm DVAPs on a iMac..worked great. While in QSO..the computer went to sleep while the DVAP was transmitting..got disconnected.woke up the computer.pulsing green on DVAP as was expected during this incident. Open the DVAP with the tool software.. got the blue, no errors on the DVAP tool screen but lost all functions via the HT. no connect, no echo, no ID. DVAP tool software s meter does respond to HT transmission. Rebooted the mac.same problem. I have a spare 70 cm DVAP. Connected that. Everything works with the spare. Firmware crash with the first DVAP when the Mac went to sleep? I have had the MAC go to sleep with that DVAP operational before but never a permanent failure like this but in that earlier situation it was in the receive mode maybe. Any thoughts? I may check the questionable DVAP on another computer and see what happens but as I said before the spare works on that iMac.

Dave WA6UHA

4601. Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-03 17:06:04 UTC
From: kc7hvb@...
Topic: 4601 Message: 4601

Using a DVAP Dongle that worked with no difficulty last week as of today I am now receiving a "gateway unknown" message on all reflectors. Yesterday the message was only on REF001C and REF030C. There was some talk about this problem on REF14C yesterday but no resolution was mentioned. Has anyone else had this problem? I checked my D-Star registration and the looked ok.

Paul KC7HVB

4602. Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-05 19:14:24 UTC
From: T. Richard Peoples
Topic: 4601 Message: 4602

I connected to both Reflectors 030C and 001C earlier today with my DVAP and ID 5100. Just monitored traffic but I had no issue.
I also connected to 030C via the W4DOC Repeater.
I haven’t been on the radio in awhile and was just checking to see what was working.

Richard K3TRP

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 3, 2018, at 1:06 PM, kc7hvb@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4603. Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-06 04:17:49 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4601 Message: 4603

Check your Internet connection

On Sat, May 5, 2018, 12:37 PM kc7hvb@gmail.com [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> Paul KC7HVB
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4604. Missed Keepalive

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-10 18:14:52 UTC
From: kc7hvb@...
Topic: 4604 Message: 4604

Using a DVAP Dongle I have been getting a "missed keepalive from gateway" message when trying to link to REF001C or REF030C. Initially I will receive a successful link message then ten seconds later an uncommanded (from my end) unlink with the "missed keepalive from gateway" message.

Other reflectors do not do this and I can stay linked as long as I like.

Any ideas on why this is happening?

Paul KC7HVB

4605. DVAP & Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-11 19:20:04 UTC
From: joen7xxx@...
Topic: 4605 Message: 4605

Anyone here have experience with using a Raspberry Pi with the DV Dongle? I downloaded the image files needed and imaged them over to an SD card. Following imaging the SD card the software formatted the card placing the DVAP software on the I drive of the card. When I boot up the Pi with this card in place, nothing happens. What am I doing wrong??

Thanks in advance

Joe - N7JEH

4606. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP & Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-14 14:02:27 UTC
From: Mike Rees
Topic: 4605 Message: 4606

Joe,
First, once the the image is on the SD card. The image is being removed by formatting. I am assuming you are using the SD formatting program and the Win32 Disk imageier. You need to ignore the format disk prompt for your computer. I hope this helps.
73MikeN6YSK

On Monday, May 14, 2018, 5:50:47 AM PDT, joen7xxx@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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Thanks in advance
Joe - N7JEH

4607. RE: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-14 14:35:37 UTC
From: barry bunner
Topic: 4601 Message: 4607

I have had this happen a few times. I stopped and restarted the DVAP Dongle app and worked. I don’t know why it fixed the problem.

Sent from Mail<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkId=550986> for Windows 10

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> on behalf of 'T. Richard Peoples' twopeoples@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Saturday, May 5, 2018 3:14:24 PM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

I connected to both Reflectors 030C and 001C earlier today with my DVAP and ID 5100. Just monitored traffic but I had no issue.

I also connected to 030C via the W4DOC Repeater.
I haven’t been on the radio in awhile and was just checking to see what was working.

Richard K3TRP

Sent from my iPhone

On May 3, 2018, at 1:06 PM, kc7hvb@...<mailto:kc7hvb@...> [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com<mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:

Using a DVAP Dongle that worked with no difficulty last week as of today I am now receiving a "gateway unknown" message on all reflectors. Yesterday the message was only on REF001C and REF030C. There was some talk about this problem on REF14C yesterday but no resolution was mentioned. Has anyone else had this problem? I checked my D-Star registration and the looked ok.

Paul KC7HVB

4608. Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-14 14:53:21 UTC
From: T. Richard Peoples
Topic: 4601 Message: 4608

I sent this in May 5...just received it today. Yahoo is being slooow!

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Sent from my iPhone

> On May 5, 2018, at 3:14 PM, 'T. Richard Peoples' twopeoples@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>> Paul KC7HVB
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4609. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP & Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-15 21:12:50 UTC
From: joen7xxx@...
Topic: 4605 Message: 4609

OK, I'll give it a try. How do I "unformat" the SD card and reuse it, or is it ruined?

Thanks Joe - N7JEH

4610. Re: [DVAPDongle] DVAP & Raspberry Pi

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-16 00:24:10 UTC
From: Mike Rees
Topic: 4605 Message: 4610

Download the SD card formater from SD Memory Card Formatter for Windows Download - SD Association Then just format the card. Iyou do not have to unformat. Use Win32DiskImager to install the image on the SD Card. You can download it from Win32 Disk Imager

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73MikeN6YSK

On Tuesday, May 15, 2018, 2:32:32 PM MST, joen7xxx@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

OK, I'll give it a try. How do I "unformat" the SD card and reuse it, or is it ruined?
Thanks Joe - N7JEH

4611. DV3K Issues after Windows 1803 Update

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-20 14:06:02 UTC
From: pastormg2@...
Topic: 4611 Message: 4611

Once again, Microsoft updates have played a factor in my DV3K being recognized.
I go into dvtools and there is no choices for a com port.
My dv3k is under com port 10. But I don't have a way in DVTools to choose that.
It is just blank
Any suggestions?
Mark Griffin, KB3Z

4612. Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-18 17:04:07 UTC
From: kc7hvb@...
Topic: 4601 Message: 4612

I e-mailed with Robin Cutshaw. He tells me the gateway unknown message is due to my interfering with others on the reflectors, multiple links and/or testing software etc....
As a result I have been blocked on the main server. I have several questions.
Can another station be heard on a reflector before linking? This would prevent unwanted interference.
How do I get removed from the blocked list on the main server?
When using a DVAP should I only link to one reflector and leave it there? To prevent multiple links.
I have not seen any info saying an operator can not switch from one reflector to another as long as an unlink command is used first. Can anyone verify this.

Paul
KC7HVB

4613. Re: DV3K Issues after Windows 1803 Update:Finally Solved

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-20 21:37:55 UTC
From: pastormg2@...
Topic: 4611 Message: 4613

Well, I removed DV Tools 2.1. I also removed the FTDI Chip files.
I ran the executable program and installed the Chip files.
I than installed DV Tools 2.1 and started the program.
Lo and behold it found the DV3K and all is well
I guess the secret to fixing this in the future everytime Windows
does there 1/2 year upgrade stuff is to delete the chip files and reinstall them.
Mark Griffin KB3Z

4614. Re: [DVAPDongle] Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-20 21:56:02 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 4601 Message: 4614

Hi Paul, KC7HVB,

>I have several questions.
>Can another station be heard on a reflector before linking? This would prevent unwanted
>interference.
You connect and then wait for 15 to 20 seconds to see if the reflector is in use. You won't hear anyone until the next transmission on some devices. Others will pick up the traffic right away.

>How do I get removed from the blocked list on the main server?
Ask Robin to unblock you after you have identified the cause of the interference. People link all the time and sometimes butt in on a qso in progress. It happens. You apologize and wait your turn. That is not what causes someone to be blocked. Unmanned stations stuck in transmit, connection loops due to another hotspot device hearing your rf signal or running software that is flaky and crashes the reflector are what can cause one to be blocked. It is done to get your signal off the system so that everyone can use the reflector (or reflectors) again.

>When using a DVAP should I only link to one reflector and leave it there? To prevent multiple links?
You should not be able to connect to multiple reflectors with a DVAP unless you are running another software package that allows this to happen. That falls under "flaky software".

>I have not seen any info saying an operator can not switch from one reflector to another as long as an >unlink command is used first. Can anyone verify this?
That falls under "flaky software" if can can do this. You cannot move from one reflector to another with out disconnecting first. Some software packages will allow you to go to another reflector without the unlink "U" command, but you will be disconnected by the software before a new connection is established.

73,
James, N0XIA
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4615. Re: Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-21 13:26:53 UTC
From: Terry M. Stader - KA8SCP
Topic: 4601 Message: 4615

Internet based users should also make sure you only have ONE connection at a time from your location to a particular Reflector.

With people today having multiple hotspots and DVAPs at their residences, connection from your home network at the same time can cause havoc on a reflector.

Terry

Sent from an Apple device

4616. Re: Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-24 14:34:38 UTC
From: barrycinti@...
Topic: 4601 Message: 4616

I am also getting the gateway unknown. I have only one dvap. I also tried unlink the reflectors I normally use 30c and 001c. It already unlinked. Anyway to resolve this issue?

Thanks

4617. Re: Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-24 12:38:47 UTC
From: Paul Chaplin
Topic: 4601 Message: 4617

Thanks to you all for your input. From what I have learned it appears I will not have the block lifted. My offenses, whether real or perceived, have earned a permanent block from the REF system administrator. Many others have had this same thing happen to them. It is unfortunate that one individual holds that kind of power over the D-Star community.

Paul Chaplin
KC7HVB

4618. Re: Gateway Unknown Message

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-05-24 18:02:41 UTC
From: barrycinti@...
Topic: 4601 Message: 4618

I checked my internet connection. I stopped and restarted the dvap app and things work now. The only thing that recently changed on my tablet is a windows 10 update. Hard to believe it could have caused the problem.

4620. Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-07 16:45:22 UTC
From: mike_davis_2002@...
Topic: 4620 Message: 4620

Hello all, I'm having major issues with dstar access. I have a vintage and classic id51, and a dvap. I cannot access any links whether I use windv or dvap tools-and the same happens with my shark rf. C4fm and DMR both work as normal on the shark. I like dstar, and I know the dvap is antediluvian by now, but has anyone else experienced this? If so, how do you work around it? 73 de G7MBH

4621. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-08 14:55:20 UTC
From: chipmckcmo@...
Topic: 4620 Message: 4621

I have an ICOM Dstar repeater, a DVAP and a NANO Spot. All are down today. On my DVAP I get the Unknown Gateway message. I have concluded it is more than just a personal situation. I was hoping that someone might post a situation report.
Chip
WB0LBZ

In a message dated 6/8/2018 9:52:14 AM Central Standard Time, DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com writes:

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4622. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-08 15:34:59 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4620 Message: 4622

Mike:
My Red DVAP is getting a little old as well but it keeps on chugging.
I have a difficult time keeping the laptop connected thanks to %#+*^ Microsoft updates and my RSpi 3.0 just goes “bye, bye” on its own every couple of weeks when connected to the DVAP.
I would contact the Robin Cutshaw AA4RC
Who designed and builds the DVAP if you need more help,
Garry
W9WHF

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 7, 2018, at 11:45 AM, mike_davis_2002@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4623. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-08 15:03:33 UTC
From: Bob Herrin
Topic: 4620 Message: 4623

No problem at all with my “antediluvian” DVAP. ☐

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 7, 2018, at 12:45 PM, mike_davis_2002@yahoo..co.uk [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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4624. Re: Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-09 08:43:21 UTC
From: davidgames60@...
Topic: 4620 Message: 4624

I still use my now 'vintage' DVAP (Windows 10) and not having problems. Earlier this week Ref001 was down for quite some time but other reflectors were workable.
Perhaps Robin can pick up on this thread and comment for you?

4625. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-09 13:05:10 UTC
From: Brad
Topic: 4620 Message: 4625

update your host lists

On 6/7/2018 12:45 PM, mike_davis_2002@... [DVAPDongle] wrote:
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> Hello all, I'm having major issues with dstar access. I have a vintage
> and classic id51, and a dvap. I cannot access any links whether I use
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> so, how do you work around it? 73 de G7MBH
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4627. RE: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-09 18:02:24 UTC
From: tambeaud
Topic: 4620 Message: 4627

I have just LINKED to XRF021 C and UNLINKED from it and LINKED to REF001 C. I am still connected to 1 C and a conversation is going on K2GK and KI7G. They don’t seem to be having any problems! Check your INTERNET. The INTERNET might be down in your area or maybe just at your place! That sure could seem like D-STAR is down but it is the INTERNET that is down.

Don ve3hol

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, June 8, 2018 10:55 AM
To: DVAPDongle@...m
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

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4628. RE: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-09 17:43:39 UTC
From: tambeaud
Topic: 4620 Message: 4628

I have a Jumbospot which works on D-STAR DMR and other dv modes. I have no trouble connecting to XRF and REF reflectors and also to D-STAR gateways. Are you registered on D-STAR? If you can work the other modes but not D-STAR then that might be the problem.

Don VE3HOL

From: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com [mailto:DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Saturday, June 9, 2018 9:05 AM
To: DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

update your host lists

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4629. How to avoid DVAPTool 1.05 disconnections in Mac OS 10.13

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 16:15:43 UTC
From: Naubert.Aparicio@...
Topic: 4629 Message: 4629

Hello.

I have a new DVAP dongle (1.25 m) that I wanted to use with my Mac. As others have reported, from Mac OS 10.9 if the App Nap function is not disabled for the DVAPtool, the USB DVAP disconnects and you have to start everything. This happens every few minutes so it is a major issue. The workaround before was to start the finder, Get Info from the DVAPtool executable and select an option called "Prevent Nap App". But in DVAPtool v1.05 it the option won't appear. This is the workaround I have found to disable App Nap in DVAPtool v1.05 under Mac OS 10.13 and it worked for me:

1.- Start the Terminal application (normally in the Utilities folder inside the Application folder)
2.- Type the following in the terminal and press RETURN:

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defaults write com.internetlabs.DVAPTool NSAppSleepDisabled -bool true
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3.- If you want check that the flag actually was set just type this (optional):

```
defaults read com.internetlabs.DVAPTool
```

you should get an output like this:

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{
NSAppSleepDisabled = 1;

}
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4.- Close the Terminal
5.- Check your DVAP under Mac OS.

Please let me know if it worked for you.

73,

WP4OXG

4630. DVAP setup question "cannot set device ... frequency"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 17:43:03 UTC
From: mspmail2@...
Topic: 4630 Message: 4630
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I just picked up a used DVAP 440 MHz version. I went through the installation process as documented on the dvap dongle page
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html
http://www.dvapdongle.com/DV_Access_Point_Dongle/Installation.html
and Windows did not alert me that I needed to install any drivers or anything. It gives me a pulsing yellow led when plugged in.

I was next able to install and run the DVAP tools 1.05 software, and filled out my callsign and set the freq to the 445.55 MHz which is what the previous owner must have set it to I guess. Anyway. I can open the DVAP successfully (see screen shot) and it seems to be working, although it says in the log, "cannot set device receive frequency" and then "cannot set device transmit frequency". What is going on there? Do I need to install a different driver? The DVAP is sitting here with a flashing blue light.

My dstar radio is a KW th-d74 that I hope to eventually use with this. I am brand new to Dstar!

Thanks for any help!
Mike AB7RU

4631. Re: Still Can't Connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-09 22:35:27 UTC
From: kc7hvb@...
Topic: 4631 Message: 4631

Just to clarify. I can't link to REF reflectors. I can link to XRF reflectors.
Using high speed internet.

KC7HVB

4632. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-09 07:55:22 UTC
From: kk9w@...
Topic: 4620 Message: 4632

I have been having intermittent issues also over the last 2 days. Not being able to stay connected to a reflector. Random disconnects . . . etc.

4633. Re: Still Can't Connect

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 20:19:58 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4631 Message: 4633

Your callsign was blocked due to harmful interference with the reflector. Unfortunately, there have been several folks in the last two weeks that have used bad software or connected multiple devices that caused loopbacks on the reflector, thus causing the reflector to quit functioning and causing so much loopback traffic the charges were starting to incur to the folks that pay for reflector bandwidth.

The bottom line is that if you cause a reflector to be unavailable to everyone else, you will be blocked.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4634. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 20:22:13 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 4620 Message: 4634

Nope, still alive. It would be easier to tell you what might be going on if you provided more info, like what reflectors you are having problem with.

--Fran, W1FJM

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On Sat, Jun 9, 2018 at 3:55 AM, kk9w@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> being able to stay connected to a reflector. Random disconnects . . . etc.
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4635. Re: DVAP setup question "cannot set device ... frequency"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 20:29:17 UTC
From: aa4rc@...
Topic: 4630 Message: 4635

Hi Mike. Are you plugged into a usb HUB? If so, try connecting directly to the computer. If you are plugged in directly, try switching to a USB port elsewhere on the computer. I've seen these messages before when plugged into a hub.

73,
Robin
AA4RC

4636. Re: DVAP setup question "cannot set device ... frequency"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 23:47:55 UTC
From: mspmail2@...
Topic: 4630 Message: 4636

Thanks Robin No, I am not using a USB hub. I tried changing to another USB port and get the same message "cannot set device (rcv/xmt) frequency."

I have another PC and tried it there and don't see that error, so it something with this PC that is different. Tried reinstalling the FTDI drivers and that didn't help. The dvap must be communicating okay, anyway though? I know it is on 445.55 MHz. Why would it initialize the dvap okay, but not be able to set the freq? Weird.

thanks for the help!
Mike AB7RU

4637. Re: DVAP setup question "cannot set device ... frequency"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-18 00:41:44 UTC
From: lists@...
Topic: 4630 Message: 4637

Mike,

I seem to recall getting a similar response and discovered it went away when I used a different frequency.

Try 446.1 MHz 446100000 for grins and see if you get different results.

Dennis N4NR

4638. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-17 21:48:41 UTC
From: Jack Blake
Topic: 4620 Message: 4638

30C works great for me. Haven't tried too many others. Mostly 1C and 30C.
1C sometimes drops out bit not very often

On Sun, Jun 17, 2018, 4:25 PM Fran Miele franmiele@... [DVAPDongle] <
DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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4639. Re: [DVAPDongle] Is the dstar network on its last legs?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-18 01:35:52 UTC
From: Fran Miele
Topic: 4620 Message: 4639

Then I don't understand what your problem is.

--Fran

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On Sun, Jun 17, 2018 at 5:48 PM, Jack Blake jblake8061@...
[DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:

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> 30C works great for me. Haven't tried too many others.. Mostly 1C and 30C.
> 1C sometimes drops out bit not very often
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> On Sun, Jun 17, 2018, 4:25 PM Fran Miele franmiele@... [DVAPDongle]
> <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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>> Nope, still alive. It would be easier to tell you what might be going on
>> if you provided more info, like what reflectors you are having problem with.
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>> --Fran, W1FJM
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>> On Sat, Jun 9, 2018 at 3:55 AM, kk9w@... [DVAPDongle] <
>> DVAPDongle@yahoogroups..com <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com>> wrote:
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>>> I have been having intermittent issues also over the last 2 days. Not
>>> being able to stay connected to a reflector.. Random disconnects . . . etc.
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4640. Re: [DVAPDongle] Re: DVAP setup question "cannot set device ... frequency"

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-18 19:45:30 UTC
From: Garry
Topic: 4630 Message: 4640

Mike:
This may not be pertinent but the times I installed DVAP Tools on various computers
I always had to install Apple’s Bonjour printing app to get the DVAP to act right.
Makes no sense to me, but it cured setup problems.
Just a thought,
Garry
W9WHF
Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 17, 2018, at 7:41 PM, lists@... [DVAPDongle] <DVAPDongle@yahoogroups.com> wrote:
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> Mike,
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> I seem to recall getting a similar response and discovered it went away when I used a different frequency.
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> Try 446.1 MHz 446100000 for grins and see if you get different results.
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> ---
> Dennis N4NR
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4641. Am I properly registered to use a DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-21 15:36:37 UTC
From: randers44@...
Topic: 4641 Message: 4641

I recently registered for D-Star and can use D-Star repeaters. I want to start using a DVAP instead but when I registered the D-Star registration page for my local repeater did not have a place to enter my ip address or pcname. As a result, I'm not sure I can use a DVAP to link to reflectors.

Does anyone know if a registered ip address and pcname are required in order to use a DVAP to link to reflectors?

Thanks,
Bob N0DZP

4642. Re: Am I properly registered to use a DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-22 02:26:21 UTC
From: n0xia@...
Topic: 4641 Message: 4642

Hello Bob, N0DZP,

Your registration is good to go. You only need a pc name and ip address if you are going to play with the ID-1 radios on 23cm in the data mode. You are registered on a G3 gateway (KC0WLB). G3 gateways do not assign a pc name or ip address like G2's since it is really not necessary, unless (read the previous statement).

Note: KC0WLB appears to have issues that the admin ought to address. It has not reported to the US Trust for two months. Fortunately its' registration page can still be accessed if you need to add another terminal ID besides your base callsign. Some hotspot softwares insist on a letter be added to your callsign like "N0DZP A" for example.

73,
James, N0XIA
Registration Information: Registr.Call Registration Server Date of Registration IP-Address-Pool N0DZP http://www.qrz.com/db/N0DZP KC0WLB http://dsync.dstarusers.org/gw_status.php?gw=KC0WLB 2018-06-18 19:32:26 10.63.202.32-10.63.202.39

Activated Terminal-IDs: https://wb1gof.dstargateway.org/DStarTerminalIDs.html Device Call/ID Registration Server Last Heard Repeater Gateway N0DZP KC0WLB 2018-06-20 20:56:39 W1AFV B W1AFV Registration OK! (17)

4643. Re: Am I properly registered to use a DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-06-22 02:43:08 UTC
From: randers4@...
Topic: 4641 Message: 4643

Thanks for your answer James! I've been waiting to buy a DVAP until I could be sure I could use it without running into registration issues. It was difficult enough to find a registration link for a local repeater that worked. (Didn't notice that there is a link on dstarinfo.com to register users who don't have a local D-Star repeater of I would have just used that.)

Thanks again, 73
Bob N0DZP

4644. DVAP settings for Call Sign

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-07-25 22:21:24 UTC
From: jay.ham@...
Topic: 4644 Message: 4644

Can you setup "call sigh routing" with DVAP? If so, tell me how.

4645. Receive Only

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-07-27 00:18:31 UTC
From: barrycinti@...
Topic: 1230 Message: 4645

When I link to a reflector it links but says receive only. What could be wrong? I have stopped and restarted the app several times and it does not resolve the problem. The blue LED flashes as normal on the dvap dongle.

Thanks

4646. Re: Am I properly registered to use a DVAP?

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-07-28 13:32:27 UTC
From: barrycinti@...
Topic: 4641 Message: 4646

Hello, I my new license is AD8BM. When I link to a reflector it linked receive only. I had a local person check things and he stated my call sign was registered incorrectly and only person who entered it can fix it. I went to their web address and could nit find dstar info. Can someone else fix the problem for AD8BM? My old call sign works fine.

Thanks

4647. Re: D-STAR Access

Yahoo group: DVAPDongle
Date: 2018-07-29 18:13:25 UTC
From: barrycinti@...
Topic: 4557 Message: 4647

Hello Robin, my call sign is registered incorrectl. Call sign AD8BM. I cannot get it fixed. It says I am registered with the name regis. I have sent emails to various people and have not received a response. I have no idea why I was registered in Ireland and there is no way I can contact them to delete me so I can get registered locally. What else ca I do to resolve the problem?

73